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No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at principal station.	Rate of common rice, in annas, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
9	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	9	9	Weather hot at the Sadar subdivision but seasonable in the other subdivisions. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Their harvesting commenced. Transplantation of <i>boro</i> paddy continuing in the Kandi and Jangipur subdivisions. Cattle-disease in Khargaon, Bharatpur and Barwan thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JALDUHA	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops indifferent. Rain badly wanted in all parts of the district for cultivation. Fodder and water insufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Narail. Condition of agricultural stock good.
11	KHULNA	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops not favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA	Nil	9½ 15½	9½ 15½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops and pressing of sugarcane in progress. Prospects of standing crops fair in irrigated areas. Food-stocks being supplemented by imports. A few cases of cattle-disease reported from Naubatpur. Fodder and water sufficient.
	...	...	10½ 14½	10½ 13½	Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops good. Harvesting of pulses and linseed continuing. Prices stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	RAHABAD	...	9½	9½	Sugarcane sowing in progress. Standing food-grains small. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient.

sugarcane, harvesting of indigo on. *Rabi* crops stationary. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Inches. Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15 \end{array} \right.$	Weather getting hot. Pressing of sugarcane, harvesting of oilseeds and ploughing of lands for paddy in progress. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder supply yet sufficient. Water getting very scarce in the south of the district. It will possibly be necessary to provide some work in May and June in the southernmost thanas, where the outturn of <i>rabi</i> crops will be poor.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 10 \\ 14\frac{3}{4} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 10 \\ 14\frac{3}{4} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Common rice and maize selling at 9 and 14 seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi, and at 8½ and 14½ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops commenced in many places. Cattle-disease reported from Pupri thana. Fodder sufficient at present. Water getting scarce. Distress existing in parts of the Sitamarhi subdivision. Number of persons on test-works on the 6th instant—132 men, 111 women and 21 children—total 264. Two poor-houses opened.
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13 \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Rain wanted for preparation of lands for the next season's crops. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops bad; harvesting commenced. Fodder reported to be insufficient in Warisnagar thana. Food-stocks sufficient. Number of persons on relief-works on the 4th instant—32,267. Number of persons gratuitously relieved in declared areas 9,757. Number on test-works in observation areas 20,297; and gratuitously relieved 1,492. Maize selling at 13 seers a rupee at Sadar, and dearer in the interior.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather becoming hot. Condition of standing crops fair. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops and of sugarcane going on. Prices of staple stationary. Fodder and water scarce in places in the Jamui subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from Gogri and Khagaria thanas.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{3}{4} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{3}{4} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops in the Banka subdivision, but bad elsewhere. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Considerable distress in the Madhipura and divisions. Rain urgently wanted for standing crops. 139 men, 403 women and 51 children—total 936—gratuitously relieved in Madhipura, and 94 men, 199 women and 427 children—total 720—in Supaul. 1,547 men, 1,614 women and 571 children—total 3,732—on test-works. Madhipura, and 1,456 men, 1,144 women and 400 children—total 2,976 in Supaul.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	8	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 11\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather warm with very strong west wind. Prospects of standing crops continuing to be bad before. Lands being ploughed for the <i>bhadoi</i> and <i>aghani</i> crops. Rain very badly wanted. Condition of labourers and poorer agriculturists badly affected by scarcity. Stocks of food-grains sufficient due to imports. Fodder and water getting scarce in many places throughout the district. Cattle-disease reported from Kishanganj thana. 4 men, 4 women—total 133—relieved gratuitously in Gopalpur and Amour on the 3rd.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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		Inches.			
22	DARJEELING ...	Nil	{ 8 14*	{ 8 14*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Wheat and barley growing. Oilseeds being harvested and in some places fields being cleared for sowing of maize. Potatoes being sown. Terai—Harvesting of oilseeds and potatoes going on. Lands being prepared for next sowings. Prospects not hopeful owing to want of rain. Prices stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Agricultural stock in good condition.
23	SONTHAL PAR- GANAS.	...	{ 9½ 11*	{ 9½ 11*	Weather very hot and dry. <i>Rabi</i> crops in the Godda subdivision suffering from drought. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water insufficient in the Godda, Pakour and Rajmahal subdivisions.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10½	10½	<i>Dalua</i> paddy in ear in places. Reaping of tobacco in progress. Condition of cattle generally good. Fodder and water sufficient.
	BALASORE ...	Nil	12	11½	Weather hot at day and cool in the night. Threshing of <i>saradh</i> paddy and pressing of sugarcane continuing. <i>Dalua</i> paddy thriving. Vegetables doing well. Fodder and water and food-stocks sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice selling at 12 seers per rupee at Bhadrak. Prices falling at Sadar and stationary at Bhadrak.
	...	Nil	15	15	Rainfall at Phulbani 0·01 inch. Weather seasonable. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 10½ seers per rupee at the Khondmala. Fodder and water available.
	URI ...	Nil	10½	10½	Planting of sugarcane going on. <i>Dalua</i> paddy and castor being harvested. <i>Moong</i> ripening. Common rice selling at 10½ seers per rupee at Khurda. Men 31, women 117 and children 239—total 387—attending kitchens. Men 12, women 158 and children 6—total 176—receiving gratuitous relief.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	Nil	13	13	Rice and sugarcane fields being ploughed. Sugarcane being planted in some places. Condition of vegetables good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water-supply sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Rinderpest and foot-and-mouth disease in the Bargarh Tahsil. Common rice selling at 11 seers per rupee at Bargarh.

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29	HAZARIBAGH...	Inches. Nil	{ 8½ 11½ }	{ 9 12 }	Weather getting hot. Lands still being ploughed. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops commenced in places. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Fodder and water sufficient.																
30	RANCHI ...	Nil	8½	9	Rainfall at Gumla 1.60 inches. Weather seasonable. Ploughing of lands continuing. Mango and <i>mahua</i> blossoms damaged by hail to some extent in the Gumla subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from six thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.																
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops commenced. Sugarcane being planted. Fodder and water available. Cattle-disease reported. 150 persons on gratuitous relief from charitable funds in pargana Japla.																
32	MANRHUM ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Planting of sugarcane continuing. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease not reported. Condition of agricultural stock good. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Common rice selling at 9½ seers per rupee, at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate.																
33	SINGHBHUM ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Ploughing for early rice going on. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 10 and 12 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella respectively.																
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8⅞	8⅞	Days hot and nights cool. Preparation of <i>bitri</i> paddy and jute continuing. <i>Bitri</i> sown at places. Prices of staple food stationary. No apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water sufficient.																
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.†	<table><thead><tr><th>Name of State.</th><th>Rainfall</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>Mayurbhanj ...</td><td>...</td></tr><tr><td>Bonai ...</td><td>...</td></tr><tr><td>Daspalla ...</td><td>...</td></tr><tr><td>Hindol ..</td><td>0</td></tr><tr><td>Baramba ...</td><td>1</td></tr><tr><td>Nilgiri ...</td><td>0</td></tr><tr><td>Gangpur ...</td><td>0.07</td></tr></tbody></table> <p>Weather seasonable. Castor being harvested. Dhenkanal, Ranpur and Baud, gram in Kalahandi and Athmallik, <i>bitri</i> in Dhenkanal and wheat in Nayagarh. Sugarcane being planted in Nayagarh, Ranpur, Pal Lahera, Baramba and Athmallik. Fields being ploughed for next season's crops in Mayurbhanj, Kalahandi, Bonai, Baramba and Nilgiri. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 9 seers in Keonjhar and 12½ seers in Athmallik and Athgarh to 15½ seers in Baud and 16 seers in Gangpur, Bonai, Kalahandi and Dhenkanal.</p>	Name of State.	Rainfall	Mayurbhanj	Bonai	Daspalla	Hindol ..	0	Baramba ...	1	Nilgiri ...	0	Gangpur ...	0.07
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† The report is for the week ending the 9th February 1909.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—There was no rain during the week under report except in the Gumla subdivision of the Ranchi district, where a fall of 1·60 inches has been recorded. More rain is wanted in Jessore and in North Bihar for preparation of lands for the next season's crops. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of oil-seeds and pulses are in progress. Lancing of poppy in Shahabad and sowing of Sumatran indigo in Saran continue. Some damage has been done to mango and *muhu* blossoms by hailstorms in Ranchi. Prospects of *rabi* crops continue unfavourable in unirrigated tracts of North Bihar. The price of common rice has risen in Gaya, Hazaribagh and Ranchi, has fallen in Bankura and Balasore and has been stationary in the remaining districts. Cattle-disease is reported from Burdwan, Birbhum, Midnapore, Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore, Patna, Monghyr, Purnea, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Palamou. Fodder is insufficient in parts of Darbhanga, Monghyr, Purnea and the Southal Parganas. The water-supply is getting scarce in many parts of North Bihar. 27,406 persons attended test-works in Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Bhagalpur and Purnea. 13,188 persons were given gratuitous relief in Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Palamou and 563 in Puri. The number of persons on famine relief-works in Darbhanga was 32,267.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 9th March 1909.

W. R. GOURLAY,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarter

			QUANTITIES PER RUPEE 1																				
DIVISION.	Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT			BARLEY			COMMON RICE						JOWAR OR CHHOLU (<i>Andropogon sorghum</i>).			BAJRA OR CUMBU (<i>Pennisetum typho- ides</i>).					
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Average.			Cheapest.			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
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BURDWAN DIVISION.	1	Burdwan	8 0	8 4	7 1	8 12	9 0	8 4
	2	Birbhum	7 8	7 8	7 8	New 9 0	New 9 0	7 2	9 0	9 0	7 2
	3	Bankura	7 8	7 8	8 0	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	7 4	10 0	10 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4	Midnapore	6 0	6 0	6 8	...	...	...	Not re- ported.	10 12	7 11	11 7	11 7	8 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5	Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	6 0	8 8	8 8	6 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.	7	24-Parganas	7 4	7 8	7 0	...	...	...	8 8	8 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Calcutta	7 0	7 0	6 12	12 0	12 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	9 8	9 8	8 4	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	7	...	...	...
	9	Nadia	Not available.	...	9 0	...	...	...	8 8	8 0	6 10	9 2	8 14	6 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	10	Murshidabad	8 8	8 0	8 8	13 0	13 0	12 8	8 8	7 12	7 4	9 12	9 4	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11	Jessore	6 8	6 8	6 6	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 7	8 4	7 10	9 6	9 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	12	Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
PATNA DIVISION.	BIHAR.		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	13	Katwa	8 0	8 0	...	17 8	17 4	10 8	9 0	9 0	7 12	10 4	10 4	8 0	...	...	8 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	14	Gaya	7 7	7 7	7 0	16 6	13 0	9 0	9 4	...	6 8	10 12	9 10	8 0	15 1	14 9	8 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	15	Shahabad	8 0	8 0	7 0	14 0	14 0	...	9 4	9 0	7 10	9 9	9 4	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	16	Saran	8 0	8 0	7 4	15 0	16 0	...	8 0	9 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	17	Chhapra	8 0	8 0	6 12	16 0	16 8	12 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	9 4	9 4	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	18	Muzaffarpur	8 8	8 8	6 8	12 0	12 0	13 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	10 0	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Barbhangha	7 11	7 11	7 2	17 9	16 6	9 14	7 0	7 11	6 9	8 8	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 20½ seers; Asansol 21 seers; Kalna 22½ seers; Raniganj 21 seers.
B. At Farakka the retail price of salt is 22 seers per rupee.
C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 22 seers per rupee (karkatch).
D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contai 21 seers; Tamrugh 20 seers; Ghatal 22½ seers.
E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 20 seers; Aramkote 21 seers.
F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 20 seers per rupee (panga).
G. In the parts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Ghatal 22½ seers (karkatch); Barasat 16 seers; Padurua 21½ seers; Mogaibati 21 seers; Vishnupur 16 seers; Barrackpore report not received.
H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kachua 21 seers (panga); Chhannarayana 16 seers (karkatch); Meherpur 20 seers (karkatch); Manuhat 17 seers (crushed).

Station Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 28th February 1909.

SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

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MARUA OR RAOI (<i>Eleusine Corocana</i>)			KANGNI OR KAKUN ITALIAN MILLET (<i>Sesaria italica</i>)			GRAM, GHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA (<i>Pennisetum</i>)			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (<i>Zea mays</i>)			ARHAR (<i>dāl</i>) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>)			SALT.			SALT.			Number		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
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...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	42		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	43		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	44		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	45		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	46		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	47		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	48		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	49		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	50		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	51		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	52		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	53		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	54		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	55		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	56		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	57		
...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0											

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

DIVISION.	Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN																		
			WHEAT.			BARLEY.			COMMON RICE.						JOWAR OR OHOLUM (Andropogon Sorghum)			BAJRA OR CUMBU (Pennisetum typhoid cum).			
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Average.			Cheapest.			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
									Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.							
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.		
BIHAR—concluded.																					
BHAGALPUR DIVISION.	20	Monghyr ...	8 12	8 12	7 4	13 8	12 0	...	8 4	8 6	8 4	8 8	8 12	9 8	...	...	...	...	...
	21	Bhagalpur	8 3	8 8	7 4	15 2	13 4	11 6	7 4	7 4	7 9	8 8	8 14	8 3	...	...	...	...	...
	22	Furnea ...	7 8	7 8	7 0	...	...	...	6 5½	6 8	7 0	8 0	7 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...
	23	Darjeeling ..	5 8	5 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	{ 5 0 to 8 0 }	8 8	8 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	24	Sonthal Parganah.	7 0	7 0	6 4	9 0	9 0	8 0	8 8		8 15	9 0	9 10	9 13	8 0	
ORISSA.																					
ORISSA DIVISION.	25	Cuttack ..	6 14	6 14	7 14	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	7 14	10 8	10 8	8 3	...	...	...	...	...
	26	Balasore ..	7 2	7 2	7 4	...	...	...	11 12	11 0	8 8	12 8	12 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...
	27	Angul	5 0	5 0	5 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	8 0	15 0	15 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...
	28	Puri ...	7 3	7 3	7 3	...	...	...	10 8	9 8	7 3	11 2	10 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...
	29	Sambalpur...	7 8	7 8	7 12	...	...	...	12 0	11 8	8 8	13 0	12 0	9 8	...	...	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR.																					
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.	30	Hazaribagh	6 12	6 12	6 8	10 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	9 0	9 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...
	31	Ranchi ...	{ 6 0 to 7 0 }	5 8	{ 10 0 to 7 4 }	10 0	10 0	8 8	9 0	9 0	6 4	10 0	9 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	...
	32	Palamau ...	7 0	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	7 5	10 2	9 9	9 0	...	...	...	...	...
	33	Manbhum ..	7 0	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 0	7 0	11 0	11 0	7 8	...	...	...	11	...
	34	Singhbhum	6 12	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	7 0	5 8	9 8	9 8	6 0	...	...	...	...	...

B. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai 20 seers ; Jamui 20 seers
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 1½ seers ; Madhupura 13 seers ; Supaul 20 seers.
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 16 seers ; Buxantpur 18 seers.
V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kursong 15½ seers ; Siliguri 16 seers
W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Goddia 16 seers ; Deoghur 23 seers ; Pakour 20 seers ; Rajmahal and Jaztara reports not received.

Station Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 28th February 1909—concl'd.

SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAHS.

WHOLESALE PRICES
PER MAUND OF
FORTY SEERS.

MARUA OR RAGI (Eleusine Coracana).			KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Sesaria italica).			GRAM, CHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNA (Cicer arvense).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (Zea mays).			AJAR (dal) OR TBJR, CAJAN PEA (Cajanus indicus).			SALT.			SALT			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
...	12 8	10 8	8 12	13 8	13 8	9 4	7 8	7 4	6 4	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0	0 0	2 0	
...	10 2	9 8	8 14	13 14	14 14	9 8	7 13	7 8	7 0	20 3	20 0	20 0	1 15	6 1	14 3	
...	7 8	7 8	7 0	11 8	11 0	9 0	6 8	6 8	5 12	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8	0 2	8 0	
11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	6 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	14 0	14 0	13 0	2 12	0 2	12 0
...	8 8	8 8	8 0	11 0	11 0	9 8	9 8	8 8	6 8	16 0	16 0	17 0	2 8	0 2	8 0	
...	Biri or kali.			...	...	...	10 8	10 8	11 2	22 0	22 0	22 0	1 13	0 1	13 0	
...	8 0	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	6 8	6 0	6 6	21 0	21 0	20 0	1 14	0 1	14 0	
...	10 12	10 12	9 0	...	...	...	15 0	14 0	10 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 6	0 2	6 0	
...	9 0	9 0	8 0	...	...	...	6 9	7 3	6 9	25 0	25 0	25 0	1 8	0 1	8 0	
...	10 8	9 8	9 2	...	...	...	5 5	5 5	5 5	6 0	16 0	16 0	2 4	0 2	4 0	
...	7 8	7 4	7 8	...	...	...	5 5	5 5	5 5	6 0	16 0	16 0	2 4	0 2	4 0	
...	9 0	9 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	8 0	6 8	6 4	6 8	16 0	16 0	15 8	2 8	0 2	8 0	
...	9 0	8 8	8 0	13 0	12 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	6 8	17 0	17 0	17 0	2 4	0 2	4 0	
...	10 2	10 2	9 0	12 15	12 6	9 0	7 5	7 5	6 12	18 8	18 9	18 9	...	...	...
...	8 8	8 12	8 0	...	...	10 0	7 8	7 4	7 0	17 0	18 0	16 0	2 1	0 2	1 0	
...	8 0	8 0	7 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 1	0 2	1 0	

X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapura 18 seers (panga); Jajpur 13 seers.

Y. The retail price of salt at Bhadrak is 19 seers.

Z. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bantla 16 seers (karkatch); Phulbani not reported.

a. The retail price of salt per rupee at Khurda is 24 seers.

b. The retail price of salt per rupee at Bergarh is 13 seers (Bombay).

c. In the subdivisions the retail price of salt per rupee are—Dhaubaid report not received; Jhalda 16 seers.

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Offg. Director of Agriculture, Panga.

PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., in

Number.	MARTS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF											
		RICE (BEST SORT).			COMMON RICE.						WHEAT (<i>Triticum sativum</i>).		
					Average.			Cheapest.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta	6 14 0	6 14 0	7 0 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 10 0
2	Burdwan	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 10 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	...	...	...
3	Midnapore	4 12 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	5 1 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	4 6 0	...	...	...
4	Patna	7 0 0	7 4 0	7 10 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	5 2 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 14 0	4 15 0	4 15 0	5 12 0
5	Muzaffarpur	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 14 0	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 10 6	4 11 6	4 11 6	6 2 6
6	Bhagalpur	6 6 0	7 0 0	6 4 0	5 9 6	5 9 6	5 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0	5 8 0
7	Cuttack	7 3 0	7 3 0	7 3 0	3 12 11	3 12 11	5 3 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 14 2	5 13 9	5 13 9	5 1 3
8	Sambalpur	5 12 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	3 1 6	3 5 6	4 7 0	2 15 0	3 1 6	4 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0
9	Ranohi	5 12 0	5 12 0	8 0 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	6 5 0	3 13 0	4 3 0	5 4 0	5 12 0 to 6 8 0	6 0 0 to 6 2 0	5 6 0 to 6 0 0

No.	MARTS.	INDIAN CORN (Zea mays).			ARHAR DAL OR TUR— CADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).			LINSBED.			MUSTARD AND RAPSEED.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta	3 0 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 2 0	5 6 0	6 0 0
2	Burdwan	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 0 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	6 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0
3	Midnapore	...	...	...	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	...	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 8 0 Black mustard. Rapseed.	5 8 0 5 4 0	7 0 0 6 0 0
4	Patna	2 10 0	2 8 0	3 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	6 0 0 New
5	Muzaffarpur	2 11 6	2 10 0	4 3 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur	2 11 0	2 14 0	4 3 0	4 14 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	5 15 0	4 2 0 Mustard. Rapseed	5 12 0 4 8 0	6 0 6 0
7	Cuttack	...	...	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 9 0	...	...	...	6 13 0	6 13 0	...
8	Sambalpur	...	...	...	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 4 0	...	...	...	4 8 0	5 8	...
9	Ranohi	...	...	...	5 12 0 to 8 0 0	5 5 0 to 8 0 0	5 10 0 to 8 0 0	...	5 0 0	10 0 0	5 8 0	...	...

the undermentioned Mats of Bengal on the 28th February 1909.

FORTY STANDARD SEERS.

BARLEY (<i>Hordeum vulgare</i>).			JUAR OR CHOLU (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>).			BAJRA OR COMBU (<i>Pennisetum typhoides</i>).			MAHUA OR RAGI (<i>Azizium sorocana</i>).			GRAM, CHANA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer arietinum</i>).			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
3 0 0	3 0 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	2 10 0	3 0 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 12 0	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0 to 5 0 0	4 12 0 to 5 0 0	4 12 0 to 5 4 0	3
2 8 0	2 5 0	3 12 0	...	...	4 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 8 0	4 4 0	4
3 5 3	3 5 3	3 1 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 0 0	5
2 11 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 8 0	6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 5 7	4 5 7	4 5 4	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	8
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	9

TIL OR JINJILI SEED.			SUGAR (RAW).			COTTON (CLEANED)			JUTE.			No.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
5 4 0	5 2 0	6 6 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	1
...	...	...	5 14 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
...	...	...	{ 7 0 0 to 7 8 0 }	7 12 0	{ 6 0 0 to 5 4 0 3 12 0 to 4 8 0 3 10 0 }	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...	3
5 4 0	5 8 0	New. 6 8 0	4 0 0	4 8 0	...	18 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	...	...	{ 4 0 0 to 6 0 0 }	4
...	...	...	3 10 0	8 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 4 0	9 0 0	19 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...	6
...	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 3 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	7
...	5 0 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	8
...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	9

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., in

Number.	MARKTS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.						HIDES (COW)			GRASS.		
		GHI (CLARIFIED BUTTER).			TOBACCO LEAF.			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.						
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta	40 0 0	41 0 0	43 0 0	8 0 0	8 4 0	8 0 0	100 0 0	10 0 0	100 0 0	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 4 0
2	Burdwan	35 0 0	35 0 0	40 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Midnapore	37 0 0	37 0 0	38 0 0	13 8 0	13 8 0	9 4 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...
		to	to	to	to	to	to	to	to	to	to	to	to
		39 0 0	40 0 0	44 0 0	15 0 0	14 12 0	10 10 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	...	...	...
	
4	Patna	30 0 0	32 0 0	36 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	...	...	38 0 0	...	...	0 7 0
5	Muzaffarpur	30 7 6	30 7 6	37 10 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur	32 0 0	33 0 0	42 8 0	10 8 0	11 0 0	12 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Cuttack	47 9 0	47 9 0	47 9 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
8	Sambalpur	34 8 0	34 8 0	39 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	...	...	...
9	Rajshahi	33 0 0	35 0 0	40 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
		to	to	to	to	to	to	to	to	to	to	to	to

Number.	MARKETS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF											
		FIREWOOD.			SALT.			BUOONA.			BRAN.		
1	Calcutta	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	1 0 6	1 9 6	1 10 0	1 14 0	2 0 0		2 13 0	2 11 0	
2	Burdwan	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	1 12 0	1 12 8	1 12 0	Not available			3 7 0	3 6 0	
3	Midnapore	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	Not available			0 6 0	0 6 0	
					1 12 0	Crushed.	1 12 0						
4	Patna	0 8 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 2 0	1 2 0		1 14 0	1 14 0	
5	Muzaffarpur	0 5 8	0 5 3	0 5 3	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 6	0 10 6	0 8 0		3 10 0	3 10 0	
6	Bhagalpur	0 6 3	0 6 3	0 6 0	1 15 6	1 14 3	1 14 7	0 8 0	0 8 0		2 4 0	2 4 0	
7	Cuttack	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	Not sold.			0 10 0		
8	Sambalpur	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	Not sold.					
9	Rajshahi	0 4 5	0 4 6	0 5 3	2 4 0	2 8 0	2 3 0	2 8 0	2 0 0				

the undermentioned *Marts* of Bengal on the 28th February 1909—concl'd.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEEDS.			MARTS.	Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
0 10 0	0 10 0	0 14 0	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	Calcutta	1
0 6 0	0 5 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	Burdwan	2
0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	Midnapore	3
0 12 0	0 12 0	0 6 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	3 0 0 to 5 0 0	Patna	4
...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	10 0 0	Muzaffarpur	5
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	Bhagalpur	6
0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	Cuttack	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sambalpur	8
0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	...	...	...	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 11 0	Ranchi	9

FORTY STANDARD SEEDS.

PRICE PER ANIMAL.

OATS.			KEROSENE OIL.			SLAUGHTER CATTLE.			MARTS.	Number.
3 12 0	4 8 0	...	Per case. 4 4 0	4 4 0	...	Cow. 42 0 0	42 0 0	...	Calcutta	1
Not available	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Calf. 6 0 0	6 0 0	...	Burdwan	2
5 0 0	4 14 0	...	4 9 0 to 4 14 0	4 9 0 to 4 14 0	...	Full grown. 8 0 0 to 12 0 0	8 0 0 to 12 0 0	...	Midnapore	3
Not sold	...	...	4 4 0	4 3 0	...	Goat and sheep. 3 0 0 to 5 0 0	3 0 0 to 5 0 0	...	Patna	4
4 7 0	4 7 0	...	Per tin. 2 0 0	2 0 0	...	Buffalo Not sold.	...	...	Muzaffarpur	5
0	4 5 0	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Calf Not sold.	...	...	Bhagalpur	6
5 1 4	...	...	7 8 0	7 8 0	...	Full grown. 15 0 0 to 30 0 0	15 0 0 to 30 0 0	...	Cuttack	7
...	...	...	Per case. 4 3 0 to 6 14 0	4 3 0 to 6 14 0	...	Cow. Rs. 10 to Rs. 20.	Rs. 10 to Rs. 20.	...	Sambalpur	8
...	...	...	Per case. 5 6 0 to 7 0 0	4 8 0 to 7 0 0	...	Calf. Rs. 2 to Rs. 10.	Rs. 2 to Rs. 10.	...	Ranchi	9

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Major Works for the month of January 1909, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

CANALS.	1908-09.						1907-08.					
	WEIGHT OF CARGO.			RAFFS.			TOLLAGE.			WEIGHT OF CARGO.		
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	C. ft.	U. ft.	Rs.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	C. ft.	U. ft.	Rs.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
<i>Orissa Canals.</i>												
Taldanda Canal System ...	1,418	25,274	.....	120,856	333	8,241	3,727	23,856	53,080	120,856	1,239	7,908
Kendrapara ditto ...	5,758	35,606	2,634	139,045	5,984	27,214	5,927	29,848	8,343	136,411	3,780	23,230
High Level, Range { I II III	1,318	11,419	3,834	62,924	809	7,883	1,750	10,101	23,857	59,090	1,449	7,074
	464	4,952	6,282	28,050	141	1,224	655	4,488	1,464	21,768	131	1,083
	247	844	4,050	19,743	61	247	100	597	2,460	15,693	23	186
Jajpur Canal ...	123	2,239	1,500	33,460	16	429	260	2,116	1,230	31,960	36	413
Total Orissa Canals	9,328	80,334	18,300	404,078	5,344	45,238	12,419	71,006	91,084	385,778	6,658	39,894
Midnapore Canal ...	3,910	68,971	18,695	64,110	2,058	28,987	4,667	68,103	14,304	63,956	2,875	30,173
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	6,035	72,304	4,810	32,234	3,754	50,951	2,567	66,269	3,396	27,424	1,892	47,197
<i>Sone Canals.</i>												
Patna Canal System ...	563	4,768	37,111	422,261	607	5,253	536	9,495	60,168	671,481	541	11,354
ditto ...	31	1,525	27,624	713,293	291	3,510	131	1,879	34,063	934,144	316	4,570
ditto ...	324	1,375	.....	99,509	145	1,089	325	7,455	1,600	236,825	122	6,337
Canals ...	918	7,663	64,735	1,235,063	1,043	9,852	992	18,829	95,831	1,842,450	979	22,261
...	20,191	229,277	106,540	1,735,485	12,199	1,35,028	20,646	224,207	204,265	2,319,608	12,404	139,525

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

as approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Minor Works and Navigation for the month of January 1909, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous years.

CANALS.		1908-09.										1907-08.						
		WEIGHT OF CARGO.			RAFTS.			TOLLAGE.				WEIGHT OF CARGO.			RAFTS.		TOLLAGE.	
		During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	4	5	6	To end of the month.	During the month.	7	8	9	During the month.	To end of the month.	C. ft.	Rs.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13						
Calcutta and Eastern Canals	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.						
	57,260	373,219	1,180	19,892	36,032	2,49,283	64,353	404,405	1,124	25,553	39,865	2,69,859						
	22,009	195,791	220	19,857	9,209	68,171	18,208	185,285	1,781	27,172	6,677	59,010						
Madaripur Bhil Route	1,701	100,219	12	10,534	1,040	36,293	1,378	177,533	467	5,666	851	61,304						
Total	80,970	669,229	1,412	50,283	46,281	3,53,747	83,939	767,223	3,372	58,391	47,393	3,90,173						
Orissa Coast Canal	4,577	47,980	17,335	1	2,041	21,607	3,578	43,406	7,415	113,417	1,431	19,566						
Nadia Rivers	6,007	86,451	.....	201,327	2,115	23,719	6,367	129,131	330	183,639	2,274	31,355					
GRAND TOTAL	91,554	803,660	18,747	382,362	50,437	3,99,073	93,884	939,757	11,117	355,447	51,098	4,41,094						

CALCUTTA,

The 9th March 1909.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 6th March 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

NATURE OF CARGO.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 6TH MARCH 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 7TH MARCH 1908.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	520	2,18,370	3,404	618	1,83,415	3,008
Jute	93	53,750*	527	173	64,360†	952
Firewood	50	64,400	916	66	49,975	741
Other articles	702	1,95,840	2,578	884	2,64,921	3,315
Total	1,365	5,32,360	7,425	1,741	5,62,671	8,011

* Weight by canal measurement, 58,812½ maunds.
Ditto ditto, 75,675 ..

CALCUTTA,
The 8th March 1909.

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Vital Statistics of Towns in Bengal with a population of 20,000 and over during the month of December 1908.

Towns.	Population under registra- tion.	BIRTHS.		CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.		DIARRHEA AND DYSENTERY.		INFLU.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES.		AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTHS OF PRE- VIOUS FIVE YEARS.		REMARKS.
		Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
1. Burdwan	35,985	31	17.59	1	2.4	...	...	...	...	33	17.16	5	1.62	...	...	...	...	...	...	147	49.92	
2. Bankura	20,737	43	24.24	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	19.12	4	2.28	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	20.16	
3. Midnapore	55,140	91	28.88	...	...	...	...	...	...	63	19.08	17	6.19	...	...	...	...	...	...	131	43.50	
4. Hooghly and Chinsura	39,383	73	20.60	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	25.16	27	10.99	...	...	...	...	...	...	113	46.08	
5. Burdwan	44,451	84	25.39	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	17.76	24	6.72	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	26.88	
6. Howrah	137,934	836	26.44	12	2.4	...	...	...	...	914	18.43	84	4.08	...	...	...	...	...	...	477	20.24	
7. Calcutta	40,750	80	14.64	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	3.48	3	0.84	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	5.88	
8. Manikgala	82,387	83	34.44	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	8.79	5	1.80	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	19.48	
9. South Sibirubas	26,374	61	23.16	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	6.72	3	0.84	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	17.98	
10. Garden Reach	28,311	67	23.44	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	8.04	2	0.90	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	15.72	
11. Baranagore	35,433	87	26.88	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	9.36	2	0.84	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	15.72	
12. Bhakara	31,440	86	27.08	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	14.40	2	0.84	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	15.72	
13. Calcutta	84,156	1,900	27.44	46	6.0	...	...	...	...	24	17.64	301	3.76	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,203	31.08	
14. Krishnagar	31,440	35	17.59	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	17.64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	14.64	
15. Santipur	26,536	70	31.90	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	15.60	1	0.36	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	21.36	
16. Berhampore	24,387	57	45.79	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	19.79	3	1.44	...	...	...	...	...	...	49	24.09	
17. Patna City	131,091	280	28.20	...	...	...	...	...	...	89	8.64	23	3.16	...	...	...	...	...	...	204	25.68	
18. Bihar	45,063	64	27.04	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	3.12	3	1.32	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	19.72	
19. Dinapore, Niamut	71,418	103	28.20	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	3.12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	8.16	
20. Gaya	40,170	78	20.16	...	...	...	...	...	...	147	24.60	13	1.92	...	...	...	...	...	...	238	39.96	
21. Arrah	33,644	103	28.20	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	8.76	1	0.24	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	10.56	
22. Sasaram	45,901	103	28.20	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	6.00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	20.28	
23. Bettiah	24,066	63	26.39	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	7.20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	87	29.68	
24. Munshargarh	45,617	103	28.20	...	...	...	...	...	...	57	9.72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	13.68	
25. Rajpur	21,394	23	45.36	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	5.04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	91	23.88	
26. Darbhanga	35,580	148	47.40	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	5.04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	24.60	
27. Monghyr	76,760	130	30.83	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	6.00	10	3.24	...	...	...	...	...	...	177	27.36	
28. Cuttack	51,864	118	27.48	...	...	...	...	...	...	72	11.40	4	0.60	...	...	...	...	...	...	82	27.36	
29. Balasore	20,880	29	27.48	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	13.20	10	3.72	...	...	...	...	...	...	124	19.56	
30. Puri	49,334	43	19.44	...	...	...	...	...	...	74	17.88	14	3.36	...	...	...	...	...	...	117	27.36	
31. Ranchi	23,810	86	45.33	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	19.00	2	0.96	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	11.04	
Total of all towns with a population of 20,000 and over	3,322,870	4,830	26.28	114	6.0	174	6.4	28	8.4	1,569	8.40	437	9.59	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,361	27.24	
Average of correspond- ing month of previous year	...	4,914	26.59	713	3.06	63	2.4	499	9.64	2,454	13.20	844	4.44	7,600	20.92	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
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FOR BENGAL,

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Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

**Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 28th
February to 6th March 1909.**

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	TEMPERATURE.				HYGROMETRY.				WIND.		Rains.	WEATHER.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1909.				Algoes.						Inches.		%			Inches.	
Feb.	28th	141.5	9.1	29.938	76.1	91.6	29.1	62.5	62.8	0.389	52.0	40	N by W and NNW	78	Nil	Clear.
March	1st	139.0	9.1	902	77.3	92.3	23.2	64.1	62.2	.377	51.1	42	WNW and NNW	85	Nil	Clear.
"	2nd	143.1	9.0	899	76.9	92.7	29.9	62.8	61.7	.355	49.5	44	SW by S, NW and W by S.	137	Nil	Clear.
"	3rd	141.7	8.9	914	74.8	91.8	32.2	59.6	60.0	.332	47.6	46	SW by S and NW.	106	Nil	Clear, P.
"	4th	139.3	8.9	863	73.3	91.8	35.3	56.5	60.2	.352	49.2	47	WSW and W	76	Nil	Clear, P.
"	5th	149.1	8.9	838	77.5	95.7	34.6	61.1	65.2	.481	57.8	55	SSW, W and WSW.	140	Nil	Chiefly clear, P.
"	6th	143.2	8.7	844	81.7	96.0	26.9	69.1	70.3	.614	64.7	63	SW and variable	142	Nil	Chiefly clear, P, W.

The mean pressure of the seven days Inches.
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 29.885
... .. 29.860

The total number of hours of bright sunshine Hours
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine 62.6
... .. 81.9

The mean temperature of the seven days 76.8
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 77.6
The extreme variation of temperature 39.5
The maximum temperature 96.0

The highest velocity of the wind in one hour Miles.
... .. 16
The mean relative humidity %
... .. 49
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 68

The total fall of rain from 28th February to 6th March 1909 Inches.
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office Nil
... .. 0.65
The total fall from 1st January to 6th March 1909 0.10
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 2.05

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Kundsen's Barograph and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet from the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

Hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beekley's anemograph.

The height of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for the 24 hours ending at 8 A.M. of that day.

☁, dew ; ≡, fog.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th February 1909 on 2,292.37 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	904,228	6,24,120 0 0	60,99,697 0	11,26,780 0 0	47,206 0 0	17,98,176 0 0	166,303	225,276	393,578
Or per mile of railway ...	...	272 4 2	...	491 8 7	20 9 11	784 6 8	...	...	...
For previous 67 weeks of half-year ...	8,223,372	30,82,377 0 0	4,46,93,691 0	71,04,604 0 0	3,04,861 0 0	1,64,91,742 0 0	1,039,071	1,336,264	2,375,335
Total for 77 weeks ...	3,827,598	37,06,397 0 0	5,16,92,388 0	82,31,393 0 0	3,52,127 0 0	1,22,99,917 0 0	1,206,373	1,561,537	2,767,910
COMPARISONS.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	587,955	5,55,293 6 3	76,82,960 0	12,51,244 14 3	43,822 14 2	16,50,361 2 8	164,675	215,131	380,806
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	242 12 10	...	547 1 7	19 2 7	809 1 0	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 77 weeks of previous year ...	4,020,460	38,92,401 10 8	5,46,05,580 30	88,72,662 11 0	3,11,774 13 7	1,30,76,842 3 3	1,335,643	1,981,407	2,917,050

(a) The increase is due to "Sivaratree" festival.

(b) The decrease is chiefly in rice from Burma in the corresponding period of 1908.

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,292.37	First 9 days of Jan. ...	593,653	5,75,716	91,60,173	14,45,222	58,060	20,79,007	907	477,243	4 5 8
2,293.37	Week ended 16th " ...	490,312	4,45,370	60,91,733	11,01,564	48,409	15,95,645	680	371,129	4 4 9
2,294.37	" " 23rd " ...	540,621	5,23,048	71,58,738	11,54,635	47,562	17,24,235	752	378,123	4 0 0
2,295.37	" " 30th " ...	529,858	5,27,544	72,21,231	10,89,491	53,892	16,72,927	730	373,913	4 6 5
2,296.37	" " 6th Feb. ...	535,813	4,80,000	70,90,111	11,41,554	47,273	16,72,487	730	382,481	4 6 0
2,297.37	" " 13th " ...	534,137	5,31,039	74,20,715	11,69,116	47,246	17,47,481	762	385,440	4 8 6
2,298.37	" " 20th " ...	604,228	6,24,120	69,99,697	11,30,739	47,206	17,98,176	784	424,023	4 3 10
	Totals up to date ...	3,837,598	37,06,397	5,16,92,388	82,31,393	3,52,127	1,22,99,917	730	2,708,360	4 6 3

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—continued.

1908

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,287.05	First 11 days of Jan. ...	593,653	5,75,716	91,60,173	14,45,222	58,060	20,79,007	1,117	596,113	4 5 8
2,287.05	Week ended 14th " ...	490,312	4,45,370	60,91,733	11,01,564	48,409	15,95,645	687	376,073	4 5 9
2,287.05	" " 23rd " ...	540,621	5,23,048	71,58,738	11,54,635	47,562	17,24,235	713	390,250	4 3 7
2,287.05	" " 30th " ...	529,858	5,27,544	72,21,231	10,89,491	53,892	16,72,927	730	390,203	4 13 3
2,287.05	" " 6th Feb. ...	535,813	4,80,000	70,90,111	11,41,554	47,273	16,72,487	730	385,803	4 11 4
2,287.05	" " 13th " ...	534,137	5,31,039	74,20,715	11,69,116	47,246	17,47,481	762	393,622	4 10 0
2,287.05	" " 20th " ...	604,228	6,24,120	69,99,697	11,30,739	47,206	17,98,176	809	399,806	4 10 7
	Totals up to date ...	3,837,598	37,06,397	5,16,92,388	82,31,393	3,52,127	1,22,99,917	755	2,917,050	4 7 9

TAREKSSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th February 1909, on 22.21 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	55,835	(a) 14,155 0 0	19,472 0	850 0 0	9 0 0	15,044 0 0	1,625	159	
Or per mile of railway ...	...	637 5 2	...	38 4 4	0 6 6	676 0 0	...	...
For previous 67 weeks of half-year ...	165,972	38,504 0 0	19,735 0	4,862 0 0	45 0 0	41,411 0 0	8,843	1,003	
Total for 77 weeks ...	211,807	50,660 0 0	1,19,207 0	5,712 0 0	54 0 0	56,425 0 0	9,468	1,162	
COMPARISONS.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	33,136	8,052 15 3	32,219 0	912 13 0	6 12 0	9,032 8 3	1,21		
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	362 4 1	...	44 10 7	0 4 10	407 8 6			
Total for corresponding 77 weeks of previous year ...	239,631	28,315 14 0	1,19,782 0	6,070 10 0	53 13 9	64,440 5 0			

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—concluded.

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
22'21	First 9 days of Jan. ...	27,659	6,549	12,900	607	8	7,163	323	1,963	3 10 3
22'21	Week ended 16th " ...	24,766	5,937	12,170	496	6	6,529	297	1,476	3 11 11
22'21	" " 23rd " ...	23,552	5,301	10,444	770	7	6,078	274	1,976	4 1 11
22'21	" " 30th " ...	23,583	5,002	23,644	1,575	7	6,584	296	1,570	4 2 4
22'21	" " 6th Feb. ...	28,415	8,200	16,171	603	8	9,871	399	1,470	6 0 2
22'21	" " 13th " ...	27,697	6,431	18,304	751	9	7,191	324	1,470	4 13 11
22'21	" " 20th " ...	25,836	14,135	19,472	850	9	15,014	676	1,784	8 6 8
	Totals up to date ...	2,11,807	50,659	1,18,207	5,712	54	50,425	349	11,130	5 1 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded.

1908.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
22'23	First 11 days of Jan. ...	32,463	7,903	26,048	1,049	9	8,961	403	2,378	3 12 4
22'23	Week ended 18th " ...	21,907	4,603	13,822	379	10	4,994	225	1,498	3 5 4
22'23	" " 25th " ...	22,720	5,058	28,804	982	10	6,043	272	1,498	4 0 7
22'23	" " 1st Feb. ...	40,013	10,477	20,135	847	1	11,323	509	1,780	6 3 10
22'23	" " 8th " ...	37,813	16,164	20,135	847	11	17,023	796	2,008	8 3 5
22'23	" " 15th " ...	36,779	6,054	39,019	974	6	7,038	317	1,426	4 11 3
22'23	" " 22nd " ...	35,134	8,053	32,249	982	7	9,032	477	1,434	6 5 0
	Totals up to date ...	233,831	58,310	1,79,782	6,070	54	64,440	383	12,173	5 4 8

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th February 1909 on 162'36 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Actual traffic for the week ...	25,401	Rs. A. P. 18,405 0 0	Mds. S. 2,82,808 0	Rs. A. P. 19,039 0 0	Rs. A. P. 40 0 00	Rs. A. P. 38,084 0 0	12,138	5,325	17,663
Per mile of railway ...	143,055	113 5 9	16,04,098 0	120 15 4	0 4 0	234 9 1	78,421	35,329	103,750
or previous 6½ weeks of half-year ...	168,546	1,14,642 0 0	10,04,098 0	1,10,894 0 0	321 0 0	2,25,067 0 0	80,563	33,004	113,567
Total for 7½ weeks ...	168,546	1,33,047 0 0	18,87,906 0	1,30,333 0 0	361 0 0	2,63,741 0 0	90,563	33,004	123,567
COMPARISON.									
Actual for corresponding week of previous year.	28,591	20,403 10 10	2,19,444 0	21,138 11 0	48 1 6	4	11,489	5,220	16,709
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	174,348	125 10 9	13,04,098 0	130 3 1	0 4	0	78,421	35,329	103,750
Actual for corresponding 7½ weeks of previous year.	190,468	1,27,826 0 2	19,50,797 30	1,38,692 3 0	419 1	2,79,103 3 0	88,758	39,604	128,362

1909

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
162'36	First 9 days of Jan. ...	28,730	15,550	3,03,743	21,090	80	36,720	228	21,173	1 11 9
162'36	Week ended 16th " ...	22,350	20,818	2,57,939	18,994	60	39,773	246	16,065	2 7 9
162'36	" " 23rd " ...	25,178	22,532	2,30,351	17,716	57	40,105	247	16,212	2 7 6
162'36	" " 30th " ...	19,134	17,593	2,09,201	17,136	50	33,778	208	16,301	2 1 4
162'36	" " 6th Feb. ...	23,650	20,212	2,56,976	16,720	34	36,960	228	17,060	2 2 5
162'36	" " 13th " ...	26,107	19,138	2,31,488	19,034	40	38,210	235	17,003	2 4 0
162'36	" " 20th " ...	25,491	18,405	2,82,808	19,649	40	38,084	235	17,503	2 2 10
	Totals up to date ...	168,546	1,33,047	18,87,906	1,30,333	361	2,63,741	323	121,353	2 3 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded.

1908.

	No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
1st day of Jan. ...	38,141	22,380	3,54,570	26,451	104	48,944	371	25,451	1 14 9	
18th " ...	22,823	15,731	2,80,203	16,443	50	31,824	196	17,138	1 13 9	
5th Feb. ...	25,809	10,509	3,30,313	19,838	67	36,793	227	18,201	2 0 4	
12th Feb. ...	25,193	16,900	2,47,093	19,031	60	36,059	222	17,108	2 1 9	
19th Feb. ...	25,703	18,000	2,74,251	18,135	65	36,806	227	16,040	2 2 0	
26th Feb. ...	20,118	17,328	2,75,384	17,403	51	34,341	215	16,800	2 1 1	
5th Mar. ...	24,591	20,404	2,19,444	21,138	48	41,590	235	16,702	2 7 10	
	190,468	1,27,826	19,50,798	1,38,693	419	2,69,037	217	128,362	3 1 3	

SUPPLEMENT TO THE CALCUTTA GAZETTE, MARCH 10, 1909.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 20th February 1909 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	108,500	Rs. 78,000 0 0	Mds. 2,62,000 0	Rs. 33,000 0 0	Rs. 2,500 0 0	Rs. 1,15,500 0 0	14,730	10,311	25,041
Or per mile of railway ...	141'28	101'56	330 82	45'40	3'29	150'20	19'18	20'05	44'23
For previous 7 weeks of half-year ...	446,500	2,97,500 0 0	22,68,000 0	2,60,500 0 0	32,500 0 0	5,50,500 0 0	80,611	119,837	200,508
Total for 8 weeks ...	555,000	3,65,500 0 0	25,30,000 0	3,01,500 0 0	35,000 0 0	7,05,000 0 0	104,341	139,208	243,549
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	70,845	48,951 0 0	2,78,854 0	44,082 0 0	4,235 0 0	97,248 0 0	18,640	21,440	38,080
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	92 27	63 75	361 68	57 14	5 40	126 33	21 67	27 83	49 40
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	529,675	3,64,820 0 0	19,19,801 0	2,84,958 0 0	30,295 0 0	6,79,073 0 0	120,685	149,239	269,924

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 20TH FEBRUARY 1909.			RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 22ND FEBRUARY 1908			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1908 TO 20TH FEBRUARY 1909.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1907 TO 22ND FEBRUARY 1908.			Total increase in 1909.	Total decrease in 1909.
Mean-mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean-mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean-mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean-mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
771	Rs. 1,15,500	Rs. 150'20	771	Rs. 97,248	Rs. 126'38	771	Rs. 41,83,015	...	771	Rs. 43,20,571	...	.....	Rs. 1,45,956

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 20th February 1909 on 1,791 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week on 1,791 miles open ...	565,250	Rs. 1,40,170	Mds. 13,00,310	Rs. 2,04,470	Rs. 21,970	Rs. 3,72,010	57,827	(b) 48,867	106,694
Or per mile of railway ...	204'22	81'61	726'02	114'17	12 27	208'05	.....	.....	.....
For previous 67 weeks of half-year ...	1,924,740	8,06,600	60,40,990	11,16,280	1,24,700	20,47,560	360,080	302,100	668,180
Total for 77 weeks ...	2,290,400	9,69,770	82,50,290	13,20,730	1,46,670	24,20,170	423,307	350,967	774,274
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,778 miles open ...	215,106	1,41,876	13,44,830	1,08,852	21,623	3,05,351	57,971	(c) 40,62	...
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year ...	104'13	81'28	756 36	111'84	12 16	205'48	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	2,337,468	10,74,246	92,08,847	12,03,617	1,66,473	25,34,336	440,145	.....	.....
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week ...	...	2'53	...	4'18	3	3'49	...	...	...
Ratio for corresponding week of previous year ...	...	2'54	...	3'00	20	3'42	...	...	...

(a) Decrease in weight with increase in amount due to long lead traffic under local.
 (b) Includes 6,400 miles of ballast trains.
 (c) Includes 2,400 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th February 1909 on 1,379 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	598,780	2,13,090 0 0	1,705,890 0	2,43,730 0 0	23,100 0 0	4,79,920 0 0	78,689	(b) 43,182	1,21,871
Or per mile of railway ...	434	155 0 0	1,237 0	177 0 0	(a) 1 0 0	(a) 33 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year ...	2,908,800	12,93,070 0 0	12,566,890 0	18,56,970 0 0	2,06,300 0 0	33,53,340 0 0	477,470	314,174	791,644
Total for 8 weeks ...	3,507,580	15,06,160 0 0	14,272,780 0	21,00,700 0 0	2,29,400 0 0	38,33,260 0 0	575,539	357,356	932,895
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	622,951	2,23,331 0 0	1,485,446 0	2,04,728 0 0	23,193 0 0	4,51,855 0 0	76,420	35,849	112,269
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,274 miles) ...	489	176 0 0	1,166 0	163 0 0	2 0 0	358 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	4,195,857	18,39,038 0 0	13,201,018 0	16,55,530 0 0	1,89,719 0 0	37,14,253 0 0	603,294	317,775	921,069

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 21,100.

(b) Excluding ballast train-miles, 9,441.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th February 1909 on 86 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	49,670	15,530 0 0	60,650 0	4,709 0 0	60 0 0	20,299 0 0	5,654	(a) 1,314	7,000
Or per mile of railway ...	578	180 0 0	705 0	55 0 0	1 0 0	239 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year ...	230,150	98,610 0 0	538,270 0	42,010 0 0	1,000 0 0	1,11,610 0 0	35,551	10,179	45,730
Total for 8 weeks ...	289,820	1,14,140 0 0	602,920 0	46,740 0 0	1,060 0 0	1,61,910 0 0	41,205	12,123	53,328
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	47,531	13,729 0 0	109,461 0	7,842 0 0	79 0 0	14,630 0 0	5,656	1,204	6,860
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	553	160 0 0	1,273 0	91 0 0	1 0 0	170 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	247,863	1,07,992 0 0	771,650 0	65,703 0 0	1,240 0 0	1,19,935 0 0	35,362	13,316	48,678

(a) Ballast train-miles, Nil.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th February 1909 on 336 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	8,870	1,690 0 0	19,060 0	1,933 0 0	10 0 0	3,630 0 0	430	(a) 1,000	1,430
Or per mile of railway ...	115	50 0 0	567 0	58 0 0	.....	108 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year ...	27,110	11,800 0 0	129,870 0	11,980 0 0	60 0 0	23,340 0 0	2,776	9,172	11,948
Total for 8 weeks ...	36,980	13,490 0 0	148,930 0	13,910 0 0	70 0 0	26,970 0 0	3,206	10,172	13,378
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	5,410	2,016 0 0	14,013 0	1,891 0 0	11 0 0	3,918 0 0	421	1,100	1,521
Or per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	161	60 0 0	536 0	56 0 0	1 0 0	117 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	33,568	12,973 0 0	164,343 0	14,329 0 0	80 0 0	27,352 0 0	3,316	11,272	14,588

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 700.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 30th February 1909 on 54 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	30,388	Rs. A. P. 5,310 0 0	Mds. S. 31,870 0	Rs. A. P. 1,020 0 0	Rs. A. P. 20 0 0	Rs. A. P. 5,150 0 0	2,032	(a) 402	2,434
Or per mile of railway ...	575	115 0 0	618 0	38 0 0	.....	151 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year ...	115,490	33,440 0 0	4,37,010 0	25,150 0 0	180 0 0	53,770 0 0	12,389	4,919	18,308
Total for 8 weeks ...	135,750	38,650 0 0	4,68,387 0	27,070 0 0	200 0 0	66,920 0 0	15,441	5,381	20,768
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	19,350	5,005 0 0	33,350 0	2,005 0 0	24 0 0	7,034 0 0	2,082	545	2,626
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	356	93 0 0	618 0	37 0 0	.....	130 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	135,651	31,840 0 0	2,51,207 0	17,495 0 0	-2,327 0 0	44,975 0 0	16,183	3,913	20,036

(a) Ballast train-miles, nil.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th February 1909 on 1,379 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	531,170	Rs. A. P. 2,10,920 0 0	Mds. S. 2,323,750 0	Rs. A. P. 3,00,630 0 0	Rs. A. P. 71,980 0 0	Rs. A. P. 5,69,370 0 0	75,158	(b) 81,805	156,963
Or per mile of railway ...	385	157 0 0	2,047 0	318 0 0	(a) 37 0 0	(a) 412 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year ...	3,407,530	15,03,160 0 0	14,212,780 0	21,00,700 0 0	2,29,460 0 0	38,33,260 0 0	553,580	327,380	920,850
Total for 9 weeks ...	4,038,700	17,14,080 0 0	17,935,530 0	24,01,230 0 0	2,01,220 0 0	44,32,370 0 0	628,638	437,145	1,072,833
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	609,223	2,072 0 0	(c) 2,306,184 0	2,09,167 0 0	68,357 0 0	5,60,596 0 0	75,158	67,293	145,803
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,374 miles) ...	443	15 0 0	2,695 0	309 0 0	41 0 0	427 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	4,500,000	16,607,202 0	19,51,702 0 0	2,58,077 0 0	42,74,839 0 0	680,604	385,168	1,065,772	.....

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 21,100.
 Includes ballast train-miles, 38,285, and earnings, Rs. 30,000.
 (b) Includes weights for adjustments at end of month.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th February 1909 on 86 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	35,960	Rs. A. P. 13,740 0 0	Mds. S. 65,390 0	Rs. A. P. 5,920 0 0	Rs. A. P. 150 0 0	Rs. A. P. 19,710 0 0	5,658	(a) 1,744	7,402
Or per mile of railway ...	418	159 0 0	760 0	68 0 0	2 0 0	229 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year ...	348,820	1,14,140 0 0	592,920 0	45,740 0 0	1,000 0 0	1,61,940 0 0	41,308	12,843	54,151
Total for 9 days ...	384,780	1,27,880 0 0	658,220 0	53,680 0 0	1,200 0 0	1,81,680 0 0	46,966	14,087	61,053
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	39,045	14,310 0 0	156,410 0	4,254 0 0	1,415 0 0	23,980 0 0	5,658	.....	.....
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	461	180 0 0	1,819 0	96 0 0	17 0 0	279 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	387,508	1,22,302 0 0	928,080 0	63,963 0 0	2,636 0 0	1,88,921 0 0	49,566

(a) Includes ballast train-miles, 400.



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FIRST FORECAST OF THE SPRING OILSEED CROPS OF BENGAL, 1908-09.

The following note is published for general information.

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Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 4th January 1909.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

FIRST FORECAST OF THE SPRING OILSEED CROPS OF BENGAL. 1908-09.

On an average of the five years ending 1904-07, the areas under linseed and rape and mustard in the territory to which this forecast relates have represented some 22.5 and 22.5 per cent respectively, of the total area under those crops in British India.

Under orders of the Government of Bengal, the first forecasts of the Spring oilseed crops are to be made on the 20th December, the second on the 1st March and the third on the 15th May.

- The first forecast now being issued deals with estimates of the area sown up to date with all kinds of oilseeds excepting *sesamum* for which four separate forecasts will be published.

- 2. *Area sown.*—Oilseeds of different kinds are grown chiefly in Bihar and in the Presidency and Chota Nagpur Divisions. The total area sown up to now, this year, with them, *til* excepted, is estimated at 1,538,300 acres against 1,403,100 acres estimated as the area last year. The normal area under the crops is returned as 2,170,100 acres. Sowings still continue in Purnea. The full normal area could not be sown owing to the drought that prevailed since the second week of October.

3. *Character of the season and the general condition of the crops*—In September, the rainfall was below the average. In the first week of October, good showers were received all over the Province, but since then there has been little or no rain. Sowings began as early as September, but the absence of rain since October hindered the progress of sowings and also affected the growth of the crops in several districts. The general condition of the crops is, in most districts, still reported to be fair, but rain is yet badly wanted. Prospects are reported to be poor in parts of Burdwan, Nadia, Jessore, Khulna, Patna, Darbhanga and Purnea.

N. N. BANERJEE,

For Offg. Director of Agriculture,
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CALCUTTA,

The 10th December 1908.

First Harvest of Spring Oilseed Crops of Bengal, 1908-09.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
District.	Total area of the district.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Approximate normal area of spring oilseeds.	Approximate area sown last year (1907-08) under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area sown this year (1908-09) under spring oilseeds.	Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Brief remarks regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing this year was early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
Jurdwan	1,721,500	1,584,900	Linseed Rape and mustard. Other oilseeds (excepting <i>til</i>). Total ...	Acres. 22,500 24,100 1,500 46,100	Acres. 11,500 10,800 1,400 23,500	Acres. 15,900 18,600 1,100 35,600	October ... Do. ... Do. ...	Sowings were slightly late for want of rain in October. Rainfall conditions were not very favourable at the sowing season, and the area sown has been less than the normal. The present condition of the crops is fair except in the Kiswa Subdivision.	
Birbhum	1,151,500	784,700	Linseed Rape and mustard. Other oilseeds (excepting <i>til</i>). Total ...	Acres. 800 2,800 200 3,800	Acres. 800 1,200 200 2,200	Acres. 800 1,000 170 1,970	Latter part of October and beginning of November.	Sowings were late for want of rain and the condition of the crops is poor.	

District.	Total area of the District.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Approximate normal area under spring oilseeds.	Approximate area sown last year (1907-08) under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area sown this year (1908-09) and 3 months.	Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Brief remarks regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing this year was early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Bankura	1,677,440	642,804	Linseed	1,000	800	800	20th October 1908	The weather was not favourable owing to the cessation of rain from the beginning of October. The condition of the crops is not very good. Sowings were commenced at the normal time.	
			Rape and mustard.	7,000	7,000	6,500	Ditto.		
			Other oilseeds (excepting til).	8,000	6,500	6,000	25th October 1908.		
			Total	16,000	14,300	14,800			
Midnapore.	3,319,040	9,190,000	Linseed	13,000	14,500	14,000	December and November 1908. In Tamluk not yet commenced, but the land has been prepared for sowing.	Sowings were late in some places and normal in others. Weather and rainfall conditions were not favourable. The condition of the crop is fairly good.	
			Rape and mustard.	31,000	28,500	26,000			
			Other oilseeds (excepting til).	14,500	11,400	11,500			
			Total	58,500	48,400	51,500			

Hooghly	761,210	442,949	Linseed	600	700	700	End of October,	Sowings were normal. A full crop may be expected if there be rain soon.
			Rape and mustard.	...	7,900	4,800	5,600		
			Other oilseeds (excepting fl.).	...	2,700	2,600	2,600		
			Total	...	11,400	8,100	8,900		
Howrah	224,490	250,600	Linseed	2,000	1,400	1,700	Beginning of October.	Sowings were normal. Rain is wanted for the growth of the crops. Their condition is fair at present.
			Rape and mustard.	...	2,300	1,000	1,000		
			Other oilseeds (excepting fl.).	...	100	100	100		
			Total	...	4,400	2,500	2,800		
24-Par. Ganges.	3,100,533	1,088,700	Linseed	1,600	400	600	Beginning of September to October.	Sowings of the crops were normal everywhere except in the Sadar Subdivision where they were early. The weather and rainfall conditions were favourable in the Barrackpore and Barasat Sub-Divisions, but unfavourable in the Basirhat and Sadar Sub-Divisions. The condition of the crops appear to be poor in Basirhat, fair in Barasat and good in the Sadar and Barrackpore Sub-Divisions.
			Rape and mustard.	...	1,600	500	900		
			Other oilseeds (excepting fl.).	...	300	...	300		
			Total	...	3,400	1,200	1,700		
Medinipur	1,737,000	1,800,000	Linseed	55,000	19,200	57,300	Beginning of September.	Sowings were normal. The weather and rainfall conditions were not favourable. More rain is wanted. The condition of the crops is generally favourable but poor in some places.
			Rape and mustard.	...	40,000	6,700	18,300		
			Other oilseeds (excepting fl.).	...	15,000	5,400	7,400		
			Total	...	110,000	31,300	83,000		

District.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Total area of the district.	Total area cultivated to be	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Approximate normal area under spring oilseeds.	Approximate area sown last year (1907-08) under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area sown this year (1908-09) under spring oilseeds.	Date at which sowing of crops was begun this year.	Brief remarks regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing this year was early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.	
Murshidabad.	1,371,520	935,500	Linseed	20,800	9,400	14,400	Beginning of October.	Sowings were normal. Want of rain affected the growth of the crops. The condition is fair at present.		
			Rape and mustard.	18,900	12,000	17,100				
			Other oilseeds (excepting the above).	8,700	5,100	4,000				
			Total	48,400	26,500	35,500				
Jessore.	1,471,113	1,191,000	Linseed	23,900	13,500	19,400	October Do. Do.	Sowings were normal. Conditions were not favourable for the growth of the crops owing to deficient rain. The crops are poor.		
			Rape and mustard.	51,400	15,400	24,700				
			Other oilseeds (excepting the above).	6,900	2,900	2,900				
			Total	97,000	36,900	46,900				

Khulna	2,043,016	970,000	Linseed ... Rape and mustard. Other oilseeds (excepting fit). Total ...	2,500 47,000 5,000 55,500	2,500 47,000 5,000 55,500	2,500 47,000 5,000 55,500	Sowings were early. The weather and rainfall conditions were not favourable for the growth of their crops. Their condition is not favourable.
				12,500 6,500 6,500 25,500	12,500 6,500 6,500 25,500	12,500 6,500 6,500 25,500	Sowings were normal. The weather and rainfall conditions were not favourable. The condition of the crops is generally poor.
				48,000 14,300 46,300 108,600	48,000 14,300 46,300 108,600	48,000 14,300 46,300 108,600	Sowings were normal. The weather was not quite favourable. There was no rain in October and November. The condition of the crops is fair so far.
Gaye	3,015,000	2,115,100	Linseed ... Rape and mustard. Other oilseeds (excepting fit). Total ...	21,700 17,000 7,900 46,600	21,700 17,000 7,900 46,600	21,700 17,000 7,900 46,600	The date of sowing was normal. The weather has been favourable so far, but more rain is wanted to improve their condition. At present the crops are fairly good.
				17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	
				17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	
Shahabud	2,800,523	1,043,600	Linseed ... Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (excepting fit). Total ...	17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	
				17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	
				17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	17,000 7,900 46,600 71,500	

District	Total area of the district.	Total area actually sown to be under cultivation.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Approximate normal area under spring oilseeds.	Approximate area sown last year (1907-08) under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area sown this year (1908-09) under spring oilseeds.	Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Brief remarks regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing this year was early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Barrackpore	1,711,886	1,387,300	Linseed " " Rape and mustard " " Other oilseeds (excepting fit). Total "	79,800 8,700 8,860 91,700	39,400 12,300 8,800 60,500	43,700 14,800 11,700 69,200	29th September 1908.	Sowings were normal. The weather has been fairly favourable but more rain is wanted. The condition of the crops is fair.	
Bankura	2,359,840	1,447,000	Linseed " " Rape and mustard " " Other oilseeds (excepting fit). Total "	63,800 19,800 1,100 84,900	48,000 14,400 1,000 63,400	38,200 9,800 2,200 50,200	Middle of October.	Sowings were normal. Good rain was received at the time of sowing which has been of great benefit to the crops. Their general condition at the Bankura Sub-Division is good and in the Barisal Sub-division fair.	
Isaiahpur	2,942,400	1,627,000	Linseed " " Rape and mustard " " Other oilseeds (excepting fit). Total "	41,200 7,400 6,000 54,600	41,200 7,400 6,000 54,600	50,000 13,000 6,200 69,200	1st week of October 1908.	The date of sowing was normal. Germination was defective to some extent owing to west winds and want of sufficient moisture. The condition of the crops is fair. Prospects would improve if there were rain in the near future.	

Darbhanga.	2,142,080	1,673,000	Linseed Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (excepting fl.). Total	171,000 46,300 5,600 232,900	93,700 47,300 7,300 148,300	70,700 28,000 6,000 104,700	Towards the end of September and in the beginning of October.	Sowings were normal in the Sadar and Samastipur Subdivisions and early in the Madhubani Subdivision. Rainfall conditions were not favourable. The condition of the crops is fair in the Samastipur Subdivision and poor in the Sadar and Madhubani Subdivisions.
Monghyr.	2,510,080	1,532,800	Linseed Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (excepting fl.). Total	22,900 32,300 38,600 94,800	23,300 50,500 14,500 87,600	19,000 15,700 12,700 50,400	October 1908.	Sowings were normal. Rain is badly wanted for the growth of the crops. Their condition up to date is fair.
Bhawalpur.	2,704,640	2,073,300	Linseed Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (excepting fl.). Total	60,000 75,000 17,600 152,600	65,000 68,000 14,700 187,700	33,900 62,800 14,500 120,200	Beginning of October 1908.	Sowings were normal on the whole. Want of moisture in the soil owing to inadequate rain in the last rainy season is hampering the proper growth of the crops. Their general condition is up to date fair.
Purnea.	3,104,183	1,604,400	Linseed Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (excepting fl.). Total	700 1,500 2,200 173,400	12,700 184,500 2,200 173,400	11,000 150,000 2,000 163,000	Middle of October.	Sowings were early in many places, normal in some and late in the rest. Agriculturists naturally expected rain in October but their hopes were frustrated. There has been no rain since the sowing season. In many localities, the seeds have not germinated for want of moisture in the soil. The condition of the crop is fair in localities where there is some moisture. In others, the condition is poor. Sowings are still going on in some places.
Darjeeling.	4,936	606,600	Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (excepting fl.). Total	7,000 ... 7,000	3,300 ... 3,300	3,400 300 3,600	15th October 1908. 15th July 1909.	Sowings were normal. The weather was favourable, and the condition of the crop is fair.

District	Total area of the district.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Approximate normal area under spring oilseeds.	Approximate area sown last year (1907-08) under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area sown this year (1908-09) under spring oilseeds.	Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Brief remarks regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing this year was early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Bonthal Parganas.	3,500,800	1,445,300	Linseed ... Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (excepting fit).	38,700 108,800 75,100	25,100 42,800 33,800	31,800 61,200 60,800	1st week of September.	Sowings were normal except in Godda. The weather and rainfall conditions were not favourable except in the Deoghar and Jamsira Subdivisions. The condition of the crop is fair except in the Rajmahal Subdivision.	
			Total ...	222,600	99,700	153,600			
	2,338,500	1,223,500	Linseed ... Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (excepting fit).	2,300 11,800 5,600	2,800 13,300 8,300	2,800 14,100 8,900			
			Total ...	10,700	25,000	25,900	Middle of October.	Sowings were normal this year. Weather and rainfall conditions were not favourable. The condition of the crops is fair.	
Balmore			Linseed ... Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (excepting fit).	100 7,000 2,400	100 6,000 2,400	100 7,000 2,400	24th October 1908.	The weather was not favourable, owing to want of rain. The general condition of the crops is not satisfactory. There was no rain at the time of sowing and after. Sowings were normal.	
			Total ...	9,500	8,300	9,500			
	1,354,300	932,200							

Angul and Khond. maia.	1,067,383	263,000	Rape and mustard { Other oilseeds (excepting fl).	6,370 2,700	1,500 1,000	4,000 800	October.	Sowings were late in Angul but early in the Khond. maia. Want of rain was felt at the time of sowing. The condition of the crops is poor. The figures in Columns 2, 3 and 5 have been taken from the Final Settlement Statistics.
			Total	8,000	2,500	4,800		
Parl	1,859,380	750,200	Linseed Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (ex- cepting fl).	800 2,800 4,000	1,800 1,300 6,400	1,000 1,100 6,100	1st October and November. 1st October and 1st October and November.	Sowings were normal. Rain was deficient. The condition of the crops is fair. The decrease in area is due to want of rain.
			Total	7,800	9,200	8,200		
Bambal par.	2,447,360	845,300	Linseed Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (ex- cepting fl).	400 500 500	(11) 200 100	(5) 500 500	2nd September 1st October Ditto.	The area given previously in Column 6 were only estimates but now actual areas have been given after careful checking. Weather conditions were favourable at the time of sowing but more rain is wanted now for the crops. The date of sowing was normal.
			Total	2,400	300	1,000		
Bazar bazar.	1,493,440	1,708,000	Linseed Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (ex- cepting fl).	13,800 28,400 84,000	2,800 12,500 9,000	11,400 24,800 25,400	September	Sowings were normal. The weather and rainfall conditions in the greater part of the district were unfavourable. The condition of the crop is fair.
			Total	93,600	24,300	63,700		

District	Total area in the district.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Approximate normal area under spring oilseeds.	Approximate area sown last year (1907-08) under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area sown this year (1908-09) under spring oilseeds.	Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Brief remarks regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing this year was early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
1.	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Ranchi...	4,561,920	1,500,000	Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (excepting fig).	5,700 41,700	9,000 30,000	5,700 41,700	Second week of September.	Sowings were normal. The weather was not very favourable. The crops are fairly good.	
		Total ..		47,400	39,000	47,400			
Palam...	3,114,960	637,000	Linseed Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (excepting fig).	16,000 16,000 3,300	1,000 1,000 300	1,300 3,500 3,300	First week of October 1908.	Sowings were normal. Rain would be beneficial now. The condition of the crops is fair.	
		Total ..		35,300	2,300	8,100			

District.	Approximate area under wheat, last year (1907-08) in acres.		Estimated area under wheat, this year (1908-09) in acres.		Date of which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crop and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Nadia	..	9,800	13,200	Beginning of October	...	Sowings were normal. The weather and rainfall conditions have not been favourable. The condition of the crop is generally fair but poor in some places.	
Murshidabad	..	16,600	53,900	End of September	...	Sowings were normal. The weather and rainfall conditions have not been favourable but the condition of the crop is fairly good now.	
Jessore	..	1,500	900	Middle of October	...	Sowings were normal. Rainfall conditions have not been favourable and the condition of the crop is fair.	
Palna	..	108,700	105,700	From October	...	Sowings were normal. Weather and rainfall conditions have not been generally favourable.	
Saiga	..	65,400	60,500	Second week of October	...	Sowings were generally normal. The weather and rainfall conditions were not favourable owing to absence of rain in October and November 1908. Insects have been very destructive and the land has had to be re-sown with wheat. The crops are in fairly good condition.	

First Forecast of the Wheat Crop of 1908-09.

District.	Approximate area under wheat last year (1907-08) in acres.	Estimated area under wheat this year (1908-09) in acres.	Date at which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crop and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bardwan	700	1,500	Middle of October to beginning of November.	Sowings were about normal. Weather and rainfall conditions were not favourable. Want of moisture is being felt. The area sown is for this reason below the normal. The condition of the crop is fair except in the Katwa subdivision where it is poor.	
Birbhum	1,000	1,100	Middle of November 1908	Sowings were late owing to the cessation of rain from October. The weather has not been favourable and the condition of the crop up to now is poor.	The report from Bankura has not yet been received in this office.
Bankura	3,000				
Midnapore	1,500	1,000	End of October and first week of November 1908.	Sowings were normal. The weather and rainfall conditions have not been favourable for the growth of the crop for want of rain. The condition of the crop is fair.	
Hooghly	1,700	1,700	First week of November 1908	Sowings were normal. The weather has been unfavourable owing to want of rain and the growth of the crop has been retarded. The general prospects of the crop are fair.	

FIRST FORECAST OF THE WHEAT CROP OF BENGAL FOR 1908-09.

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FIRST FORECAST OF THE WHEAT CROP OF BENGAL FOR 1908-09.

[On an average of five years ending 1906-07, the area under wheat in the territory, to which this forecast relates, has represented some 4.81 per cent. of the total area under wheat in India.]

The ratio of the irrigated wheat acreage (a) in British India and (b) in the territory now reported on has in the five years ending 1906-07 averaged (a) 33.1 per cent. and (b) 1.8 per cent. respectively.

Explanatory.—This is the first of the three forecasts of the wheat crop which are issued annually under the orders of Government. The present forecast deals with estimates of the areas sown up to now together with the general condition of the crop.

2. *Area sown.*—Wheat is chiefly cultivated in Bihar. The total area sown up to now is estimated at 1,179,800 acres against 1,003,100 acres estimated for the corresponding period last year. The increase in the area sown this year is due to the fact that most of the paddy fields in Bihar that were left fallow owing to drought have been sown with this crop. Sowings are still in progress in Champaran.

3. *Character of the season and the general condition of the crop.*—In September the rainfall was below the average. In the first week of October, showers were received all over the Province but since then the rains ceased. Sowings began early in September but the absence of rain since October hindered the progress of sowings and also affected the growth of the crop in many districts. In Bihar where the crop is most important, the prospects are reported to be fair in Shahabad, Saran, Champaran, Muzaffarpur, Monghyr, and on the *diara* lands of Bhagalpur as well as in parts of the Sonthal Parganas. But more rain is urgently wanted. The crop is poor in Darbhanga, Purnea, in parts of Gaya, the Sonthal Parganas as well as in Hazaribagh. It is fairly good in Nadia and in Murshidabad. Insect pests did some damage in Gaya and Monghyr.

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The 19th December 1908.

Shahabad	174,200	1st October	...	Sowings were normal. The weather was on the whole favourable. The <i>Hatkiye</i> rain though scanty did much good. The condition of the crop is fair. The increase in the area sown as compared with that of last year is due to the <i>Hatkiye</i> rains.
Saran	...	...	...	...	67,900	15th September	...	Sowings were early. The condition of the crop is good. The weather and rainfall conditions are reported to be favourable for the growth of the crop in the Siwan Subdivision but rain is wanted in the Gopalganj and Sadar subdivisions. Owing to the failure of the rice crop, the area under the crop has been increased.
Champaran	...	...	...	...	78,800	15th October	...	Sowings were normal and are going on still. The condition of the crop up to date is fair but more rain is yet wanted.
Muzaffarpur	...	...	...	...	70,000	1st week of October	...	The date of sowing was normal. The rainfall was scanty and badly distributed. Germination in uplands was defective owing to want of sufficient moisture and to untimely west winds. The condition of the crop is fair on the whole, but will suffer if rain is not received shortly.
Darbhanga	...	...	...	...	115,300	September and October	...	Sowings were early. The weather was unfavourable and the crop has been suffering from continued drought. The condition of the crop is poor. The increase in the area sown this year is due to many paddy fields having been sown with wheat on account of the failure of the paddy crops.
Monohyr	...	...	...	...	188,500	1st week of October	...	Sowings were normal. The weather has been hitherto favourable but rain is badly wanted now. The condition of the crop is fair in some places. Insect pests are damaging the crop in some places.
Bhagalpur	...	...	...	...	200,000	15th October	...	Sowings were done a little earlier this year. Deficient rainfall has affected the crops badly in all tracts where there are no means of irrigation. On <i>disera</i> lands the crops have not suffered. The condition of the crops is so far fair. The increase in the area sown this year is owing to the failure of the rice crop.

District	Approximate area under wheat last year (1907-08) in acres.	Estimated area under wheat this year (1908-09) in acres.	Date at which sowing of the crop was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crop and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal
1	2	3	4	5	6
Burdwan	23,500	21,500	Middle of October	Sowings were early on high lands, and normal on other lands. Owing to the failure of <i>Alphani</i> paddy, cultivators have sown wheat on paddy lands. The weather and rainfall conditions have been unfavourable. The condition of the crop is poor owing to drought. Rain is urgently needed.	
Bijeliling	4,200	4,200	15th October	Sowings were normal. The weather and rainfall conditions are not favourable. The condition of the crop is fair at present.	
Dyhal Parganas	10,500	12,500	1st week of October	Sowings of the crop were early in the Pakour subdivision, late in the Godda subdivision and normal elsewhere. The weather and rainfall conditions were fair in the Dumka, Deoghar and Jamara subdivisions but unfavourable in the Godda, Pakour and Raigabai subdivisions. The general condition of the crop is fair except in the Pakour and Godda subdivisions where it is poor.	
Bhatkal	1,300	1,000	Between 15th October and 1st November.	Sowings were normal this year. The weather has not been favourable. The present condition of the crop is fair. The decrease in the area sown this year, as compared with that of last year, is due to want of rain.	

Balassore	...	...	100	100	10th November	...	Sowings were normal. The decrease in the area sown is due to the early cessation of rain and to want of moisture in the soil. The weather has not been favourable up to date. The condition of the crop is fair at present, but rain is wanted.
Angul	...	...	100	100	End of October	...	Sowings were late this year. The weather and rainfall conditions were unfavourable and the general prospects of the crop are poor.
Sambalpur	...	...	100	100	20th October	...	The date of sowing was normal, and weather conditions have been favourable. The present prospects of the crop seem to be good.
Hamaribagh	...	...	2,500	13,500	October	...	The date of sowing was normal. The weather and rainfall conditions were not favourable. The condition of the crop is poor.
Ranchi	...	...	100	600	Early in October	...	Sowings were normal. The weather being seasonable, the general condition of the crops is so far good.
Palaman	...	...	1,800	3,200	1st week of October	...	Sowings were generally early. The weather has not been favourable. Rain would be beneficial. The condition of the crops is fair.
Manbham	...	...	600	2,100	Latter part of October and beginning of November.	...	Sowings were normal. The weather and rainfall conditions were not very favourable. More rain is wanted. The condition of the crops is fair.
Singbhum	...	...	2,000	2,000	October and November	...	Sowings were normal. The weather and rainfall conditions were favourable except in thana Monoharpur. The condition of the crop is fair.
Total Bengal	...	...	1,093,100	1,178,500*	...	...

* Exclusive of the figures for Bankura reported from which has not yet been received in this office.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 4th January 1909.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8	8½	Weather seasonable, but slightly cloudy. Reaping and threshing of winter paddy going on. Potatoes being harvested. Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops and sugarcane not good. Fodder and water and stocks of food-grains sufficient. No cattle-disease reported.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	9	9	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of winter rice continuing. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	9	8½	Weather seasonable. Threshing of paddy going on. Rain wanted for the standing crops. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till the next harvest. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE ..	Nil	10	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice continuing. Transplantation of summer rice in progress in the Ghatal subdivision. Prospects of sugarcane not good. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Salbani, Jhargaon and Binpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 15 seers per rupee at Contai, 9 seers at Tamluk and at 10½ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till the next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of sugarcane, potatoes and other <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Prices of food-grains stationary. Harvesting of winter paddy continuing. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing fairly well. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water-supply sufficient.
7	24 PARAGANAS	Nil	9	8	Weather seasonable. Common rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 10 seers at Basirhat, 9½ seers at Diamond Harbour and at 8 seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	8½	9	Rainfall at the subdivisions nil. Rain badly wanted for <i>rabi</i> crops. Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of <i>kalai</i> and <i>mung</i> continuing. Prices of staple food-grains slightly risen. Stocks of food-grains barely sufficient. Famine probable. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Radar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>aman</i> paddy continuing in the Jangipur, Kandi and Lalbagh sub-divisions. Prospects bad in the Jangipur sub-division but fair in the Kandi and Lalbagh sub-divisions. Sowings of <i>rabi</i> crops completed. Prospects not good. Rain wanted. Prospects of sugarcane not very favourable. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle disease.
10	JESSORE	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>aman</i> paddy nearly completed. Rape seed and <i>kalai</i> being harvested. Condition of standing crops good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good.
11	KHULNA	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Harvesting of winter rice continuing. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops not very favourable. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA	Nil	8½ 14½	8½ 14½	Weather cool and cloudy. Harvesting of winter paddy and sugarcane in progress. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops generally fair. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient.
13	GAYA	Nil	9½ 14	9 13½	Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of paddy continuing. Rain badly wanted for <i>rabi</i> crops. Prices slightly fallen. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. No cattle-disease.
14	SHAHABAD	Nil	8½ 12	8½ 14	Pressing of sugarcane going on. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing well on the whole, but rain urgently wanted in the non-irrigated areas. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN	Nil	10 15	10 14½	Weather seasonable. Rain wanted. Irrigation of <i>rabi</i> crops and poppy continuing. Fields being prepared for sugarcane planting. Pressing of sugarcane going on. Prices of staple food-crops slightly fallen. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 14\frac{3}{4} \end{array} \right\}$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 14\frac{3}{4} \end{array} \right\}$	Weather cold. Harvesting and thrashing of winter rice still going on. Rain urgently wanted for <i>rabi</i> crops. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Mainatand. Condition of agricultural stock otherwise good.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right\}$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 14 \end{array} \right\}$	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice almost completed. <i>Rabi</i> crops suffering for want of moisture. Common rice and <i>mikai</i> selling at 9 and 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur, and at 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ and 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi. Cattle-disease reported in thanas Pupri, Shiuhar and Paru and Katra. Fodder sufficient. Sources of water-supply drying up in Pupri thana. Stocks of food-grains sufficient.
18	DARRHANGA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right\}$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right\}$	Weather seasonable. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops bad for want of rain. Food-stocks sufficient due to imports. Cattle-disease reported in one village in the Sadar thana. Number of persons on test works on the 31st December 1908—Men 4,909, women 5,391 and children 479—total 10,779. Number gratuitously relieved—men 193, women 564 and children 351—total 1,108.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 9 \end{array} \right\}$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 13 \end{array} \right\}$	Weather seasonable. Rain badly wanted for standing <i>rabi</i> crops. Pressing of sugarcane continuing in the Jamui subdivision. Prices of staple food grains stationary. Cattle-disease reported from Khagaria thana. Scarcity of fodder and water apprehended in the Jamui subdivision.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{3}{4} \end{array} \right\}$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{3}{4} \end{array} \right\}$	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy nearly finished. Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops getting worse. Rain very badly wanted. No immediate apprehension of famine, but the condition critical, as reported last week. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Water and fodder sufficient for the present. No cattle-disease reported. Condition of agricultural stock good. Prices of staple food-grains showing a tendency to fall.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 13 \end{array} \right\}$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 14 \end{array} \right\}$	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy almost finished and that of <i>kulthi</i> and mustard commenced. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops generally bad for want of rain. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Stocks of food-grains adequate, but food stock resources external. Condition of people in certain parts affected owing to scarcity. Fodder sufficient, but scarcity of water existing in the Sadar subdivision. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice selling at 7 seers a rupee at Kishanganj and Araria.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		(Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.)
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	DARJEELING ...	Nil	{ 7 13°	{ 7 13°	Weather seasonable. Hills—Wheat and barley doing well. Oilseeds being harvested. Terai—Harvesting of winter rice in progress. Pressing of sugarcane going on. Oilseed crops thriving. Potatoes being harvested. Lands being prepared for next sowings. Prospects fair. Food-grains sufficient. Prices stationary.
23	SOUTHAL PARAGANAS.	Nil	{ 9½ 10½°	{ 9½ 11°	Harvesting of paddy nearly over. <i>Rabi</i> crops suffering owing to want of moisture. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till the next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Fodder insufficient in the Godda subdivision. Water sufficient.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10½	10½	<i>Saradh</i> paddy, <i>kulthi</i> and <i>birhi</i> being harvested. Cotton and tobacco being sown. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. 65 men, 128 women and 129 children—total 322—given gratuitous relief.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	12	11	Weather cloudy and less cold. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting and threshing of <i>saradh</i> paddy continuing. <i>Dalua</i> paddy being sown and transplanted. <i>Rabi</i> crops ripening. Vegetable crops progressing well. Prospects fair. Scarcity existing in some places of Chandbali and Dhamnagar. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 13 seers a rupee at Bhadrak. Prices falling. 49 men, 255 women and 403 children—total 707—receiving gratuitous relief in Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	14	14	Weather cloudy. Threshing of paddy and harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops in progress. Pressing of sugarcane commenced at places. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 12 seers a rupee at the Khondmals. Fodder and water sufficient.
27	PURI ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather cloudy. <i>Saradh</i> paddy being harvested and sugarcane being pressed. <i>Dalua</i> paddy coming up well. Cattle-disease reported from Kothdeskh. Common rice selling at 10½ seers a rupee at Khurda. 37 men, 104 women and 222 children—total 363—attending kitchens.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
28	SAMBALPUR ...	Inches. Nil	12	12	Weather cloudy. Threshing of winter rice continuing. Pressing of sugarcane in progress. Lands being ploughed for the next season's crops. Condition of sugarcane and vegetables good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water supply sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Cattle-disease in both <i>tahsils</i> . Common rice selling at 13½ seers a rupee at Bargarh.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	Nil	{ 8½ 12*	8½ 11½*	Weather cloudy and sunshiny. Pressing of sugarcane continuing. <i>Sirguja</i> being reaped. Standing crops badly in want of moisture. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
30	RANCHI ...	Nil	9½	9	Weather slightly cloudy. State of standing crops good, excepting mustard in the Khunti subdivision. Ploughing of lands in progress. Cattle-disease reported from nine thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	9	7½	Weather seasonable. Threshing of winter rice continuing. Rain wanted for <i>rabi</i> crops in most places. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Some cattle-disease.
32	MANBHUM ...	Nil	10	10½	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Rape and mustard doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Raghunathpur, Nirsha and Rajganj. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 8 seers a rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	Nil	9½	10	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of winter paddy nearly completed. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 10 and 12 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continuing. Standing crops doing well. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

**Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 27th
December 1908 to 2nd January 1909.**

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Minimum of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	TEMPERATURE.				HYGROMETRY.				WIND.		Rains.	WEATHER.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1908.				Inches.						Inches.		%			Inches.	
Dec.	27th	125.6	8.2	30.004	66.0	76.9	10.8	57.1	57.8	0.365	50.3	52	NNW and N ...	130	Nil	Clear, ☀.
"	28th	126.4	6.8	.013	61.2	74.6	24.9	49.7	52.6	.292	44.3	57	NNE, N and N by W.	120	Nil	Partially cloudy, ☁.
"	29th	123.5	5.3	29.998	63.0	75.7	23.5	52.2	55.0	.341	48.4	60	N by W and N ...	86	Nil	Partially cloudy, ☁.
"	30th	120.4	7.2	30.004	63.9	77.4	25.0	52.4	53.0	.411	53.5	71	N by W, N by E and ENE.	59	Nil	Partially cloudy, ☁.
"	31st	120.5	7.4	.021	67.0	81.1	23.2	54.9	59.9	.413	53.6	64	ENE and N by W	61	Nil	Partially cloudy ☁.
1909.	1st	125.0	7.5	29.980	69.7	82.1	22.8	59.3	61.2	.427	51.5	58	N by E, and NNW.	59	Nil	Partially cloudy, ☁.
"	2nd	119.4	7.7	.958	63.0	80.1	22.3	57.8	60.9	.441	55.4	65	NNW, N by E and calm.	44	Nil	Clear, ☀.

The mean pressure of the seven days	...	...	...	...	Inches.
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	...	...	...	...	29.997
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	...	...	...	...	Hours.
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	...	...	...	...	50.1
					75.1
					...
The mean temperature of the seven days	...	...	...	...	65.5
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	...	...	...	...	66.8
The extreme variation of temperature	...	...	...	...	32.4
The maximum temperature	...	...	...	...	82.1
					Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	...	...	...	...	14
					%
The mean relative humidity	...	...	...	...	62
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	...	...	...	...	71
					Inches.
The total fall of rain from 27th December 1908 to 2nd January 1909	...	...	...	...	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	...	...	...	...	0.01
The total fall from 1st January to 2nd January 1909	...	...	...	...	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	...	...	...	...	Nil

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

☁, dew.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), the 4th January 1909.

O. W. PEAKE,
for Director-General of Observatories.

Vital Statistics of Towns in Bengal with a population of 20,000 and over during the month of October 1908.

Districts.	Towns.	Population under registra- tion.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.										TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES.	AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTHS OF PRE- VIOUS FIVE YEARS.		REMARKS.				
			Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.		DYSENTERY AND DIARRHEA.			INJURY.			OTHER CAUSES.			
					Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.		Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.		Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
Burdwan	1. Burdwan	34,286	21	8.16	1	2.94	...	...	...	...	25	8.40	2	6.0	3	9.6	3	9.6	108	34.68		
Bankura	2. Bankura	30,757	27	15.00	2	1.08	...	...	...	...	30	12.98	...	...	3	1.08	3	1.08	35	19.08		
Midnapore	3. Midnapore	32,140	68	25.00	4	1.50	...	...	...	...	43	17.04	10	3.68	6	2.16	6	2.16	97	35.04		
Hoochly	4. Hoochly and Chinsura	39,385	88	33.00	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	19.04	10	3.68	19	7.68	19	7.68	127	41.04		
Howrah	5. Howrah	44,461	114	30.78	11	9.98	...	...	...	...	39	10.44	28	3.40	4	1.16	115	30.96	151	40.68		
	6. Howrah	127,894	361	27.80	7	4.8	...	...	...	...	136	10.39	48	3.80	9	6.0	136	39.16	479	56.36		
	7. Coopers-Chitpur	47,794	47	13.80	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	9.04	2	4.8	2	1.16	13	3.48	32	9.36		
	8. Manikala	32,897	37	15.00	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	4.00	3	1.08	3	3.6	37	18.36	32	10.32		
	9. South Suburban	26,374	46	21.72	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	9.48	3	3.6	6	2.16	19	7.68	41	17.40		
	10. Garden Reach	26,611	43	31.12	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	11.88	8	3.12	...	...	37	18.36	78	33.12		
	11. Barragore	26,431	45	30.12	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	11.88	8	3.12	...	...	37	18.36	41	17.40		
	12. Calcutta	31,546	36	26.04	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	11.88	8	3.12	...	...	37	18.36	44	20.04		
	13. Calcutta	31,546	36	26.04	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	11.88	8	3.12	...	...	37	18.36	44	20.04		
	14. Krishnagar	34,447	39	18.96	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	11.88	8	3.12	...	...	37	18.36	51	27.96		
	15. Santipur	36,598	77	34.39	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	130	1.98	...	...	51	17.00	2,081	38.08		
	16. Baranagar	34,397	57	27.96	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	17. Baranagar	133,091	270	26.28	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	18. Baranagar	45,063	60	18.96	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	19. Dinapore Nisamat	33,699	51	27.96	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	20. Gaya	71,416	167	27.96	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	21. Gaya	45,170	70	18.12	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	22. Raebaree	33,644	37	18.12	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	23. Chapra	45,901	127	31.80	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	24. Bettiah	34,696	50	24.94	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	25. Muzaffarpur	46,617	114	30.84	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	26. Hajipur	51,398	138	30.84	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	27. Darbhanga	54,344	156	30.84	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	28. Monghyr	33,890	114	30.84	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	29. Bhagalpur	75,760	126	30.84	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	30. Cuttack	31,364	106	30.84	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	31. Balasore	30,880	17	9.72	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	32. Puri	40,334	48	10.40	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	33. Ranchi	23,810	38	17.52	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11.44	...	...	...	...	51	17.00	3,081	38.08		
	Total of all towns with a population of 20,000 and over	3,232,570	4,493	24.24	148	7.9	20	0.09	39	1.2	1,493	8.04	285	3.04	140	7.2	1,725	9.24	4,808	31.39		
	Average of correspond- ing month of previous five years	...	4,911	26.40	498	2.64	9	0.04	85	4.8	2,122	11.40	615	3.24	113	6.0	1,951	10.66	5,808	31.32		
	Difference + or -	...	-412	-8.16	-350	-1.92	+11	+0.5	-56	-3.6	624	-3.36	-27	-1.20	+27	+1.9	-235	-1.32	...	-7.92		

OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,

F. C. CLARKSON, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,

Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

The 19th December 1908.

Annual Statistics of the districts of Bengal for the month of October 1908.

Divisions.	Districts.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.										AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS FIVE YEARS.	REMARKS.			
		Population under res- tri- ction.	Number registered.	Cholera.	SMALL-POX.	PLAGUE.	FEVER.	DYSENTERY AND DIARRHOEA.	RESPIRATORY DISEASES.	INJURY.	OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES.					
											Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population.				Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population.	
Burdwan	Hurdwan	1,582,716	2,166	16.99	9	2	101	2,217	17.28	53	3.3	14	10	19	340	2.76	4,611	35.98
	Birbhum	1,492,880	2,438	16.64	5	6	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Bakura	1,116,411	2,438	26.64	21	13	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Midnapore	1,778,116	2,438	26.64	81	24	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Hoochly, including Berhampore.	1,066,041	2,438	26.64	39	8	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
Presidency	Howrah	880,514	2,438	30.79	16	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	24-Parganas	1,075,369	2,438	30.79	30	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Calcutta	1,847,796	2,438	30.79	68	84	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Nadia	1,067,491	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Murshidabad	1,813,184	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
Patna	Jessore	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Khulna	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Gaya	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Shahabad	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Champaran	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
Bhagalpur	Muzaffarpur	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Darbhanga	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Monohr	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Bhagalpur	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Purnea	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
Orissa	Darjeeling	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Sonthal Parganas	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Cuttack	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Balesore	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Puri	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
Obotsa pur.	Sambalpur	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Angul and Khondmals	1,833,048	2,438	30.79	33	12	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Hamirbagh	1,177,061	2,438	30.79	100	25	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Ranchi	1,157,095	2,438	30.79	460	46	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Palamu	619,000	2,438	30.79	21	13	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
Total		613,579	2,438	30.79	119	3	107	1,357	32.80	13	3.3	14	10	19	140	2.76	2,953	37.09
	Average of corresponding month of previous five years		183,403	39.76	3,417	74	0.8	89,233	31.12	4,943	1.08	831	1.19	4.8	23,985	5.64	131,659	39.94
Difference + or -			183,403	39.76	3,417	74	0.8	89,233	31.12	4,943	1.08	831	1.19	4.8	23,985	5.64	131,659	39.94
Average of corresponding month of previous five years			183,403	39.76	3,417	74	0.8	89,233	31.12	4,943	1.08	831	1.19	4.8	23,985	5.64	131,659	39.94
Difference + or -			183,403	39.76	3,417	74	0.8	89,233	31.12	4,943	1.08	831	1.19	4.8	23,985	5.64	131,659	39.94

OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,

W. C. CLARKE, LIEUT.-COL., I.N.S.,
Secretary Commissioner for Bengal.

The 10th Anniversary 1000

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
35	FRUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.	Inches. .....	.....	.....	No rain during the week. Weather generally cold in almost all the States. Sugarcane being pressed in Raipur, Boud, Dhenkanal, Kalahandi, Gangpur, Khandpara, Keonjhar, Baramba and Daspalla. Harvesting of pulses and oilseeds going on in Athgarh, Dhenkanal, Rairakhol, Kalahandi, Patna, Nayagarh, Athmalik and Narsingpur. State of standing crops good in Boud, Gangpur, Nilgiri, Hindol, Narsingpur and Daspalla. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice ranging from 9 seers in Keonjhar and 12 seers in Narsingpur, Pal Lahara, Nilgiri and Mayurbhanj to 17 seers in Talcher and 18 seers in Patna.

* The report is for the week ending the 26th December 1908.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—There was no rain during the week. *Kutai* and early oilseeds are being harvested in Nadia, Jessore, Purnea and Hazaribagh, and sugarcane-pressing is in progress in Bihar, Orissa and Chota Nagpur. *Ayan* paddy is still being harvested in some districts. Poppy and other *rabi* crops are being irrigated, but they are in urgent want of rain in Bihar. Prospects of these crops are not favourable in North Bihar, in Khulna and the Sonthal Parganas. Scarcity is apprehended in Nadia, and the condition of the poorer classes is seriously affected in parts of North Bihar owing to scarcity of work and high prices of food-grains. The agricultural outlook in North Bihar is unfavourable. The price of common rice has fallen in Bankura, Midnapore, the 24-Parganas, Murshidabad, Gaya, Muzaffarpur, Balasore, Puri, Ranchi and Palamau, and has risen in Burdwan, Nadia, Shahabad, Manbhum and Singhbhum. Cattle-disease is reported from Champaran, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Puri, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Ranchi, Palamau and Manbhum. The fodder-supply is sufficient except in parts of the Sonthal Parganas. The water-supply is getting deficient in parts of Muzaffarpur, Monghyr and Purnea. The number of persons on test-works in Darbhanga was 10,779. Gratuitous relief was given to 1,392 persons in Orissa and 1,108 in Darbhanga.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 5th January 1909.

N. N. BANERJEE,
for Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal on tour.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 12th December 1908 on 2,292.38 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Mds. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	461,366	4,16,361 0 0	66,81,347 0	10,05,861 0 0	43,089 0 0	15,53,919 0 0	162,438	213,014	375,452
Or per mile of railway	180 12 1	180 12 1	28 12 1	4 78 0 10	19 0 11	6 77 13 10	70 12 1	92 12 1	162 24 2
For previous 52½ weeks of half-year	11,022,476*	96,07,332 0 0	15,53,06,330 0†	2,37,20,798 0 0†	9,05,020 0 0†	3,42,93,060 0 0	3,556,468§	4,784,218§	8,340,686
Total for 52½ weeks	11,483,762	1,00,21,893 0 0	16,19,97,677 0	2,48,16,667 0 0	10,08,719 0 0	3,58,46,979 0 0	3,818,906	4,997,332	8,816,238
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	466,804	4,55,934 2 2	67,88,796 10	11,50,054 7 3	54,154 14 7	16,90,163 8 0	158,074	219,152	377,226
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	182 10 3	182 10 3	28 12 1	5 03 3 10	23 11 2	7 39 9 3	70 12 1	92 12 1	162 24 2
Total for corresponding 52½ weeks of previous year.	11,353,693	1,07,31,808 8 11	15,23,44,408 20	2,37,90,054 8 6	10,31,983 1 6	3,53,52,846 2 11	3,508,639	4,547,743	8,056,382

(a) The decrease is chiefly due to a larger number of short journey passengers in 1908.

(b) The decrease is in general merchandise.

* Deducted No. of passengers 3,587 and † Do. Mds. 2,75,714 and ‡ Added 4,233 On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 24th October 1908.

§ Audited figures up to 24th October 1908.

1908.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No. Rate.
1,892-93	First 11 days of July	906,800	7,04,685	1,04,88,330	16,07,408	53,750	21,27,792	1,050	597,554
1,893-94	Week ended 18th "	519,876	4,37,150	65,40,896	10,09,334	42,313	14,80,142	650*	595,907
1,894-95	" " 25th "	506,317	4,55,341	76,08,966	10,44,843	45,468	15,45,653	674	577,927
1,895-96	" " 1st Aug.	497,550	4,13,116	69,17,670	10,02,447	42,074	15,44,635	673	580,487
1,896-97	" " 8th "	507,181	4,48,392	67,89,405	10,53,817	43,689	15,47,801	677	576,080
1,897-98	" " 15th "	544,046	4,33,571	69,46,550	9,84,337	41,222	14,80,127	641	578,559
1,898-99	" " 22nd "	463,463	3,89,030	84,41,450	10,49,397	41,727	14,80,654	640	574,683
1,899-00	" " 29th "	444,837	3,01,500	75,35,930	10,40,206	42,860	11,57,536	649	582,514
1,900-01	" " 5th Oct.	455,189	3,84,177	77,38,131	11,07,734	42,313	15,34,328	669	580,523
1,901-02	" " 12th "	550,581	4,24,069	69,17,622	9,99,004	39,054	14,63,127	639	575,839
1,902-03	" " 19th "	481,167	4,36,091	69,30,083	10,12,308	50,953	15,01,021	664	564,744
1,903-04	" " 26th "	498,834	4,71,378	64,54,933	10,47,933	46,088	15,43,989	663	574,346
1,904-05	" " 2nd Oct.	505,208	4,75,904	65,83,018	10,04,708	46,015	15,20,935	668	567,523
1,905-06	" " 9th "	459,950	4,04,360	61,88,889	9,61,623	35,457	14,01,439	611	558,412
1,906-07	" " 16th "	438,469	4,08,945	74,08,685	11,63,703	33,174	14,06,022	570†	579,782
1,907-08	" " 23rd "	422,133	3,97,844	63,94,000	10,34,423	48,134	15,40,900	672	574,287
1,908-09	" " 30th "	424,155	4,01,853	63,20,133	10,34,693	42,736	14,80,243	646	562,356
1,909-10	" " 6th Nov.	502,438	4,65,816	62,76,819	10,40,738	44,423	15,50,977	681	569,541
1,910-11	" " 13th "	517,335	4,49,087	61,26,054	10,18,189	44,627	15,11,903	660	565,443
1,911-12	" " 20th "	467,855	4,19,280	63,15,124	10,76,483	45,327	15,41,270	672	573,400
1,912-13	" " 27th "	469,433	4,00,238	63,30,016	10,45,420	44,503	15,31,292	669	573,972
1,913-14	" " 4th Dec.	469,226	4,22,323	64,44,871	10,73,439	40,265	15,36,927	670	575,748
1,914-15	" " 11th "	461,286	4,14,361	64,31,347	10,95,869	43,089	15,53,919	678	575,432
Totals up to date		11,483,762	1,00,21,893	16,19,97,677	2,48,16,667	10,08,719	3,58,46,979	663	8,816,238

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concl.

1907.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No. Rate.
1,895-96	First 13 days of July	1,034,009	9,10,173	1,23,80,333	19,17,941	72,069	29,09,183	1,273	653,821
1,896-97	Week ended 30th "	578,189	5,02,615	69,00,747	10,27,517	38,708	15,68,834	686	545,104
1,897-98	" " 6th Aug.	510,934	4,51,049	68,08,830	10,14,350	40,325	15,10,724	661	544,651
1,898-99	" " 13th "	470,302	4,27,811	64,36,135	10,51,313	41,848	15,23,062	667	541,774
1,899-00	" " 20th "	470,923	4,30,183	56,78,475	9,92,152	36,052	14,44,257	590	545,607
1,900-01	" " 27th "	468,778	4,12,178	60,80,704	9,61,095	40,171	13,43,144	575	514,436
1,901-02	" " 3rd Sept.	497,091	4,17,339	56,32,083	8,81,167	32,398	13,50,898	591	507,823
1,902-03	" " 10th "	456,184	3,90,090	62,70,943	9,64,103	40,720	14,00,918	613	506,407
1,903-04	" " 17th "	444,985	4,02,316	63,93,080	9,46,277	44,820	13,85,012	607	502,003
1,904-05	" " 24th "	447,010	3,72,114	66,56,178	10,14,440	40,909	14,27,312	636	516,513
1,905-06	" " 1st Oct.	544,079	4,79,809	65,06,604	10,08,171	41,243	15,23,719	667	544,751
1,906-07	" " 8th "	507,089	4,64,868	73,75,702	10,82,883	41,877	15,62,577	684	543,944
1,907-08	" " 15th "	496,905	4,82,972	68,44,533	10,36,532	47,591	15,77,095	680	548,465
1,908-09	" " 22nd "	537,874	5,19,165	77,75,471	10,71,817	38,691	16,20,003	713	568,321
1,909-10	" " 29th "	491,480	4,73,344	67,38,186	9,83,942	43,045	14,98,171	656	547,940
1,910-11	" " 6th Nov.	446,873	4,02,854	73,28,004	11,42,208	46,067	16,51,129	723	573,429
1,911-12	" " 13th "	426,842	4,10,791	67,25,013	12,30,979	44,630	16,24,529	755	578,077
1,912-13	" " 20th "	411,838	4,37,027	67,07,854	10,54,081	41,424	16,34,133	671	568,848
1,913-14	" " 27th "	532,096	5,70,013	65,80,207	10,55,944	43,414	16,69,371	730	555,548
1,914-15	" " 4th Dec.	389,496	3,19,484	28,07,847	5,06,000	46,440	9,31,843	408	573,256
1,915-16	" " 11th "	310,113	3,59,352	37,17,017	6,65,995	29,700	10,55,913	463	531,610
1,916-17	" " 18th "	431,451	5,05,468	69,47,524	12,17,930	41,708	17,14,046	772	564,181
1,917-18	" " 25th "	456,804	4,55,954	67,28,796	11,80,051	54,155	16,90,163	740	577,226
Totals up to date		11,353,693	1,07,31,809	15,23,44,404	2,37,90,054	10,31,983	3,53,52,846	652	8,056,382

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 12th December 1908 on 22.21 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated) %.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	30,190	Rs. 4,371 0 0	Mds. 13,119 0	Rs. 567 0 0	6 0 0	Rs. 4,944 0 0	1,317	150	1,476
Of per mile of railway ...	136 12 10	196 12 10	586 8 8	19 4 9	0 4 4	225 9 8	59 4	6 7	66 1
For previous 23½ weeks of half-year ...	518,968*	1,21,149 0 0*	7,94,190 0†	16,114 0 0†	147 0 0‡	1,36,410 0 0	30,427§	3,654§	34,081
Total for 23½ weeks ...	539,140	1,25,580 0 0	8,07,309 0	16,681 0 0	153 0 0	1,41,354 0 0	31,744	3,813	35,557
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	18,976	Rs. 4,381 1 7	Mds. 11,990 30	Rs. 439 1 0	5 3 9	Rs. 4,715 5 4	1,346	148	1,494
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	818	192 9 4	586	19 4 9	0 3 9	213 1 10	59 4	6 7	66 1
Total for corresponding 23½ weeks of previous year.	545,695	1,20,165 8 7	8,06,350 30	11,136 11 0	208 1 3	1,37,507 15 10	29,631	3,501	33,132

* Deducted No. of passengers 818 and Rs. 598 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended
 † Added Mds. 461 and deducted " 2 } 24th October 1908.
 ‡ Deducted " 1 }
 § Audited figures up to 24th October 1908.

1908.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

Open mileage	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No. Rate.
	First 11 days of July	49,855	11,091	27,339	593	11	13,395	554	2,430
	Week ended 15th "	30,933	7,104	28,761	798	9	7,911	336	1,498
	" " 25th "	20,777	4,527	20,025	396	8	4,931	232	1,498
	" " 1st August	19,748	4,483	19,063	358	3	4,843	216	1,498
	" " 5th "	21,596	5,738	24,743	316	4	6,053	273	1,498
	" " 15th "	23,858	5,600	14,403	314	10	5,910	267	1,498
	" " 25th "	16,105	3,729	6,283	263	9	4,097	180	1,498
	" " 30th "	17,764	3,824	9,791	278	4	4,106	185	1,498
	" " 5th Sept.	18,600	4,855	4,831	552	8	5,413	244	1,701
	" " 12th "	21,717	4,616	41,750	477	6	5,101	231	1,673
	" " 19th "	19,865	4,615	45,288	1,114	4	5,133	231	1,673
	" " 26th "	20,398	4,648	46,437	710	4	5,194	234	1,694
	" " 3rd October	20,512	6,353	13,965	602	6	6,941	273	1,694
	" " 10th "	23,199	5,130	1,19,306	1,112	12	6,254	253	1,498
	" " 17th "	21,796	4,611	20,971	876	3	5,490	247	1,498
	" " 24th "	23,878	5,013	21,097	944	6	5,963	268	1,498
	" " 31st "	24,334	5,467	21,198	778	8	6,241	281	1,498
	" " 7th Nov.	26,072	5,168	38,152	895	5	6,063	269	1,476
	" " 14th "	26,782	6,210	26,289	1,336	5	7,450	336	1,476
	" " 21st "	21,687	4,715	2,438	982	5	5,708	237	1,476
	" " 28th "	21,577	4,748	21,320	934	7	5,679	256	1,476
	" " 5th Dec.	20,733	6,085	14,285	593	6	6,684	261	1,476
	" " 12th "	20,100	4,371	13,119	567	6	4,944	233	1,476
	Totals up to date	539,140	1,25,580	8,07,309	16,681	163	1,41,354	270	35,557

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded.

1907.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No. Rate.
	First 13 days of July	47,166	11,190	23,815	933	9	13,133	548	2,430
	Week ended 20th "	34,047	7,130	14,930	510	6	7,636	348	1,394
	" " 27th "	33,801	7,535	10,438	496	8	7,979	369	1,394
	" " 3rd August	30,650	5,933	11,891	481	5	5,769	261	1,394
	" " 10th "	30,593	4,561	10,335	407	4	4,978	234	1,394
	" " 17th "	23,744	5,311	9,175	353	8	5,708	257	1,394
	" " 24th "	20,278	4,761	7,603	276	6	5,033	236	1,394
	" " 31st "	18,861	3,901	7,784	298	13	4,202	191	1,394
	" " 7th Sept.	18,794	4,714	6,508	244	5	4,965	203	1,394
	" " 14th "	24,463	5,033	9,936	411	14	5,444	245	1,498
	" " 21st "	20,251	4,244	11,441	353	18	4,645	209	1,498
	" " 28th "	20,051	4,412	5,319	373	6	4,790	215	1,498
	" " 5th October	20,010	5,010	10,394	464	5	5,479	246	1,498
	" " 12th "	25,194	5,758	16,310	657	10	6,435	280	1,498
	" " 19th "	28,036	5,837	9,981	408	8	6,303	294	1,498
	" " 26th "	23,829	5,309	18,578	607	12	6,123	276	1,498
	" " 2nd Nov.	23,325	5,293	14,563	564	5	5,853	262	1,498
	" " 9th "	21,487	5,377	12,376	539	3	5,909	237	1,498
	" " 16th "	27,461	6,798	17,517	837	5	7,634	344	1,498
	" " 23rd "	20,861	4,840	12,630	528	23	5,361	248	1,498
	" " 30th "	15,565	3,673	8,973	288	15	3,976	179	1,030
	" " 7th Dec.	18,702	5,054	8,048	505	11	5,570	221	1,498
	" " 14th "	18,970	4,391	11,991	421	5	4,715	213	1,498
	Totals up to date	545,695	1,20,163	8,06,357	11,137	208	1,37,508	259	33,132

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 12th December 1908 on 162.36 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
total traffic for the week ...	24,702	Rs. 21,508 0 0	Mds. 1,48,386 0	Rs. 14,550 0 0	Rs. 41 0 0	Rs. 38,189 0 0	12,353	3,983	16,336
per mile of railway ...	183 0 5	183 0 5	89 9 10	89 9 10	0 4 1	232 14 4	271,270 5	99,028 5	370,307
or previous 23 1/2 weeks of half-year ...	594,931*	4,09,723 0 0	50,74,498 0 1	3,61,711 0 0†	1,000 0 0‡	8,63,234 0 0	271,270 5	99,028 5	370,307
Total for 23 1/2 weeks ...	619,636	5,21,321 0 0	52,22,824 0	3,77,661 0 0	1,041 0 0	8,90,423 0 0	283,632	103,011	386,643
COMPARISON.									
total for corresponding week of previous year ...	26,123	Rs. 20,604 8 6	Mds. 1,92,379 30	Rs. 17,424 13 0	Rs. 128 13 6	Rs. 38,248 3 0	11,989	4,692	16,681
per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	197 7 5	197 7 5	107 5 2	107 5 2	0 12 8	235 9 3	278,223	119,032	388,975
total for corresponding 23 1/2 weeks of previous year ...	730,292	5,55,633 1 5	56,84,912 10	4,35,495 15 11	1,560 5 7	9,92,069 6 11	278,223	119,032	388,975

* Deducted No. of passengers 1,140 and added Rs. 2,112 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week* ended 24th October 1908.
† Added Mds. 11,638 and deducted Rs. 1,195 }
‡ Added Rs. 8 }

1908.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rs. A. P.
*1907-08	First 11 days of July ...	40,768	33,392	3,42,317	29,337	86	55,905	344	25,619	2 2 11
*1907-08	Week ended 18th "	31,198	22,802	2,47,897	14,840	34	37,567	231	16,095	2 5 7
*1907-08	" " 25th "	29,531	21,515	2,04,300	13,133	35	34,445	212	16,085	2 2 4
*1907-08	" " 1st Aug. ...	27,120	20,102	2,24,809	15,059	27	35,788	220	16,219	2 3 3
*1907-08	" " 8th "	31,133	22,023	2,30,471	17,153	31	39,807	245	16,784	2 5 11
*1907-08	" " 15th "	31,051	22,162	1,73,774	18,108	32	35,623	220	15,581	2 4 8
*1907-08	" " 22nd "	28,864	18,477	1,69,313	12,244	43	30,707	190	15,343	2 0 1
*1907-08	" " 29th "	28,863	18,800	2,47,207	18,706	39	34,693	214	16,214	2 2 3
*1907-08	" " 5th Sept. ...	27,370	21,632	1,50,969	12,105	58	34,095	210	16,118	2 1 10
*1907-08	" " 12th "	22,701	10,221	1,91,737	14,329	29	34,779	211	15,918	2 3 4
*1907-08	" " 19th "	20,571	17,680	2,30,042	15,188	30	33,098	204	16,435	2 0 8
*1907-08	" " 26th "	20,910	17,423	2,30,810	16,250	73	33,746	209	15,747	2 1 10
*1907-08	" " 3rd Oct. ...	23,945	22,376	2,68,788	18,344	61	40,791	251	16,432	2 6 9
*1907-08	" " 10th "	23,998	23,736	3,10,004	23,775	63	42,570	262	16,411	2 9 6
*1907-08	" " 17th "	24,433	21,500	3,02,871	19,748	70	41,324	255	17,269	2 6 3
*1907-08	" " 24th "	21,414	22,358	2,42,632	18,049	251	40,673	251	16,398	2 7 9
*1907-08	" " 31st "	24,066	23,262	2,34,345	16,603	39	39,004	246	16,850	2 5 11
*1907-08	" " 7th Nov. ...	27,469	20,104	2,30,158	18,243	57	42,381	292	17,425	2 11 3
*1907-08	" " 14th "	28,065	27,849	2,15,746	16,019	37	44,844	276	16,324	2 10 5
*1907-08	" " 21st "	20,077	33,437	2,04,881	16,060	30	40,554	305	17,155	2 14 1
*1907-08	" " 28th "	24,743	23,744	1,93,036	15,323	46	39,119	241	16,232	2 6 7
*1907-08	" " 5th Dec. ...	24,727	21,055	2,07,349	16,123	54	37,252	229	16,425	2 1 3
*1907-08	" " 12th "	24,700	21,598	1,48,336	14,550	41	36,183	223	16,336	2 3 5
Totals up to date ...		619,636	5,21,321	52,22,824	3,77,661	1,041	8,90,423	235	386,643	2 5 3

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—contd.

1907.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rs. A. P.
1907-08	First 13 days of July ...	63,383	41,971	3,35,580	29,568	85	71,624	441	30,244	2 5 11
1907-08	Week ended 20th "	32,043	21,660	2,71,408	18,075	47	41,782	257	17,681	2 5 7
1907-08	" " 27th "	31,359	22,109	2,08,102	16,332	41	39,082	241	16,947	2 4 10
1907-08	" " 3rd August ...	31,445	23,140	1,78,107	12,384	42	36,866	227	16,030	2 4 10
1907-08	" " 10th "	32,987	22,631	1,61,714	11,942	32	34,605	213	16,985	2 2 8
1907-08	" " 17th "	34,355	22,593	1,78,176	12,219	34	35,146	216	16,318	2 2 6
1907-08	" " 24th "	35,023	23,225	1,68,587	19,538	24	35,757	230	15,931	2 3 11
1907-08	" " 31st "	29,493	20,948	1,50,810	12,358	35	33,355	205	15,919	2 3 2
1907-08	" " 7th Sept. ...	27,937	21,373	1,93,177	14,830	23	36,130	221	14,324	2 7 0
1907-08	" " 14th "	26,043	20,133	2,02,091	14,142	154	35,429	218	13,723	2 9 4
1907-08	" " 21st "	26,187	22,499	2,22,877	20,330	-77	42,051	205	18,300	2 5 4
1907-08	" " 28th "	21,841	19,016	2,76,991	18,901	45	38,053	238	15,276	2 6 11
1907-08	" " 5th Oct. ...	24,854	22,750	2,81,034	19,000	54	41,873	219	17,922	2 14 4
1907-08	" " 12th "	21,418	23,740	2,23,342	19,848	64	43,088	231	16,222	2 4 11
1907-08	" " 19th "	27,240	22,911	3,26,383	24,347	97	47,745	294	19,600	2 8 1
1907-08	" " 26th "	21,931	21,500	1,73,257	14,101	40	43,719	300	18,255	2 10 8
1907-08	" " 2nd Nov. ...	27,180	22,564	3,09,603	24,870	61	50,985	309	19,000	2 9 9
1907-08	" " 9th "	23,180	22,036	3,07,357	27,408	71	50,405	310	17,805	2 13 4
1907-08	" " 16th "	23,093	27,065	1,94,607	24,849	104	55,018	333	16,900	2 3 11
1907-08	" " 23rd "	20,840	21,047	1,04,349	9,453	108	30,554	189	11,079	2 13 5
1907-08	" " 30th "	11,035	13,720	1,70,252	17,102	189	31,030	191	10,667	2 19 9
1907-08	" " 7th Dec. ...	26,171	20,822	2,67,603	16,944	84	43,850	270	17,150	2 8 2
1907-08	" " 14th "	26,193	20,634	1,92,379	17,433	129	38,248	236	16,681	2 4 8
Totals up to date ...		730,292	5,55,633	56,84,912	4,35,495	1,560	9,92,069	256	388,975	2 8 10

* Audited figures.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 19th December 1908 on 769 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 8 miles for goods traffic only.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	69,070	Rs. 39,000 0 0	Mps. 3,30,000 0	Rs. 46,000 0 0	Rs. 5,920 0 0	Rs. 90,920 0 0	14,022	19,116	33,138
Or per mile of railway ...	89'84	50'78	429'02	59'66	6'40	116'98	18'26	24'79	43'05
For previous 34 weeks of half-year ...	1,315,233	7,83,044 0 0	76,83,019 0	11,62,598 0 0	1,29,905 0 0	20,95,548 0 0	344,896	477,316	822,212
Total for 35 weeks ...	1,384,303	8,22,044 0 0	80,13,019 0	12,08,598 0 0	1,35,825 0 0	21,55,548 0 0	358,918	496,432	855,350
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	87,185	30,883 0 0	3,34,430 0	43,923 0 0	5,607 0 0	85,413 0 0	15,280	20,400	35,680
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	74'43	40'08	429'80	55'07	7'27	110'96	20'29	26'54	46'83
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	1,367,505	8,25,209 0 0	81,85,083 0	14,54,215 0 0	1,62,446 0 0	24,38,878 0 0	345,977	508,763	854,740

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 19TH DECEMBER 1908			RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 21ST DECEMBER 1907.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1908 TO 19TH DECEMBER 1908.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1907 TO 21ST DECEMBER 1907.			Total increase in 1908.	Total decrease 1908.
Mean-mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean-mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean-mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean-mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
771	Rs. 90,000	Rs. 116'98	771	Rs. 85,413	Rs. 110'96	771	Rs. 33,26,434	...	771	Rs. 33,35,400	...	.....	Rs. 2,48,966

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 19th December 1908 on 1,737 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week on 1,737 miles open ...	309,980	Rs. 1,43,640	Mds. 10,53,220	Rs. 1,69,630	Rs. 25,030	Rs. 2,37,640	58,308	(d) 46,775	105,083
Or per mile of railway ...	173'06	82'81	603'06	97'41	14'38	189'70	33'82	26'82	60'64
For previous 33 weeks of half-year (a) ...	7,62,463	31,02,699	2,68,59,076	26,88,310	5,09,989	63,00,997	1,405,917	974,910	2,380,827
Total for 34 weeks ...	7,62,463	31,02,699	2,68,59,076	26,88,310	5,09,989	63,00,997	1,405,917	974,910	2,380,827
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,737 miles open ...	291,888	1,45,043	11,38,229	1,68,828	21,034	2,34,915	66,843	(f) 49,023	115,866
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year ...	168'01	83'56	649'53	97'56	12'10	135'22	32'75	28'25	61'00
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	7,362,382	31,16,977	2,61,59,859	31,71,108	5,04,145	67,93,294	1,375,251	1,060,096	2,435,347
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week ...		8'47		3'61	34	3'33			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year ...		8'73		3'43	30	3'25			

(a) Short lead traffic.

(b) Long lead foreign inward traffic.

(c) Increase chiefly under sundries.

(d) Includes 3,349 miles of ballast trains.

(e) Includes audited figures up to week ending 7th November 1908.

(f) Includes 7,044 miles of ballast trains.



APPENDIX TO The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1909

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

The following Notices are published for general information.

CALCUTTA, the 9th January 1909.

T. BUTLER,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST.

Cape Bowling Green light—Restoration of.

No. 22 (first publication).—With reference to Notices to Mariners nos. 212 and 213, dated the 1st July 1908, issued by this office, the Port Master, Brisbane, has given further notice (No. 9 of 1908) that the removal of Cape Bowling Green Lighthouse having been now completed, on and after the 20th December 1908, the Revolving Light will be exhibited as formerly.

From its former position the Lighthouse has been removed 1,170 feet in a direction S. 62° W. The elevation of the light remains unaltered.

Chart affected: No. 348; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

The 2nd January 1909.

AUSTRALIA—SOUTH COAST.

Caution—Cape Jaffa—Light-house under repair

No. 1 (second publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 25 of 1908) that for a period of about three (3) months, commencing on or about the 1st December 1908, the Cape Jaffa Lighthouse will be under repair, and that during that period the Light may be somewhat irregular, both in range of visibility and revolution, and in other respects. Masters of vessels and others are hereby warned.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 1014.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—KANGAROO ISLAND, SOUTH-WEST COAST.

Cape de Couedie—Temporary light exhibited in course of erection of a lighthouse.

No. 2 (second publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notices (Nos. 26 and 27 of 1908) that a Lighthouse is in course of erection at Cape de Couedie, on the South-west coast of Kangaroo island.

The Light, which will be of the first order, revolving, double flash, is to be shown from a masonry tower 58 feet high, and will be visible about twenty-six miles, and is expected to be first exhibited about April 1909. Pending the completion of the above, a temporary fixed White Light is being exhibited. This is an ordinary Masthead Light, visible fifteen miles to seaward from east half north around to north-west half west approximately. This light will be continued until the first-order light is exhibited.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 2389a.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—KANGAROO ISLAND, BACKSTAIRS PASSAGE.

Cape St. Alban—Light exhibited.

No. 3 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 442, dated 6th November 1908, issued by this office, the President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given further notice (No. 28 of 1908) that a fixed White Light of the fourth order, showing White between the bearings of E.S.E. and West by South, and Red from West by South to North over the Scraper Shoal, and until obscured by Cape Willoughby, is now shown from a masonry tower painted White, the focal plane being about 120 feet above high water. The light will be visible for a distance of about 17 miles. The abovementioned bearings are correct magnetic and as from seaward. Approximate position—latitude, $35^{\circ} 48' 40''$ S.; longitude, $138^{\circ} 7' 25''$ E.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 2389a, 1014 and 25.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—PORT ADELAIDE.

Robinson Bridge, McLaren Wharf—Semaphore erected.

No. 4 (second publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 29 of 1908) that a Semaphore has been erected at the northern end of the S. A. Company's No. 3 Shed, McLaren Wharf, and that when vessels are passing out of the Company's Basin, or about to pass out, the Semaphore will appear in a horizontal position.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 1750, 1752 and 2389b.

JAPAN—NIPON, SOUTH COAST.

Irako channel—Buoy replaced.

No. 5 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1898 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoy, in Irako channel, recently washed away from its position, has been replaced.

Position.—Situated on the north-eastern side of Kodzukami reef, Irako channel, at a distance of $8\frac{1}{2}$ cables, N. 66° E., from the summit of Kama shima.

Lat. $34^{\circ} 33\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $136^{\circ} 59\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Description.—Truncated conical buoy with cylindrical topmark, painted black.

Variation.— 5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3650, Toha ko.

„ 952, Owari bay to Takamatsu no saki.

„ 996, Kii channel to Tokyo.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 347.

Notice to Mariners No. 1797 of 1908. (This Office No. 498 of 10th December 1908.)

Authority.—Tokyo Department of Communications Notice, No. 952 of 1908.

KOREA, WEST COAST—CHEMULPHO ANCHORAGE.

Kheum Wolmi—Beacon erected; Leading line.

No. 6 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1902 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—A beacon of the undermentioned description has been erected on the reef at the western extremity of Kheum Wolmi, Chemulpho anchorage.

Position.—Situated with Mutohi island Δ bearing N. 9° W., distant one mile and $5\frac{1}{2}$ cables, and the clump of trees on Pan Yem island N. 26° E.

Lat. $37^{\circ} 28\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $126^{\circ} 35\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Remarks.—This beacon in line with the clump of trees on Pan Yom island, bearing N. 26° E., leads to the anchorage.

Variation.— 5° W.

Chart affected.—No. 1270, Approaches to Ohemulpho anchorage, with plan.

Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, Korea, &c., 1904, pages 58, 60, 61.

Authority.—Seoul Notice, No. 47 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, WEST COAST.

San Fernando harbour—Leading light temporarily discontinued.

No. 7 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1916 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The rear fixed red leading light, San Fernando harbour, has been temporarily discontinued, owing to the beacon from which it was exhibited having been destroyed.

Position.—Lat. $16^{\circ} 37\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $120^{\circ} 48\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Remarks.—The beacon will be rebuilt and the light re-exhibited as soon as practicable.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 3814, Plan of San Fernando harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 684.

China Sea Directory, vol. II., 1906, page 343.

Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 47; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 88 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, MINDORO, SOUTH-WEST COAST.

Ambolon island light—Temporarily discontinued.

No. 8 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1917 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The group occulting white light shown from Ambolon island lighthouse south-west coast of Mindoro, has been temporarily discontinued, owing to the destruction of the lighthouse.

Position.—Lat. $12^{\circ} 12'$ N., long. $120^{\circ} 59'$ E.

Remarks.—The light will be re-exhibited as soon as practicable.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 971, Semirara, Ilin, and Ambolon islands.

„ 2577, Philippine islands between St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

„ 1263, China sea.

„ 2661b, China sea.

Publications.—List of lights, part VI, 1908, No. 659a.

China Sea Directory, vol. II., 1906, page 310.

Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 75.

Notice to Mariners No. 1076 of 1907. (This office No. 413 of 7th September 1907.)

Authority.—Manila Notice No. 91 of 1908.

JAPAN—LIU KIU ISLANDS—AMAMI-O-SIMA.

Yakiuchi bay—Reefs.

No. 9 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1922 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned sunken reefs exist in the entrance to Yakiuchi bay.

Position.—Yedato sima, west point, lat. $28^{\circ} 17\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $129^{\circ} 11'$ E.

(a) *Position.*—Situated off northern entrance point of bay, with the 470-foot hill on Yedato sima bearing S. 48° E., distant $6\frac{1}{2}$ cables.

Depth.—6 fathoms, coral.

Name.—This reef has been named Oyo se.

(b) *Position*.—Situated off northern entrance point of bay, with the 470-foot hill on Yedato sima, bearing S. 58° E., distant $6\frac{1}{10}$ cables.

Depth.—2½ fathoms, rock.

Name.—This reef has been named Ō se.

(c) *Position*.—Situated near southern shore of bay, with the summit (1,090 feet) of Yedato sima bearing N. 2° E., distant 16 cables.

Depth.—2 fathoms, coral.

Remarks.—From the above position the reef extends northward for nearly one cable, and southward to the shore.

Name.—The reef has been named Kamma.

Variation.—3° W.

Charts affected.—No. 771, Yakiuchi bay.

„ 873, Amami group.

Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 292.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1245 of 1908.

AFRICA, EAST COAST—SOMALI LAND.

Warsheik—Bank south-westward of extending.

No. 10 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1924 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The bank situated above 2 miles to the south-westward of Warsheik, on which the chart shows a depth of 3½ fathoms, is reported to be extending to the south-westward.

Position.—Lat. 2° 15½' N., long. 45° 46' E.

Chart affected.—No. 671, Plan of Warsheik anchorage.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, part III, 1905, page 522.

Authority.—Genoa Notice, No. 248 of 1908.

CHINA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Hongkong harbour—Docking buoys established.

No. 11 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1926 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—Two buoys of the undermentioned descriptions have been established off the Royal Naval yard, Hongkong harbour, for the use of vessels entering or leaving the Admiralty dry dock.

(a) *Position*.—Situated with light on north mole of camber bearing S. 21° E distant 460 feet, and the cupola of Queen's buildings S. 74° W.

Lat. 22° 17' N., long. 114° 10' E.

Description.—Mooring buoy, painted red, marked "East Dock."

(b) *Position*.—Situated with the north-west angle of dockyard wall bearing S. 20° W., distant 500 feet, and light on north mole of camber S. 54° E.

Description.—Mooring buoy, painted red, marked "West Dock."

Variation.—Nil.

Charts affected.—No. 1459, Hongkong harbour.

„ 3280, Hongkong waters, west.

Publication.—China Sea Directory vol. III, 1904, page 71.

Authority.—H.M.S. Tamar, Hydrographical Note, No. 4 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, SOUTH COAST.

Pitogo light—To be discontinued.

No. 12 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1927 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The fixed red light exhibited from the church cupola at Pitogo, south coast of Luzon, will shortly be discontinued.

Position.—Lat. 13° 47' N., long. 122° 5½' E.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine islands between St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 666.

Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 327; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Manila Notice No 89 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SEBU, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Bantayan island—Amended depths on shoals.

*No. 13 (second publication).—*The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1928 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The depths on the shoals situated, as undermentioned, to the northward and north-westward of Bantayan island, are as given below.

Position —

(a) *Position.*—Situated at a distance of 5 miles N. 3° W., from Lauis point, the north extreme of Bantayan island.

Lat. $11^{\circ} 23\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $123^{\circ} 43'$ E.

Depth.— $1\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms—in the place of $2\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms as is at present shown on the chart.

(b) *Position.*—Situated at a distance of 10 miles, S. 68° W., from Lauis point.

Lat. $11^{\circ} 14\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $123^{\circ} 34'$ E.

Depth.— $1\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms, in the place of $2\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms as is at present shown on the chart.

Variation.—Nil.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine islands between St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 275.

Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 94 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—WEN CHAU BAY APPROACH.

Shroud island—Light established.

*No. 14 (second publication).—*The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1929 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—On or about the 31st October 1908, a light of the undermentioned character would be established on Shroud island, Wen chau bay approach.

Position.—On western extremity of island.

Lat. $27^{\circ} 38'$ N., long $121^{\circ} 3'$ E.

Character.—Group flashing white light, showing a group of five flashes every twenty seconds, thus:—

Flash,	eclipse,	Flash,	eclipse,	Flash,	eclipse.
$\frac{1}{2}$ sec.	2 secs.	$\frac{1}{2}$ sec.	2 secs.	$\frac{1}{2}$ sec.	2 secs.
	Flash,	eclipse,	Flash,	eclipse,	
	$\frac{1}{2}$ sec.	2 secs.	$\frac{1}{2}$ sec.	8 $\frac{1}{2}$ secs.	

Elevation.—238 feet.

Visibility.—21 miles.

Structure.—Steel structure, painted white, 26 feet in height. The keeper's dwellings, when completed, will also be white.

Power.—14,000 candles.

Order.—4th. Dioptric.

Charts affected.—No. 1754, Tung yung to Wen chau bay.

„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.

„ 1262, Honkong to gulf of Liau-tung.

„ 1263, China sea.

„ 781, Pacific, north-west sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 167.

China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 298.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice (Special), No. 321 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—GULF OF ST. VINCENT.

Port Adelaide entrance—Temporary light; Amendments to chart.

No. 15 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1931 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—A temporary light of the undermentioned character has been established at the entrance to Port Adelaide river; and the amendments given below should be made to the chart.

1. Light established.

Position.—On outer end of training wall.

Lat. $34^{\circ} 48'$ S., long. $138^{\circ} 28'$ E.

Character.—Fixed red.

2. Amendments to chart.

(a) The colour of the beacon light, situated close southward of the outer end of the training wall, should be altered from red to white.

(b) The note "Temporary white lights hereabouts" placed on chart to the south-eastward of the training wall, should be expunged.

(c) The light-buoy, No. O.G., is situated at a distance of one cable, S. 73° W. from position shown on chart.

Variation.— 5° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1750, Port Adelaide.

" 1752, Approaches to Port Adelaide.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 261.

Australia Directory, vol. I, 1907, pages 338, 339.

Authority.—Board of Trade, 19th November 1908.

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Cotta (Kadalur) point—Establishment of light postponed.

No. 16 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1982 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—The establishment of a flashing white light on Cotta (Kadalur) point, Malabar announced to take place on or about the 1st April 1909, has been postponed, as the light will not be ready for exhibition on that date.

Position.—Lat. $11^{\circ} 28'$ N., long. $75^{\circ} 37\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Charts affected.—No. 64, Sacrifice rock to Beipur.

" 747, Mount Dilli to Calicut.

" 827, Vengurla to Cape Comorin.

" 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publications.—List of lights, part VI, 1908, page 51.

West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 137.

Notice to Mariners No. 1839 of 1908. (*This office No. 423 of 30th October 1908.*)

Authority.—Trinity House, London, 28th November 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—SANDWICH ISLANDS—HAWAII.

Hilo bay—Amendments to buoyage.

No. 17 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1935 of 1908), are republished :—

Subject.—On or about the 6th November 1908 the undermentioned buoys in Hilo bay, Hawaii island, would be re-numbered, as given below.

Position.—Cocoa Nut point light, lat. $19^{\circ} 43\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $155^{\circ} 5\frac{1}{2}'$ W.

(a) Black can buoy No. 5.

Position.—Situated at a distance of $10\frac{1}{2}$ cables, N. 44° E., from Cocoa Nut point light.

Alteration.—Number altered to "1."

(b) Red conical buoy No. 4.

Position.—Situated at a distance of $10\frac{1}{2}$ cables, N. 59° E., from Cocoa Nut point light.

Alteration.—Restored to its original number "2."

(c) Red spar buoy No. 2.

Position.—Situated at a distance of 9 cables, N. 70° E., from Cocoa Nut point light.

Alteration.—Colour altered to black, and number changed to "5."

Variation.— 10° E.

Chart affected.—No. 1377, Plan of Hilo bay.

Publications.—Pacific Islands, vol. III, 1900, page 199; Revised Supplement, 1908.

Notice to Mariners No. 1855 of 1908. (*This office No. 520 of 23rd December 1908.*)

Authority.—Honolulu Notice, dated 2nd November 1908.

INDIAN OCEAN—MADAGASCAR, NORTH-WEST COAST—NOSI BÉ.

Tani-keli light—Character altered.

No. 18 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 4936 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—On or about the 25th October 1908, the fixed white light exhibited from Tani-keli islet, Nosi Bé, would be replaced by a light of the undermentioned character,

Position.—Lat. $13^{\circ} 28\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $48^{\circ} 14\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Character.—Group flashing white light, showing two groups of three flashes. Period not stated.

Elevation.—197 feet.

Visibility.—Not stated.

Structure.—26 feet in height from base to centre of lantern. Description not stated.

Order.—4th.

Charts affected.—No. 2871, Nosi Bé, southern anchorages.

" 706, Pasindava, and adjacent bays.

" 2762, Comoro islands, &c.

" 758, Cape St. Andrew to Antongil bay.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI., 1908, No. 119.

Islands in the Southern Indian Ocean, 1904, page 167.

Authority.—H B.M. Consul, Antananarivo, 17th October 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Bluff harbour—Amended positions of leading beacons, etc.

No. 19 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1937 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The positions of the leading beacons in Bluff harbour are as undermentioned; the position of the light-vessel, and of the buoy marking Middle ground, have been altered as given below.

Position.—35-foot \blacktriangle , westward of Quarantine station, lat. $46^{\circ} 36\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $168^{\circ} 28\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

1. Tewaewae rocks leading beacons (fixed white lights):—

(a) Front beacon.

Position.—Situated at a distance of 390 yards, S. 80° E., from 35-foot \blacktriangle .

(b) Rear beacon.

Position.—Situated at a distance of 740 yards, N. 34° E., from 35-foot \blacktriangle .

Remarks.—These beacons are in line when bearing N. 2° E.

2. Middle bank leading beacons (*fixed green lights*):—

(a) Front beacon.

Position.—Situated on site of the old rear beacon.

(b) Rear beacon.

Position.—Situated at a distance of 500 yards, N. 68° W., from front beacon.*Remarks*.—These beacons are in line when bearing N. 68° W.

The old front leading beacon, a dark-coloured wooden structure, is still standing, but exhibits no light.

3. Alteration in position of light-vessel.

Position.—Moved about 45 yards in a north-easterly direction, and now situated at a distance of 510 yards, N. 85° E., from the eastern extremity of the Railway wharf.

4. Alteration in buoy marking Middle ground.

Position.—Moved about 50 yards in a south-easterly direction, and now moored in a depth of 21 feet, at a distance of 260 yards, N. 36° E., from the eastern extremity of the Railway wharf.*Description*.—Red conical buoy.*Remarks*.—All light-bacons and dolphins in the harbour are painted white.*Variation*.—18° E.*Charts affected*.—No. 3484, Awarua or Bluff harbour.

" 2540, Awarua or Bluff harbour and New river.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 347.

New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 312, 313; Supplement, 1906.

Notice to Mariners No. 1006 of 1908. (*This office No. 318 of 31st July 1908.*)*Authority*.—H.M.S. *Encounter*, Hydrographical Note, No. 6 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Otago harbour.—*Bank extending*; *Depth in dredged channel*.*No. 20 (second publication)*.—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1938 of 1908), are republished:—*Subject*.—The undermentioned information has been received with regard to Otago harbour.*Position*.—Taiaroa head, lat. 45° 46½' S., long. 170° 45' E.*Particulars*.—

(a) The bank westward of Taiaroa head has extended to about 30 yards westward of the line of the leading lights.

(b) The dredged channel through Middle bank has now a least depth of 23 feet. The direction of the channel is approximately N. E. by N. and S. W. by S.

Light-bacons for leading through this channel are in course of construction.

Variation.—18° E.*Chart affected*.—No. 2411, Otago harbour, with plan.*Publications*.—New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 292, 293; Revised Supplement, 1906.*Authority*.—H. M. S. *Encounter*, Hydrographical Note, No. 7 of 1908.

JAPAN—KIUSIU, SOUTH COAST.

Bono Misaki (Me saki).—*Light established*.

ERRATUM:

No. 21 (second publication).—In Notice to Mariners No. 336, dated 14th August 1908, issued by this office (British Admiralty Notice No. 1114 of 1908) under heading "Position"—

For "long. 13° 12' 37" E," read long. 130° 12' 37" E.

The 23rd December 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—PHŒNIX GROUP.

Phœnia island—Non-existence of beacon.

No. 519 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1851 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The beacon formerly situated on the south-western side of Phœnix island no longer exists.

Position.—Lat. $3^{\circ} 43' S.$, long. $170^{\circ} 42\frac{1}{2}' W.$

Remarks.—There are no trees on the island or any distinctive elevation, and it would therefore be quite invisible on a dark night and difficult of detection on a cloudy day.

Charts affected.—No. 184, Plan of Phœnix island.

„ 1830, Ellice islands to Phœnix islands.

Publication.—Pacific Islands, vol. II, 1908, page 194.

Authority.—Mr. J. T. Horne, Master of the S.S. *Indravelli*, 20th September 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN, NORTH—SANDWICH ISLANDS—HAWAII.

Hilo bay—Buoy established.

No. 520 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1855 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—On or about the 20th October 1908, a buoy of the undermentioned description would be established in Hilo bay, Hawaii island, to mark a rock situated on the western side of Cocoa Nut island.

Position.—Situated in a depth of 19 feet, with No. 5 buoy, Blonde reef, bearing N. $14^{\circ} W.$, distant $4\frac{1}{2}$ cables, and Cocoa Nut point light S. $70^{\circ} W.$

Lat. $19^{\circ} 44' N.$, long. $155^{\circ} 4\frac{1}{2}' W.$

Description.—Red spar buoy, mark “2.”

Remarks.—On the same date No. 2 buoy, red conical, moored off the northern end of Cocoa Nut island, would be re-numbered “4.”

Variation.— $10^{\circ} E.$

Charts affected.—No. 1377, Plan of Hilo bay.

Publications.—Pacific islands, vol. III, 1900, page 199; Revised Supplement, 1908.

Authority.—Honolulu Notice, dated 20th October 1908.

JAPAN—YEZO, EAST COAST.

Noshap saki lighthouse—Character of fog-signal altered.

No. 521 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1856 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—On or about the 20th October 1908, a fog-signal of the undermentioned description would be established at Noshap saki lighthouse, and on the same date the fog-bell would be discontinued.

Position.—Lat. $43^{\circ} 23' N.$, long. $145^{\circ} 49' E.$

Description.—A fog-siren giving blasts of five seconds' duration every thirty-five seconds, thus:—

Blast,	silent interval,
5 secs.	30 secs.

Charts affected.—No. 1268, Plan of Go Yo Mai channel.

„ 507, Go Yo Mai channel to Yezo strait.

„ 452, Yezo island.

„ 2405, Kuril islands.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1110.

Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 738.

Authority.—Tokyo, Department of Communications Notice, No. 943 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, NORTH-EAST COAST—DELI RIVER.

Belawan channel—Buoys withdrawn.

No. 522 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1875 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoys in the Belawan channel, Deli river, have been withdrawn.

Position.—Belawan light, lat. $3^{\circ} 48' N.$, long. $98^{\circ} 41' E.$

Bearing and distance from
Belawan light.

Description.

$N. 34^{\circ} E., 5$ miles.

Black can buoy No. 1.

$N. 53^{\circ} E., 3\frac{1}{2}$ "

Black can buoy No. 4.

$N. 82^{\circ} E., 4\frac{1}{16}$ "

White conical buoy No. 1.

Variation.—Nil.

Chart affected.—No. 1363, Diamond point to Pulo Berhala, with plan.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1906, page 100.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 2123 of 1908.

JAPAN—GULF OF TOKYO—YOKOHAMA APPROACH.

Treaty point—Buoy replaced by light-buoy.

No. 523 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1877 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The black conical buoy, with cylindrical topmark, moored south-eastward of Treaty point, has been replaced by a light-buoy of the under-mentioned description.

Position.—Situated at a distance of $1\frac{1}{16}$ miles, $S. 20^{\circ} E.$, from Treaty point.

Lat. $35^{\circ} 23\frac{3}{4}' N.$, long $139^{\circ} 40\frac{3}{4}' E.$

Description.—Iron truncated conical buoy, painted black, surmounted by a lattice-work structure carrying the lantern, exhibiting a *fixed white* light.

Name.—This buoy is known as Ara su light-buoy.

Variation.— $4^{\circ} W.$

Charts affected.—No. 3109, Yokohama bay.

" 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.

" 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.

" 3334, Tokyo to Sendai bay.

" 996, Kii channel to Tokyo.

Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 368.

Notice to Mariners No. 1682 of 1908. (*This office No. 464 of 19th November 1908.*)

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1243 of 1908.

JAPAN—GULF OF TOKYO.

Yokohama harbour—Mooring buoys re-numbered; additional buoy placed.

No. 524 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1878 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The mooring buoys in the eastern part of Yokohama harbour have been re-numbered, and an additional buoy placed, as undermentioned.

Position.—South breakwater light, lat. $35^{\circ} 27\frac{1}{4}' N.$, long. $139^{\circ} 39\frac{1}{4}' E.$

1. Buoys re-numbered:—

No. 4	renumbered	" 3."
" 5	"	" 4."
" 7	"	" 5."
" 10	"	" 6."
" 9	"	" 7."
" 12	"	" 8."
" 15	"	" 11."

2. Additional buoy placed.

Position.—Situated with south breakwater light bearing S. 67° E., distant 3½ cables, and the pier head light S. 16° W.

Description.—Mooring buoy No. 10.

Remarks.—Mooring buoy No. 11 (new number) has been moved about 30 yards to the westward of its former position.

Variation.—4° W.

Chart affected.—No. 3109, Yokohama bay.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 370.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1246 of 1908.

JAPAN—KIUSIU, WEST COAST—SHIMABARA KAIWAN.

Omuta (Miike) Ko—Light-buoys established.

No. 525 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1879 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—On the 1st October 1908 two light-buoys of the undermentioned descriptions would be established at the entrance to Omuta (Miike) Ko.

Position.—North jetty light, lat. 33° 0¼' N., long. 130° 23¼' E.

(a) *Position.*—Situated in a depth of 3 fathoms, with North jetty light bearing N. 85° W., distant 1½ cables, and South jetty head S. 7° E.

Name.—No. 4 light-buoy.

Description.—Iron truncated conical buoy, painted red, surmounted by a lattice-work structure carrying the lantern, exhibiting a *fixed red light*.

(b) *Position.*—Situated in a depth of 3 fathoms, with North jetty light bearing North, distant about 1½ cables, and South jetty head S. 86° E.

Name.—No. 2 light-buoy.

Description.—Similar in description to No. 4 light-buoy, but exhibiting an *occulting white light*.

Variation.—4° W.

Chart affected.—No. 3692, Shimabara kaiwan.

Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 545.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1241 of 1908.

JAPAN—YEZO ISLAND—TSUGARU STRAIT.

Shirakami zaki—Fog signal temporarily discontinued.

No. 526 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1885 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—The fog-siren at Shirakami zaki light-house, Tsugaru strait, has been temporarily discontinued.

Position.—Lat. 41° 24' N., long. 140° 11½' E.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 2441, Tsugaru strait.

„ 3409, Ishanomaki wan and Sakata ko to Tsugaru kaikyo.

„ 452, Yezo island.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 1086.

Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 694.

Authority.—Tokyo Department of Communications Notice No. 972 of 1908.

KOREA, EAST COAST.

Cape Duroch—Fog-signal temporarily discontinued.

No. 527 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1837 of 1908), are republished:—

Subject.—On account of damage to the apparatus, the fog-siren at Cape Duroch lighthouse has been temporarily discontinued.

Position.—Lat. 38° 42' N., long. 128° 23' E.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 1316, Cape Duroch to Linden point.

„ 2347, Nipon, Kiusiu, &c.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 935.

Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 133.

Notice to Mariners No. 259 of 1907. (*This office No. 140 of 23rd March 1907.*)

Authority.—Seoul Notice, No. 48 of 1908.

PERSIAN GULF.

Shat-Al-Arab river entrance—Buoy replaced.

No. 528 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners dated 16th December 1908, are republished:—

Particulars.—Reference to Bombay Government Notice to Mariners No. 97 of 21st October 1908. (*This office No. 426 of 6th November 1908.*) No. 1 buoy has been replaced in the position given below.

Position.—S. 62° E., from Fao Light.

Distance.—9·7 miles.

Charts affected.—No. 1235, Shat-Al-Arab and Bahamiser River.

Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1908, page 208.

Authority.—H. M. S. *Lapwing* Hydrographic Note of 30th November 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Akyab harbour—Light discontinued.

No. 529 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners, dated 16th December 1908, are republished;—

Subject.—The fixed Red Light on the end of the stone Pier inside the Harbour is discontinued.

Position.—Latitude 20° 8' N., Longitude 92° 54' E., 1·4 miles northward of Fakir Point.

Remarks.—The stone jetty having been washed away in the recent cyclone.

Charts affected.—No. 1884, Arakan River—Akyab.

821, Elephant Point to Cheduba Strait.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, No. 363.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 256.

Authority.—Port Officer, Akyab, Notice to Mariners, dated 18th November 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Rangoon river—Monkey point channel temporarily closed to all navigation.

No. 530 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners, dated 16th December 1908, are republished:—

Subject.—The Monkey Point Channel in Rangoon river has been closed to all navigation from 12th December 1908, until further notice.

Remarks.—This channel is being dredged.

Charts affected.—No. 833, Rangoon river and Approaches.

Publications.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 355.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Burma, telegram, dated 12th December 1908.

BAY OF BENGAL—HOOGHLY RIVER APPROACH.

General Instructions.

No. 531 (third publication).—From Notice to Mariners No. 271, dated 1st July 1908 issued by this Office, the following words have been expunged:—

Para. 3, 4th line. "*Also a flare up is shown.*"

" 10, 3rd " "*Or flare up.*"

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NOMINATION OF A MEMBER OF THE BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE MUNICIPALITIES OF THE BURDWAN DIVISION.

RESOLUTION—No. 204A.

APPOINTMENT.

Calcutta, the 8th January 1909.

THE seat in the Bengal Legislative Council of the Hon'ble Babu Kali Pada Ghosh, who was nominated as the representative of the Municipalities in the Orissa and Chota Nagpur Divisions on the 9th March 1907, will be vacant on the 8th March 1909.

2. In paragraph 5 of the Resolution of this Government, No. 1553.I., dated the 25th March 1893, it was prescribed that Municipalities should be grouped together, Division by Division, and that Municipalities within each Divisional area should take it in turns to exercise the privilege bestowed upon them of recommending a person for nomination to the Council. In the same paragraph a sketch was given of the form which the rotation would probably assume; but it was mentioned that the Lieutenant-Governor could not bind himself or his successor as to the exact order in which the privilege would in future be exercised.

3. When in January 1907 the term of the appointment of Mr. Jogesh Chandra Chaudhuri, who was nominated on the recommendation of the Municipalities of the Rajshahi Division, to be a Member of the Bengal Legislative Council, expired, it was the turn of the Municipalities of the Burdwan Division to recommend a person for nomination to the Council in accordance with the rotation determined in this Government's Resolution, No. 1553J., dated the 25th March 1893. As, however, important legislation affecting the Orissa and the Chota Nagpur Divisions was likely to be introduced at that time, the Municipalities of those Divisions, instead of the Burdwan Division, were given the privilege of recommending a person for nomination to the Council.

The Lieutenant-Governor has decided that the recommendation on the present occasion should be made by the Municipalities of the Burdwan Division. The necessary notification will now be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, specifying the Municipalities in this Division as the group of Municipalities on whose recommendation the Lieutenant-Governor will make a nomination to the vacant seat. Only those Municipalities, which enjoy a clear income from Municipal resources proper of Rs. 5,000 and over, will exercise the right of voting for the selection of a candidate for nomination to the Council. The voting power of each Municipality is calculated on the basis of its ordinary income, according to the following scale, as laid down in paragraph 6 of the Resolution of this Government, No. 2307A., dated the 31st March 1897:—

		Rs.		Votes.	
Municipalities with an income of		5,000	and less than 10,000	...	1
Ditto	ditto	10,000	ditto 20,000	...	2
Ditto	ditto	20,000	ditto 50,000	...	3
Ditto	ditto	50,000	ditto 1,00,000	...	4
Ditto	ditto	1,00,000	ditto 1,50,000	...	5
Ditto	ditto	1,50,000	and over	...	6

4. The following statement shows the Municipalities in the Burdwan Division, which will send delegates to vote for a person to be recommended for the vacant seat, and the number of votes assigned to each according to the above scale. Each Municipality will elect one representative only, and he will be entitled to exercise all the votes of the body which he represents. The ordinary income taken is that for 1907-08.

Municipalities in the Burdwan Division.					
District.	NAME OF MUNICIPALITY.		Ordinary income.	Number of votes to be recorded by the Municipality.	
			Rs.		
Burdwan	{	Burdwan	...	114,711	5
	{	Kalna	...	15,063	2
	{	Katwa	...	9,719	1
	{	Raniganj	...	17,789	2
	{	Asansol	...	24,832	3
Birbhum	...	Suri	...	13,107	2
Bankura	{	Bankura	...	18,406	2
	{	Vishnupur	...	10,681	2
	{	Sonamukhi	...	5,946	1
Midnapore	{	Midnapore	...	59,033	4
	{	Tamluk	...	9,652	1
	{	Ghatal	...	7,971	1
	{	Chandrakona	...	6,400	1
Hooghly	{	Hooghly-Chinsura	...	55,977	4
	{	Serampore	...	60,495	4
	{	Uttarpara	...	16,567	2
	{	Baidyabati	...	24,823	3
	{	Bhadreswar	...	19,734	2
	{	Kotrung	...	7,588	1
Howrah	{	Bansbaria	...	8,147	1
	{	Arambagh	...	7,016	1
	{	Howrah	...	7,96,741	6
	{	Bally	...	33,683	3

5. Under Rule IV of the Regulations framed by the Governor-General in Council with the approval of the Secretary of State under section 1 (4) of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, for Bengal, the Lieutenant-Governor now desires the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division at once to address the Chairmen of the Municipalities enumerated in the above list, requesting them to convene a special meeting of the Commissioners of each Municipality at which one of them should be selected to represent the Municipality for the purpose of making the recommendation for the seat in Council and at the same time expressing his desire to receive the names of any candidates for the Council who may offer themselves for recommendation.

6. The period of three months laid down in Rule VII of the Regulations as that within which a recommendation shall be made to the Lieutenant-Governor will run from the date on which the Commissioner issues his request to the Chairmen of the Municipalities.

7. All candidates for the Council should be proposed and seconded by two Commissioners of one of the Municipalities included in the group; and their names, addresses and qualifications, with those of their proposers and seconders, should be reported to the Commissioner of the Division by the Chairman of the Municipality to which the proposer and seconder in each case belong, so as to reach him not later than a month before the date fixed for the appointment of a representative under Regulation V (c), which date should at the same time be notified to the Commissioner. It will be the business of each Chairman to see that this is done.

8. The Commissioner should enter the names of candidates who have been duly proposed and seconded, with those of their proposers and seconders, and the other particulars above noted, as they reach him, in a list to be kept for the purpose; and he should circulate this list to all Municipalities included in the group, so as to reach them before the date fixed for the appointment of a representative. On the date on which the meeting for the purpose of appointing a representative is held, the list of candidates mentioned above should be circulated to each member present at the meeting. It will rest with the Municipalities, if they see fit, to give clear and definite instructions to their representatives as to the way in which they should vote, that is, as to the candidate for whom they should vote, declaring the name of the candidate to whom all their votes should be given, or, if to be given to more than one candidate, the order and manner in which such votes should be given.

9. As soon as the representatives have been selected, they will be called upon by the Commissioner of the Division to meet together on an early and convenient date, with special reference to the limit imposed by Rule VII of the Regulations, and at such convenient place as he may specify, for the purpose of electing, by a majority of votes, a person whom they will recommend to the Lieutenant-Governor to be nominated as a Member of the Council.

10. The electoral representatives present at this meeting shall elect one of themselves to be Chairman, and he shall preside and be responsible for the fair and proper conduct of the voting.

11. The names of all candidates entered on the list mentioned above, together with those of their proposers and seconders, shall be read out by the Chairman, and the representatives shall then proceed to vote. The person elected must obtain a majority of the votes of the representatives present. If on the occasion of the first vote, an absolute majority is not obtained, the name of the candidate who obtains the least number of votes shall be withdrawn from the election, and another vote shall then be held for the remaining candidates, and so on, until an absolute majority is obtained.

12. The Chairman of the meeting shall without delay report to the Commissioner of the Division the name of the person elected, with the number of votes obtained, and any other information which it may appear desirable to communicate, and he shall, on behalf of the meeting, recommend to the Lieutenant-Governor the nomination to the Council of the person so elected. The Commissioner shall submit the report from the Chairman of the meeting, with any observations he may wish to add, to the Chief Secretary to the Government, by whom the recommendation will be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor.

13. Attention is drawn to Rule VI of the Regulations framed by the Governor-General in Council with the approval of the Secretary of State, which runs as follows:—

VI.—It shall be a condition in the case of any person to be recommended by a Municipal Corporation or group of Municipal Corporations that he shall be a person resident within the Municipality or the district in which it is situated, or in some one of the Municipalities constituting the group or of the districts in which they are situated.

A similar condition shall also apply to persons to be recommended by District Boards.

Explanation.—A person is not “resident” within the meaning of this Rule unless he has a place of residence in the locality concerned, and such practical connection with that locality as qualifies him to represent the inhabitants thereof.

If at any time the question is raised whether a person proposed for election is “resident” within the meaning of this rule, the question shall be referred to, and decided by, the Local Government, whose decision shall be final.

Under this rule it is not necessary that the person recommended should be a member of any Municipality concerned, but he must be resident within the Division from which the recommendation is made. Subject to this condition, the rules declare no limit of qualification, and it is left to the representatives to recommend a person under Rule V (c), according to the majority of their votes.

14. It is desirable that the subsidiary arrangements now sanctioned shall, as far as possible, be given effect to by the Municipalities concerned with the minimum amount of official interference. The Divisional Commissioner and the District Magistrates will, of course, afford any assistance which may be required, and will do their utmost to facilitate the smooth working of the elections; but Government officers are forbidden to take part, directly or indirectly, in the election by canvassing, influencing votes, or otherwise interfering with the free choice of the Municipalities. No indication should be given by any official member of any of the Municipalities concerned as to the manner in which he himself intends to vote.

Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be furnished to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, for information and guidance, and for communication to the Municipalities in his Division.

Ordered also that a copy be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 11th January 1909.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	9	8	Threshing of winter paddy going on. Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops and sugarcane not good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. No apprehension of scarcity.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy nearly finished. Rain wanted for sugarcane and <i>rabi</i> crops. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	9½	9	Weather seasonable. Threshing of paddy continuing. Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice over. Transplantation of summer rice continuing in the Ghatal subdivision. Expected outturn of sugarcane about 80 per cent. in the Tamluk subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Salbani, Nayagram, Jhargaoon and Binpur. Common rice selling at 12 seers per rupee at Contai, at 9 seers at Tamluk and at 11 seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	9	8	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till the next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of sugarcane, potatoes and <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Prices of food-grains falling. Harvesting of winter paddy continuing. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing fairly well. No cattle disease reported. Fodder and water-supply sufficient.
7	24-PARGANAS ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Rain wanted. Common rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 9½ seers at Basirhat, 9½ seers at Diamond Harbour and at 8 seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	9	8½	Rainfall at the subdivisions <i>nil</i> . Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of <i>kalai</i> and <i>mung</i> almost finished. Price of staple food-grains slightly fallen. Stocks of food-grains barely sufficient. Cattle-pox reported from thana Karimpur. Fodder and water sufficient.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in annas per mase.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, &c.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	8½	8½	Weather dry and cold. Harvesting of <i>aman</i> paddy finished in the Sadar subdivision, but going on in other subdivisions. Its prospects bad in the Jangipur subdivision, but fair in the Lalbagh and Kandi subdivisions. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops not good in the Sadar, Kandi and Lalbagh subdivisions, but fair in the Jangipur subdivision. Prospects of sugarcane not good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
10	JESSORE ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>aman</i> paddy nearly completed. Rape seed and <i>kalai</i> being harvested. Condition of standing crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good.
11	KHULNA ...	Nil	9	10	Weather seasonable. Prices of staple food-grains rising. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Harvesting of winter paddy continuing. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops not very favourable. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	8½ 14½*	8½ 14½*	Weather cool and sometimes cloudy. Harvesting of paddy continuing. Rain badly wanted for <i>rabi</i> crops which are being irrigated where possible. Poppy plants coming up well. Food-stock resources supplemented by imports. Fodder and water supply sufficient. No cattle-disease.
13	GAYA ...	Nil	9½ 13½*	9½ 14*	Weather seasonable; occasionally cloudy. <i>Rabi</i> crops on irrigated areas doing well; those on unirrigated areas suffering for want of rain. Harvesting of paddy and pressing of sugarcane still continuing. Planting of sugarcane commenced at places.
14	SASARAM ...	Nil	9 13*	8½ 12*	Rainfall at Sasaram 0·02 inch. Pressing of sugarcane and threshing of paddy in progress. Standing crops doing fairly well, but rain urgently wanted in the non-irrigated areas. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	10 14½*	10 15*	Weather seasonable. Rain wanted. Irrigation of <i>rabi</i> crops and poppy continuing. <i>Rabi</i> crops drying for want of moisture in places where irrigation is not possible. Pressing of sugarcane going on. Fields being prepared for sugarcane-planting. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in annas per mase.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 14\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 14\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather cold, sometimes cloudy. Harvesting and threshing of winter rice approaching completion. Rain urgently wanted for <i>rabi</i> crops. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 14\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice completed. <i>Rabi</i> crops suffering for want of moisture. Common rice and <i>makai</i> selling at 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ and 14 seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi and 9 and 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur. Cattle-disease reported in Pupri thana. Fodder at present sufficient, but water-supply running short in many parts in the district.
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. <i>Rabi</i> crops suffering on account of continued drought. Food-stocks sufficient owing to imports. Cattle-disease reported in one village in the Sadar thana. Number of persons on test-works on the 9th January 1909—Men 7,400, women 8,138 and children 594—total 16,132. Number gratuitously relieved—men 173, women 408 and children 394—total 975.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 13 \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 9 \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Rain badly wanted for the standing <i>rabi</i> crops. Prices of staple food crops stationary. No cattle-disease reported. Report from the Jamui subdivision not received. Fodder and water sufficient in other parts of the district.
20	BRAGALPUR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of the paddy crop finished. Threshing continuing. Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops worse. Rain badly wanted. Pressing of sugarcane continuing. Fodder and water sufficient. No immediate apprehension of famine, but the position still critical. No cattle-disease reported. Prices of staple food-grains showing a tendency to fall, though at present stationary. Condition of agricultural stock good.
21	PURNA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7 \\ 12 \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 13 \end{array} \right.$	Weather very cold. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops generally bad. Mustard and <i>kulthi</i> being harvested in many places. Condition of poorer classes affected by scarcity in several thanas. Steps being taken to relieve distress. Stocks of food-grains sufficient on account of imports, but high prices prevailing. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder sufficient, but scarcity of water existing in several thanas. Common rice selling at 7 seers and 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee at Kishanganj and Araria respectively.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	DARJEELING ...	Nil	{ 8 13°	{ 7 13°	Weather seasonable. Hills—Wheat and barley growing. Oilseeds being harvested. Terai—Harvesting of winter rice in progress. Pressing of sugarcane going on. Oilseeds doing well. Potatoes being harvested. Lands being prepared for next season's crops. Prospects fair. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Prices stationary.
23	SONTHAL PAR- GANAS.	Nil	{ 9½ 10½°	{ 9½ 10½°	Harvesting of paddy over. State of <i>rabi</i> crops not favourable. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water not sufficient in the Godda and Rajmahal subdivisions.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10½	10½	Paddy, sugarcane, <i>birhi</i> and <i>kulthi</i> being harvested. Tobacco growing. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. 59 men, 112 women and 95 children—total 266—given gratuitous relief.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	10	12	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>saradh</i> nearly completed. Threshing of <i>saradh</i> paddy, pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Vegetables doing well. <i>Dalua</i> paddy being sown and transplanted. Prospects fair. Scarcity existing in some parts of Dhamnagar and Chandbali thanas. No cattle-disease. Common rice selling at 13 seers a rupee at Bhadrak. Prices rising at Sadar and stationary at Bhadrak. 48 men, 268 women and 417 children—total 733—receiving gratuitous relief in Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	14	14	Weather seasonable. Threshing of paddy and harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops in progress. Pressing of sugarcane going on. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 12 seers a rupee at the Khondmals. Fodder and water sufficient.
27	PURI ...	Nil	9½	9½	<i>Saradh</i> paddy being harvested and sugarcane being pressed. <i>Dalua</i> paddy coming up well. Cattle-disease reported from Kothdeah. Common rice selling at 10½ seers a rupee at Khurda. 38 men, 109 women and 228 children—total 375—relieved in kitchens.

* The figures indicate the price of males in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
		Inches.			
28	SAMBALPUR ...	Nil	12	12	Threshing of winter rice and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Lands being prepared for next season's crops. Condition of standing sugarcane and vegetables good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water supply sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Cattle-disease reported. Common rice selling at 13 seers a rupee at Bargarh.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	Nil	{ 8½ 12 }	{ 8½ 12 }	Weather seasonable. Ploughing of lands for sugarcane in progress. Rain wanted for standing crops in many places. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Fodder and water sufficient. Stocks of food-grains adequate.
30	RANCHI ...	Nil	8½	9½	Weather seasonable. Ploughing continuing. Standing crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from five thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMU ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Paddy-threshing continuing. Rain wanted for <i>rabi</i> crops in most places. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Some cattle-disease.
32	MANBHUM ...	Nil	11	10	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Nirsha. Condition of agricultural stock good. Prices of staple food-grains gradually going down. Common rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	0.08	9½	9½	Weather cold. Harvesting of winter paddy finished. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 10 and 12 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	7½	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continuing. Prospects of standing crops fair. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at adar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.	Inches. .....	.....	.....	No rain during the week. Weather generally cold in almost all the States. Harvesting of pulses and oilseeds in progress in Rairakhol, Talcher, Atagarh, Dhenkanal, Patna, Kalahandi, Nayagarh and Nilgiri. Pressing of sugarcane going on in Baramba, Khandpara, Daspalla, Bonai, Keonjhar, Boad, Dhenkanal, Kalahandi, Gangpur and Nilgiri. State of standing crops good in Daspalla, Talcher, Hindol, Boad, Dhenkanal and Gangpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 9 seers in Keonjhar and 12 seers in Mayurbhanj, Pal-Lahera and Narsingpur to 17 seers in Talcher and 18 seers in Patna.

* The report is for the week ending the 2nd January 1909.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—There was practically no rain again in the week under report. Some light showers were received only in Singhbhum and in the Sasaram subdivision of Shahabad. The harvesting of pulses and of early oilseeds is still continuing in Nadia, Jessore, Purnea and Cuttack and sugarcane-pressing is in progress in Bihar and Orissa. The harvesting of *aman* paddy has not yet been completed. Preparation of lands for planting of sugarcane has commenced in Saran, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh and Ranchi. *Rabi* crops are in need of rain, and the crops on unirrigated areas in Gaya, Saran, Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga are suffering for want of moisture. Prospects of these crops are unfavourable in North Bihar and in parts of Burdwan, Murshidabad, Khulna and the Sonthal Parganas. Distress is reported from several thanas of Purnea due to scarcity and high prices of food-grains, and arrangements for relief are being made for those who are in distress. The price of common rice has fallen in Burdwan, Bankura, Hooghly, Nadia, Murshidabad, Patna, Gaya, Shahabad, Darjeeling and Manbhum, and has risen in Khulna, Darbhanga, Purnea, Balasore, Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Cooch Behar. Cattle-disease exists in Midnapore, Nadia, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Puri, Sambalpur and in Chota Nagpur, Singhbhum excepted. Scarcity of water-supply is reported from Muzaffarpur, Purnea and the Sonthal Parganas. The number of persons on test-works in Darbhanga was 16,132. Gratuitous relief was given to 1,374 persons in Orissa and 975 persons in Darbhanga.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 12th January 1909.

N. N. BANERJEE,
for Offy. Director of Agriculture, Bengal, on tour.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 26th December 1908, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

NATURE OF CARGO.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 26TH DECEMBER 1908.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 28TH DECEMBER 1907.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	980	1,17,937	2,126	205	49,406	769
Jute	193	84,760*	1,376	243	79,155†	1,375
Firewood	48	52,160	809	26	26,400	380
Other articles	947	2,13,500	2,573	631	1,40,391	1,918
Total	2,168	4,68,367	6,884	1,105	2,95,352	4,442

* Weight by canal measurement, 82,675 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 87,412½ "

CALCUTTA,
The 11th January 1909.

AMAR NATH DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 2nd January 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

NATURE OF CARGO	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 2ND JANUARY 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 4TH JANUARY 1908.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	699	97,685	1,582	461	82,037	1,453
Jute	170	53,865*	963	286	94,995†	1,507
Firewood	19	11,650	181	128	1,13,860	1,721
Other articles	843	1,68,866	2,245	786	2,05,741	2,804
Total	1,731	3,31,666	4,971	1,661	4,96,626	7,485

* Weight by canal measurement, 61,675 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 98,450 "

CALCUTTA,
The 11th January 1909

AMAR NATH DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 9th January 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

NATURE OF CARGO.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 9TH JANUARY 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 11TH JANUARY 1908.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	1,205	1,82,742	3,175	676	1,42,466	2,217
Jute	214	1,11,610*	1,335	262	87,500†	1,307
Firewood	55	78,760	1,184	62	33,400	513
Other articles	1,112	2,58,808	3,361	908	2,04,361	2,607
Total	2,586	5,31,920	9,055	1,893	4,67,797	6,644

* Weight by canal measurement, 1,32,137½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto 90,262½ do

CALCUTTA,
The 18th January 1909.

AMAR NATH DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

		QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN																			
DIVISION.	Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			COMMON RICE.			JOWAR OR CRULUM (<i>Andropogon torghum</i>).			BAJRA OR CUMBU. (<i>Pennisetum typhoid- eum</i>).						
									Average.		Cheapest.										
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
BURDWAN DIVISION.			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.		
1 Burdwan			...	...	...	...	...	...	New 8 8	Old 0 12	...	New 9 0	Old 7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
2 Birbhum			7 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	...	9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...
3 Bankura			7 8	7 8	8 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	7 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	...
4 Midnapore			6 8	6 12	7 0	...	...	...	New 10 6	Old 9 1	...	New 10 12	Old 9 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 Hooghly			...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	6 4	...	8 0	7 8	6 0	...	...	...	...	...
6 Howrah			...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	6 8	...	8 0	7 0	7 4	...	...	...	...	...
7 24-Parganas			7 8	7 8	6 12	...	...	...	8 0	7 8	...	9 0	9 0	7 4	...	...	...	...	...
8 Calcutta			7 0	7 0	6 6	11 0	11 0	8 0	6 12	6 12	...	9 0	8 12	7 10	...	...	...	...	...
9 Nadia			6 7	6 9	10 0	Not report.	...	13 5	...	6 9	...	9 0	8 0	7 12	...	...	...	...	...
10 Murshidabad			7 12	7 8	8 12	12 0	12 0	11 8	7 8	7 4	...	8 12	8 4	7 6	...	...	...	...	...
11 Jessore			6 6	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 6	8 0	7 9	7 9	...	9 2	9 2	8 0	...	...	...	...	...
12 Khulna			...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	...	10 0	10 0	8 4	...	...	...	...	...
BIHAR																					
13 Patna			8 8	8 8	7 8	15 4	14 0	11 0	8 8	8 4	...	9 8	9 4	7 6	Not sold	9 8	...	...	...
14 Gaya			7 12	7 4	7 0	13 0	13 0	0 0	8 12	8 8	...	9 0	9 0	6 14	14 0	{ 12 8 to 14 8 }	8 8	...	...
15 Shahabad			8 4	8 0	7 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	...	8 12	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	...
16 Saran			9 0	9 0	7 0	13 0	13 0	10 0	...	8 0	...	9 8	9 2	8 0	...	...	...	...	...
17 Chhaparan			7 12	7 8	6 8	14 0	14 0	12 0	8 0	8 0	...	9 8	9 4	7 8	...	...	...	...	...
18 Muzaffarpur			9 0	8 0	7 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	6 0	6 0	...	8 8	9 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...
19 Darbhanga			8 8	8 8	7 2	14 4	14 4	11 0	5 8	5 8	...	7 2	8 0	7 11	...	...	...	...	...
PATNA DIVISION.																					

- A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 22 seers (karkatch); Asansol 20 seers; Kalna 22½ seers (karkatch); Hariganj 20 seers.
- B. At Rampur Hat the retail price of salt is 22 seers per rupee (karkatch).
- C. At Viahnupur the retail price of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contal 20 seers; Tamluk 20 seers; Ghatal 22½ seers.
- D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 20 seers; Arambagh 18 seers.
- E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee (panga).
- F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 20 seers per rupee (panga).
- G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 22½ seers (karkatch); Barasat 16 seers; Baduria 21½ seers; Mograbat 18½ seers; Barrackpore 16 seers.
- H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 22 seers (panga); Choudanga report not received; Meherpur 20 seers; Ranaghat 17 seers (crashed).

Station Bazaars of the districts of Bengal on the 31st December 1908.

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- I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 20 seers; Lalbagh 20 seers; and Kandi 20 seers.
 J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 18½ seers; Magura 16 seers; Bangaon 18 seers, and Narail 17½ seers (panga).
 K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 15 seers (panga); Satkhira 20 seers.
 L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 20 seers; Dinapore 15 seers; and Bihar 18½ seers.
 M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Aurangabad 20 seers; Jehanabad not received; and Nawadah 2½ seers.
 N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 20 seers; Bhaghub 19 seers; and Samauram 20 seers.
 O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 20½ seers (panga); Gopalganj 19½ seers (panga).
 P. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 19 seers per rupee.
 Q. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sitamarhi 20 seers; Hajipur 18½ seers.
 R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 20 seers; Madhubani 19½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarter

		QUANTITIES PER RUPEE 1																		
DIVISION.	Number.	DISTRICTS	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			COMMON RICE.						JOWAR OR OHOLUN (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>)			BAJRA OR CUMH (<i>Pennisetum typhoides</i>)		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Average.			Cheapest.			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
									Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.						
BIHAR—continued.			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BENGAL DIVISION.	20	Monghyr ..	9 4	8 0	7 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	7 11	12	...	8 0	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	21	Bhawalpur ..	8 3	8 4	8 8	13 4	12 10	12 10	7 4	7 10	...	8 14	8 8	7 9	...	...	...	...	...	...
	22	Luxee ..	7 8	7 8	9 0	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	...	7 8	7 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	23	Darjeeling ..	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 12	5 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	24	Donthia Parganas ..	7 0	8 0	6 0	2 0	9 8	7 0	8 8	8 8	...	9 8	9 0	8 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
ORISSA.																				
ORISSA DIVISION.	25	Cuttack ..	6 14	6 14	7 14	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	10 8	10 8	7 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	26	Balasore ..	7 8	7 8	7 0	...	...	...	11 0	9 0	...	12 0	9 8	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	27	Angul ..	5 0	5 0	5 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	8 0	14 0	14 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	28	Puri ..	6 9	6 9	7 3	...	...	...	9 13	9 3	...	10 8	9 13	7 3	...	...	...	...	...	...
	29	Sambalpur ..	7 0	7 0	8 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	...	12 0	12 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR.																				
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.	30	Hasaribagh ..	6 12	6 12	6 8	10 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 0	...	9 0	8 12	6 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	31	Ranchi ..	7 0 to 7 4	7 0 to 7 4	6 8 to 7 0	10 0	10 8	8 0	9 0	9 0	...	10 0	10 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	32	Palamau ..	7 5	7 5	7 5	10 11	10 11	Not sold.	6 12	6 12	...	7 14	7 14	7 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
	33	Manbhum ..	7 0	7 8	7 8	10 0	Not reported.	8 0	9 0	9 0	...	10 8	10 8	8 0	...	...	...	10 0	...	...
	34	Hagbhum ..	6 8	6 8	7 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	10 0	9 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagnasari 20 seers; Jamul 20 seers

T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banksa 17½ seers; Madhipura 13 seers; Supaul 20 seers.

U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 16 seers; Basantpur 18 seers.

V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 14 seers; Siliguri 16 seers.

W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jamtara 18 seers; Godda 16 seers; Deoghur 20 seers; Pak 20 seers; and Rajmahal 16 seers.

CALCUTTA.

The 24th January 1909

SUPPLEMENT TO THE CALCUTTA GAZETTE, JANUARY 13, 1909.

Station *Bamara* of the districts of Bengal on the 15th December 1908—concl'd.

REBS OF EIGHTY TOLANS.

MILLS OF EIGHTY TOLARS.										WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS.										Number.	
MANUA OR RAGI (Eleusine Coracana).			KANKHON KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Salaris sativa).			JHAM, JHAM, OHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (Oleraceae).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (Zea mays).			ARHAR (dal) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (Cajanus indicus).			SALT.			SALT.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.
Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Ch. S. Ch. S. Ch.	Rs. A. P. Rs. A. P. Rs. A. P.			
...	10 8 9 0 9 0	13 0 12 0 10 0	7 4 6 0 6 8	20 0 20 0 18 12	2 0 0 2 0 0 2 4 0	20										
...	8 0 9 0 9 9	13 14 14 0 9 9	7 8 7 8 6 15	20 0 20 0 20 0	1 14 3 11 14 0 1 14 7 3	21										
...	7 8 7 8 8 0	13 0 11 0 13 0	6 8 6 2 8 0	16 0 16 0 16 0	2 8 0 2 8 0 2 8 0	22										
0 11 0 12 0	6 8 6 8 8 0	14 0 14 0 11 0	5 4 5 4 5 8	14 0 14 0 13 0	2 12 0 2 12 0 3 0 0	23										
...	8 8 9 0 8 0	10 8 10 8 10 0	8 0 8 0 7 8	16 0 16 0 17 0	2 8 0 2 8 0 2 4 0	24										
...	9 3 9 3 9 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	8 0 8 0 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	9 0 9 0 9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	10 8 11 0 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	8 8 8 8 8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	7 0 7 0 8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12 0 9 12	9 0 8 8 8 12	11 8 11 0 9 0	6 0 6 4 7 12	16 0 16 0 16 0	2 8 0 2 8 0 2 8 0	30										
16 0 9 8	8 4 8 0 8 0	11 8 11 8 8 8	5 0 8 0 5 0	17 0 17 0 17 0	2 4 0 2 4 0 2 4 0	31										
...	9 9 9 0 9 0	12 6 11 13 9 0	7 5 6 12 6 7	18 9 18 9 18 9	...	...	32									
...	8 0 8 0 8 8	10 0 Not reported.	7 0 7 0 7 0	18 0 16 0 18 0	2 1 0 2 2 0 2 4 0	33										
...	7 8 7 8 7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

- X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 18 seers (panga); Jajpur report not received.
Y. The retail price of salt at Bhadrak is 19 seers.
Z. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bantla 16 seers (karkatch); Phulbani 10 1/2 seers.
a. The retail price of salt at Khurda is 24 seers.
b. The retail price of salt at Bargarh is 13 seers (Bombay).
c. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Dhanbaid 16 seers; Jhalda 16 seers.

Published for general information.

N. N. BANERJEE,
for Off. Director of Agriculture, Bengal, on tour.

PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c

Number.	MARKS.	PRICE PER MAUN											
		RICE (BEST SORT).			COMMON RICE.						WHEAT (Tnd com. sort)		
					Average.			Cheapest.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.
1	Calcutta	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 6 0	5 14 0	5 12 0	...	4 2 0	4 4 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5
2	Burdwan	Now 5 8 0	Old 6 8 0	Now 5 14 0	New 4 12 0	Old 5 12 0	...	4 8 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	...	...	...
3	Midnapore	6 12 0	6 12 0	7 0 0	New 4 0 0 Old 5 8 0	Not reported.	...	New 12 0 Old 5 0 0	4 1 0	5 2 0	...	...	...
4	Patna	7 6 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	...	4 2 0	1 4 0	5 11 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	5
5	Muzaffarpur	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	6 10 6	6 10 6	...	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 0 0	5
6	Bhagalpur	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 9 6	5 14 0	...	4 8 0	4 14 0	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 13 6	4 1
7	Cuttack	7 3 0	7 3 0	7 3 0	3 12 11	3 12 11	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	5 1 3	5 13 9	5 13 9	5
8	Sambalpur	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 5 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	...	3 1 6	3 1 6	4 5 0	5 7 0	5 7 0	4 1
9	Ranchi	5 11 0 to 6 11 0	5 11 0 to 6 10 0	6 10 0 to 7 4 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	...	1 0 0	4 0 0	5 5 0	5 8 0 to 5 11 0	5 8 0 to 5 11 0	5 12 to 6 2

No.	MARKS.	INDIAN-CORN OR VALES (Zea mays).			ARHAR DAL OR THUR— CADJAN PEA (Cajanus indicus).			LINSEED.			MUSTARD AND RAPSEED.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
1	Calcutta	3 4 0	3 4 0	4 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	0 0 0	7 8 7 1
2	Burdwan	...	...	...	5 15 0	5 15 0	5 15 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 8 0	8 K 6 1
3	Midnapore	...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	3 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0 to 5 12 0	4 11 0	5 4 0 to 5 6 0	5 8 0	7 8
4	Patna	2 9 0	2 10 0	3 14 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 11 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	7
5	Muzaffarpur	2 12 0	2 13 9	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 2 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur	2 13 0	2 13 0	4 3 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 10 0	5 9 0	5 12 0 to 5 0 0	6 8 0 to 6 8 0	7 2 7 8
7	Cuttack	...	...	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 9 3	...	...	...	6 13 0	6 13 0	6 13
8	Sambalpur	...	...	...	6 10 0	6 10 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8
9	Ranchi	...	...	...	5 5 0 to 8 0 0	5 5 0 to 8 0 0	5 8 0 to 8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	9 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	9 0

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 31st December 1908.

FORTY STANDARD SEER.

BARLEY (<i>Hordeum vulgare</i>).			JWAR OR CHOLU (<i>Amorophorum</i> <i>Sorghum</i>).			BAJRA OR CUMBU (<i>Pennisetum</i> <i>typhloideum</i>).			MAHUA OR RAGI (<i>Elymus</i> <i>corymbosa</i>).			GRAM, CHANA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer arietinum</i>).			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
3 6 0	3 8 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 4 0	6 0 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 2 0	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 13 0 to 5 3 0	5 4 0 to 5 8 0	4 12 0 to 5 4 0	3
9 0	2 13 0	3 10 0	...	...	4 0 0	...	...	Not sold	...	...	Not sold	3 15 0	3 15 0	4 0 0	4
5 3	3 5 3	3 5 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5
0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Niri or kalai.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 5 7	4 5 7	4 5 4	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 7 0	5 7 0	4 7 0	8
0 0	3 12 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 14 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	9

TIL OR JINJILI SEED.			SUGAR (RAW).			COTTON (CLEANED).			JUTE.			No.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
5 4 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	19 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	1
...	...	...	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
...	...	...	7 4 0	7 8 0	5 12 0	20 0 0 to 21 0 0	18 0 0 to 21 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	...	...	...	3
1 0 0	6 0 0	8 8 0	4 4 0 to 4 8 0	4 4 0 to 4 8 0	4 8 0	18 8 0	17 8 0	17 8 0	Not reported.	Not sold	4 15 0	4
...	...	...	3 10 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Not sorted.	4 0 0	...	5 4 0	4 8 0	4 2 0	19 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...	6
8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 3 9	5 3 9	5 3 9	20 5 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	7
8 0	5 0 0	7 8 0	6 10 0	6 10 0	6 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	8
...	5 11 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	9

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &

Number.	MARKT.	PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.						HIDES (GOV.)			GRAM.		
		GHI (CLARIFIED-BUTTER).			TOBACCO LEAF			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.						
		Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.
1	Calcutta	41 0 0	41 0 0	43 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	1 8 0	1 8 0	2
2	Burdwan	35 0 0	35 0 0	40 0 0	Madhukhali.			3 0 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	...	...	...
3	Midnapore	37 0 0	45 0 0	45 0 0	12 4 0	12 0 0	8 8 0	3 12 0	8 12 0	3 0 0	...	...	...
		41 0 0	40 0 0	47 0 0	Pakta.			3 4 0	3 4 0	2 8 0	...	...	...
4	Patna	30 0 0	32 0 0	36 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 8 0	...	...	33 0 0	...	...	0
		32 0 0	34 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Muzaffarpur	30 7 6	30 7 6	40 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur	33 4 0	34 0 0	43 0 0	11 0 0	10 0 0	13 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Cuttack	47 9 0	47 9 0	47 9 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	Permaund. 30 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0
8	Sambalpur	34 4 0	36 4 0	41 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	40 0 0	35 0 0	Permaund. 25 0 0	...	...	...
		35 8 0	37 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Ranchi	33 8 0	35 0 0	40 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	Per piece. 3 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0
		...	...	...	12 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	...

Number.	MARKT.	PRICE PER MAUND												
		FIREWOOD			SALT.			BHOOSA.			DRAN.			
					Panga.									
1	Calcutta	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	1 15 0	1 15 0	1 10 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	2 11 0	2 11 0		
2	Burdwan	0 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 11 0	Not available			...	3 8 0	3 8 0	
3	Midnapore	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	Bombay.			...	Not available	...	0 6 0	0 5 0	...	
					1 14 0	2 0 0								
					1 12 0	Crushed, 1 14 0	1 12 0							
4	Patna	0 7 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 2 0	1 2 0	1 2 0	...	1 14 0	1 14 0		
5	Muzaffarpur	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 6	0 8 0	0 8 0	...	3 10 0	3 1 8		
6	Bhagalpur	0 6 3	0 6 0	0 5 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 14 7 1/2	0 8 0	0 8 0	...	2 4 0	2 0 0		
7	Cuttack	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	...	...	...	0 10 0	0 10 0	
8	Sambalpur	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	Not sold			...	Not available		
9	Ranchi	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	...	{ 3 0 0 to 3 4 0 3 0 0 to 3 4 0 }			

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 31st December 1908—concl'd.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.			MARTS.	Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
0 2 0	0 12 0	0 14 0	...	...	...	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	Calcutta	1
0 6 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	Burdwan	2
0 5 0	0 5 0	0 7 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 12 0	Midnapore	3
0 8 0	0 10 0	0 7 0	...	...	Not sold	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 4 0 to 4 0 0	4 12 0	Patna	4
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 0 0	Muzaffarpur	5
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	Bhagalpur	6
0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	Cuttack	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sambalpur	8
0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	...	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	Ranchi	9

FORTY STANDARD SEERS.			PRICE PER ANIMAL.			MARTS.	Number.
OATS.	KEROSENE OIL.	SLAUGHTER CATTLE.					
5 2 0	5 2 0	...	4 4 0	4 6 0	...	Calcutta	1
Not sold	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Burdwan	2
4 14 0	5 0 0	...	4 9 0 to 4 14 0	4 0 0 to 4 14 0	...	Midnapore	3
Not sold	...	...	4 3 0	4 3 0	...	Patna	4
4 7 0	4 0 0	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	Muzaffarpur	5
4 5 0	4 0 0	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Bhagalpur	6
5 1 4	5 1 4	...	7 8 0	7 8 0	...	Cuttack	7
Not available	...	...	4 3 0 to 6 14 0	4 3 0 to 6 14 0	...	Sambalpur	8
5 8 0	5 8 0	...	5 0 0 to 7 4 0	5 0 0 to 7 4 0	...	Ranchi	9

N. N. BANERJEE,

for Offa Director of Agriculture Bengal on 10-1-1909

Abstract

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TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED AT

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STATIONS IN BENGAL IN DECEMBER 1908—continued.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heavyest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 10th Oct. to 31st Dec. 1908.	Average rainfall from 10th Oct. to 31st Dec.	Station.	DISTRICT.	DIVISION.	METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION.
...	0.05 0.10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0.45	0.75	0.19	Nil	0.05	1.65	Buxar	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.44	0.13	0.28	0.10	0.10	1.64	Delhi	...	...	...
...	0.02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0.35	Nil	0.23	Nil	Nil	1.81	Rhabhuck	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.33	0.02	0.13	0.02	0.02	1.55	Sasaram.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.39	Nil	0.45	Nil	Nil	1.24	Arrah.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.25	Nil	0.13	Nil	Nil	1.48	Mohanes.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.38	Nil	0.08	Nil	Nil	2.83	Agmon.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.67	Nil	0.23	Nil	Nil	1.20	Ramgarh.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.56	Nil	0.17	Nil	Nil	1.43	Konth.	...	...	...
...	0.03 0.04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0.33	Nil	0.40	Nil	Nil	2.47	Sikrol.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.44	0.01	0.17	0.03	0.03	1.80	Basowan.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	0.01	?	0.01	?	?	Monaharpur.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.39	Nil	0.11	Nil	Nil	0.96	Akberpur.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.20	Nil	0.11	Nil	Nil	0.96	Gopalganj	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.34	Nil	0.07	Nil	Nil	1.39	Siwan.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.29	Nil	0.09	Nil	Nil	1.46	Ekma.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	1.18	Chapra.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.25	Nil	0.04	Nil	Nil	?	Hathua.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.28	Nil	0.13	Nil	Nil	1.66	Amnor.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	1.11	Sasampur.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	?	Darauli.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	?	Bherch.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	?	Sripur.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.47	Nil	0.13	Nil	Nil	0.88	Mothhari.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.40	Nil	0.17	Nil	Nil	0.83	Belitah.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.50	Nil	0.14	Nil	Nil	0.96	Bachha.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.44	Nil	0.16	Nil	Nil	1.08	Burhawa.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	?	?	?	?	?	Kamagar.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	?	?	?	?	?	Narkotaganj.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	?	?	?	?	?	Kasganj.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	?	?	?	?	?	Dhanaba.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.35	Nil	0.10	Nil	Nil	1.03	Sitamardi.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.19	Nil	0.07	Nil	Nil	1.47	Muzaffarpur.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.23	Nil	0.08	Nil	Nil	1.21	Haripur.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.25	Nil	0.11	Nil	Nil	0.90	Parl.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.30	Nil	0.06	Nil	Nil	1.22	Mubna.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.38	Nil	0.14	Nil	Nil	1.26	Shahar.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.31	Nil	0.10	Nil	Nil	0.25	Pupri.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.16	Nil	0.05	Nil	Nil	?	Patpur (Saiman).	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.23	Nil	0.11	Nil	Nil	1.14	Harpur.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.20	Nil	0.06	Nil	Nil	1.14	Darbhanga.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.19	Nil	0.06	Nil	Nil	1.14	Madhabani.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.23	Nil	0.06	Nil	Nil	0.97	Bahera.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	0.67	Roshera.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	0.63	Akanton.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	?	Ladanga.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	?	Lakshmi.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	?	Kapandi.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	?	Haripatti.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	?	Madhapur.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.19	Nil	0.07	Nil	Nil	1.44	Agusanar.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.16	Nil	0.08	Nil	Nil	1.37	Monghyr.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.20	Nil	0.07	Nil	Nil	0.92	Jamui.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.17	Nil	0.16	Nil	Nil	0.64	Gogri.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.14	Nil	0.02	Nil	Nil	0.80	Jamalpur.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.17	Nil	0.17	Nil	Nil	1.15	Shaikhupur.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.32	Nil	0.07	Nil	Nil	1.60	Chakri Banda.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.25	Nil	0.04	Nil	Nil	0.91	Chuprasa.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.13	Nil	0.04	Nil	Nil	1.27	Gidhor.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.17	Nil	0.02	Nil	Nil	1.03	Kharagar.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.19	Nil	0.05	Nil	Nil	1.07	Madhapura.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.20	Nil	0.00	Nil	Nil	0.91	Banwan.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.20	0.05	0.07	0.05	0.05	1.03	(Nylabad).	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.19	0.06	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.84	Supari.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.26	Nil	0.07	Nil	Nil	1.13	Pratapganj.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.32	Nil	0.09	Nil	Nil	1.41	Bhagalpur.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.26	Nil	0.06	Nil	Nil	0.78	Banka.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.33	Nil	0.14	Nil	Nil	0.62	Colong.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	?	?	?	?	?	Banail.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.28	Nil	0.07	Nil	Nil	1.07	Silguri.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.32	Nil	0.20	Nil	0.03	3.32	Darjeeling.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.75	Nil	0.18	Nil	Nil	1.30	Kalinapan.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.50	Nil	0.18	Nil	0.03	1.68	Mongpo.	...	...	...
...	Nil	1.35	Nil	0.16	Nil	0.01	1.55	Kursong.	...	...	...
...	Nil	?	Nil	0.51	Nil	0.48	2.15	Pedong.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.33	Nil	0.19	Nil	Nil	1.00	Kishanganj.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.27	0.03	0.06	0.03	0.03	1.08	Araria.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.28	Nil	0.10	Nil	Nil	1.36	Purnea.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.19	Nil	0.10	Nil	Nil	0.86	Gondwara.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.00	Nil	0.00	Nil	Nil	?	(Korak).	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.00	0.03	0.00	Nil	Nil	0.07	Barsoe.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.31	0.03	0.09	0.03	0.03	0.97	Forbesganj.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.13	Nil	0.05	Nil	0.50	0.09	Kalinaganj.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.24	Nil	0.08	Nil	Nil	1.04	Rajmahal.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.20	Nil	0.07	Nil	Nil	1.31	Godia.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.33	Nil	0.10	Nil	Nil	1.00	Pakour.	...	...	...
...	Nil	0.23	Nil	0.13	Nil	Nil	1.67	Naya Dumka.
...	Nil	0.45	Nil	0.10	Nil	Nil	1.87	Deokhur.
...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	1.78	Jamtara.
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Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Orissa.	Sambalpur ...	Sambalpur
	...	Barangarh ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Padampur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	(Barasamber).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Urisa Feuda- tory States.	Bhawaniptara ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Bolangir ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Bonepur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Kanpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Deoghur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Gungpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa.	Outback	Bolangir ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Outback ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Patna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Kendrapara ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Jajpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Dharmasala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Salepur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nalasore	Akhyapada ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Chandball ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Rhadrak ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa.	...	Soro ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Batasore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Jullasore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Balipat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Eram (Basu- dehpar). ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Tarigaris ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Basuth ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Angul	Angul ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Binsipara ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Chhendipada ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa.																						
Orissa.	Orissa Tributary Mahals.	Baramba ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Kunjabongali ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Dhenkanal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Basinga ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Konjhar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Anandapur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Naripada ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Karajia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Narsingpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Nayajarh ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa.	...	Pal Lahora ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Rampur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Talcher ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Athmalik ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Hindol ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Boad ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Nulgeri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Athguri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Puri	Puri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Khurda ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa.	...	Bhanpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Gop ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Salpara ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Munakhalla ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Kana ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Tanghi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Joukha ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Khachaba ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	(Giridia) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Basarbagh ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa.	...	Barbi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Chatra ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Kharagdiha ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Kanung ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Kodoma ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Bagador ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Lohardaga ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Banchi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Silli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Orissa.	...	Palikot
...		Bano ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...		Tamar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...		Kurdeg ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...		Gusla ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...		Champur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...		Khunti ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...		Palamanu (Dal- tongari).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...		Malumath ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa.		...	Husainabad
	...	Gariwa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Mahadans ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Panki ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Lachar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Nagarstori ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Bansa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Chattarpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Bhaonathpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Orissa.	...	Patan
...		Mohali ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...		Leeliganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...		Kerk ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...		Gera ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...		Parulla ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...		Gobindpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...		Raghunathpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...		Barabham ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa.		...	Jhalda
	...	Obas ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Pandra ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Manbasar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Kollapal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	Chandawa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...								

DISTRICT RAINFALL TABLE OF THE PROVINCE OF BENGAL
for the month of December 1908.

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION.	DIVISION.	DISTRICT.	DISTRICT OBSERVATIONS.									
			RAINFALL									
			Of month.					Since 10th October 1903.				
			Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation from mean.	Number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation.	Mean number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.
SOUTH-WEST BENGAL.	Burdwan	Burdwan ...	Nil	0.10	-0.10	0.00	0.20	0.00	1.95	-1.95	0.00	2.34
		Birbhum ...	Nil	0.07	-0.07	0.00	0.18	0.00	1.63	-1.63	0.00	2.14
		Bankura ...	Nil	0.11	-0.11	0.00	0.19	0.00	1.76	-1.76	0.00	2.49
		Midnapore ...	Nil	0.13	-0.13	0.00	0.23	0.04	2.60	-2.56	0.39	2.60
		Hooghly ...	Nil	0.18	-0.18	0.00	0.35	0.00	2.14	-2.14	0.00	2.85
		Howrah ...	Nil	0.13	-0.13	0.00	0.31	0.08	1.86	-1.78	0.33	2.80
	Presidency	24 Parganas ...	Nil	0.17	-0.17	0.00	0.35	0.11	2.98	-2.87	0.11	3.35
		Calcutta ...	Nil	0.31	-0.31	0.00	0.38	0.39	2.03	-2.03	0.35	3.24
		Nadia ...	Nil	0.11	-0.11	0.00	0.17	0.10	2.37	-2.27	0.26	2.61
		Murshidabad ...	Nil	0.08	-0.08	0.00	0.19	0.00	1.86	-1.86	0.00	2.24
		Jessore ...	Nil	0.14	-0.14	0.00	0.22	0.50	2.79	-2.29	0.54	3.12
		Khulna ...	Nil	0.15	-0.15	0.00	0.28	0.03	3.09	-3.06	0.20	3.32
BIHAR.	Patna	Patna ...	Nil	0.10	-0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.33	-1.33	0.00	1.64
		Gaya ...	0.02	0.22	-0.20	0.00	0.33	0.02	1.20	-0.18	0.00	1.69
		Shahabad ...	0.02	0.24	-0.22	0.00	0.41	0.02	1.69	-1.67	0.00	1.80
		Saran ...	Nil	0.10	-0.10	0.00	0.33	0.00	1.30	-1.30	0.00	1.23
		Champanan ...	Nil	0.15	-0.15	0.00	0.45	0.00	0.94	-0.94	0.00	1.25
		Muzaffarpur ...	Nil	0.01	-0.09	0.00	0.27	0.00	1.05	-1.05	0.00	1.26
	Bhagalpur	Darbhanga ...	0.01	0.07	-0.06	0.00	0.21	0.01	0.91	-0.90	0.00	1.12
		Monghyr ...	Nil	0.07	-0.07	0.00	0.19	0.00	1.11	-1.11	0.00	1.29
		Bhagalpur ...	0.07	0.07	0	0.00	0.22	0.07	1.05	-0.98	0.00	1.29
		Darjeeling ...	Nil	0.22	-0.22	0.00	0.65	0.10	2.15	-2.05	0.21	2.98
		Purnea ...	0.01	0.06	-0.05	0.00	0.19	0.01	0.96	-0.95	0.00	1.17
		Sonthal Parganas ...	Nil	0.08	-0.08	0.00	0.17	0.03	1.57	-1.54	0.06	1.73
ORISSA.	Orissa	Sambalpur ...	Nil	0.25	-0.25	0.00	0.40	0.00	1.57	-1.57	0.00	4.40
		Angul ...	Nil	0.40	-0.40	0.00	0.24	0.00	2.98	-2.98	0.00	5.09
		Cuttack ...	Nil	0.29	-0.29	0.00	0.49	0.00	4.29	-4.29	0.00	4.90
		Balasore ...	Nil	0.19	-0.19	0.00	0.37	0.00	3.09	-3.09	0.00	3.78
		Puri ...	Nil	0.34	-0.34	0.00	0.53	0.04	5.72	-5.68	0.04	5.67
CHOTA NAGPUR.	Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh ...	Nil	0.22	-0.22	0.00	0.39	0.00	1.63	-1.63	0.00	1.94
		Ranchi ...	Nil	0.20	-0.20	0.00	0.31	0.00	1.41	-1.41	0.00	2.32
		Palamanu ...	0.01	0.35	-0.34	0.00	0.50	0.01	1.73	-1.72	0.00	2.23
		Manbhum ...	Nil	0.12	-0.12	0.00	0.23	0.00	1.45	-1.45	0.00	2.15
		Singbhum ...	Nil	0.18	-0.18	0.00	0.33	0.00	1.56	-1.56	0.00	2.69

**SUMMARY OF RAINFALL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL FOR
THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1908.**

THE month under review was rainless, a few light scattered showers excepted in the districts of Gaya, Shahabad, Darbhanga, Bhagalpur and Purnea in Bihar and a nominal shower in Palamanu in Chota Nagpur. During the year 1908, South-West Bengal received 93 per cent., Bihar 58 per cent., Orissa 89 per cent. and Chota Nagpur 84 per cent. of the normal. Bihar was the only division where the deficiency was noticeably marked.

The following table compares the rainfall in the four divisions during the month of December with the normal fall, the actual being given as a percentage of the normal. The table also shows the actual falls for each of the previous months of the year expressed in the same way, and the last column of the table shows the total rainfall of the past twelve months of the year 1908:—

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISIONS.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Actual rainfall of first twelve months of 1908 expressed as a percentage of the normal fall for the period.
South-West Bengal ...	14	93	303	118	76	132	76	72	90	23	3	0	93
Bihar ...	4	356	468	154	66	113	57	72	89	34	3	0	54
Orissa ...	8	318	170	403	54	96	64	247	62	28	0	0	89
Chota Nagpur ...	18	301	390	106	32	139	47	126	95	39	0	0	84

The following table gives the Summary of the Rainfall data of each of the four Meteorological Divisions of the Province of Bengal for the month of December 1908:—

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISIONS.	RAINFALL OF MONTH.			RAINY DAYS.			RAINFALL SINCE 16TH OCTOBER 1908.	
	Average.	Normal average.	Variation.	Average number in month.	Normal average number in month.	Variation.	Average.	Normal average.
South-West Bengal ...	Nil	0.12	-0.12	0.00	0.23	-0.23	0.50	2.24
Bihar ...	0.00	0.12	-0.12	0.00	0.26	-0.26	Nil	1.27
Orissa ...	Nil	0.27	-0.27	0.00	0.47	-0.47	0.01	4.42
Chota Nagpur ...	0.00	0.20	-0.20	0.00	0.34	-0.34	Nil	1.54

N. N. BANERJEE,

The 11th January 1909.

for Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal on tour.

**Abstract of the Results of Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory
in the month of December 1908.**

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month ...	30.028		
The average pressure of December from 44 years' registers ...	30.024		
The highest pressure in the month ...	30.174	13th	10
The lowest pressure in the month ...	29.913	26th	16
The range of pressure ...	0.261		
	Hours.		
The total number of hours of bright sunshine during the month	242.1		
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ...	332.8		
The mean temperature of the month ...	64.8		
The average temperature of December from 20 years' registers ...	65.3		
The highest temperature in the month ...	83.2	26th	
The lowest temperature in the month ...	44.5	20th	
The range of temperature during the month ...	38.7		
The mean daily range of temperature ...	25.1		
The greatest range of temperature in one day ...	28.6	20th	
	Per cent.		
The mean humidity of the month ...	63		
The average humidity of December from 20 years' registers ...	67.0		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension of the month ...	0.380		
The average vapour tension of December from 20 years' registers ...	0.432		
The mean cloud proportion of the month ...	1.37		
The average cloud proportion of December from 31 years' registers ...	1.63		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month ...	Nil		
The total rainfall indicated by a Beckley's self-registering rain gauge (mouth of the gauge about 82 feet above the ground) ...	Nil		
The average fall of December from 24 years' registers ...	0.31		
The greatest fall in 24 hours ...	Nil		
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month ...	Nil		
The average number of rainy days in December from 24 years' registers ...	Nil		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation during the month ...	125.8		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures ...	47.5		
The greatest sun temperature ...	130.2	25th	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature ...	51.8	28th	
The mean temperature of the nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth ...	46.8		
The mean depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature at 4 feet above the ground ...	6.5		
The greatest depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature ...	7.7	19th	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day ...	75.6	1st	
The greatest movement of the wind in one day ...	134	28th	11 to noon.
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour ...	14		

The number of hours with winds from each of the eight points—

N. 429, N.E. 95, E. 13, S.E. 2, S. 0, S.W. 0, W. 5, N.W. 103, Calm 98.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), the 11th January 1909.

O. W. PEAKE,
for Director-General of Observatories.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the "Alipore Observatory from 3rd to 9th January 1909.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	TEMPERATURE.				HYGROMETRY.				WIND.		Rain.	WEATHER
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Variation.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1909.				Inches.						Inches.					Inches.	
Jan.	3rd	132.5	7.2	29.990	68.1	80.3	22.4	57.0	59.0	0.885	51.6	55	N by E and W by N.	65	Nil	Partially cloudy, D.
"	4th	123.1	4.8	.975	67.2	78.4	20.4	58.0	53.2	.874	50.9	55	W by N and NNW.	59	Nil	Partially cloudy, D.
"	5th	125.3	7.5	.959	68.2	80.3	22.3	58.0	59.6	.897	52.6	58	NNW, NW and N by W.	63	Nil	Chiefly clear, D.
"	6th	125.1	8.0	.944	68.2	79.3	20.2	59.1	59.9	.406	53.2	59	WNW, NNW and NW by N.	80	Nil	Clear, D.
"	7th	115.0	8.2	.932	65.0	78.2	24.4	53.8	53.6	.260	41.2	43	NW by N and W by N.	66	Nil	Clear, D.
"	8th	123.9	7.8	.916	61.1	79.1	28.0	51.1	55.0	.309	45.8	54	W by N.	61	Nil	Chiefly clear, D.
"	9th	122.8	7.7	.951	63.8	78.3	27.1	51.2	55.6	.331	47.6	53	W by N and calm.	67	Nil	Clear, D.

The mean pressure of the seven days 29.957
 The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 30.021

The total number of hours of bright sunshine 51.2
 The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine 75.4

The mean temperature of the seven days 66.4
 The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 67.5
 The extreme variation of temperature 29.2
 The maximum temperature 80.3

The highest velocity of the wind in one hour 9
 The mean relative humidity 59
 The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 72

The total fall of rain from 3rd to 9th January 1909 Nil
 The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 0.09
 The total fall from 9th January 1909 Nil
 The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 0.09

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traacts of the Kundsens Barograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the regradings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the Last 12 days of December 1908 on 1,274 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 12 days ...	669,110	3,14,290 0 0	41,41,650 0	5,57,050 0 0	1,46,610 0 0	10,07,950 0 0	133,171	(b) 107,809	230,070
Or per mile of railway ...	517	247 0 0	3,251 0	461 0 0	(a) 42 0 0	(a) 750 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year (c) ...	11,358,115	40,01,104 0 0	5,41,88,078 0	87,37,207 0 0	8,33,350 0 0	1,41,91,601 0 0	1,942,958	1,378,053	3,321,009
Total for 26 weeks ..	12,017,225	40,13,394 0 0	5,89,29,723 0	98,44,257 0 0	9,51,900 0 0	1,51,09,611 0 0	1,971,127	1,406,562	3,467,0 9
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 10 days of previous year ...	510,164	3,08,269 0 0	17,02,420 0	2,61,780 0 0	98,615 0 0	6,59,664 0	111,811	30,935	14,746
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,268 miles) ...	436	243 0 0	1,414 0	108 0 0	41 0 0	482 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	11,801,459	50,25,907 0 0	5,61,87,119 0	87,35,632 0 0	8,92,561 0 0	1,46,44,100 0 0	1,929,049	1,400,203	3,310 311

- (a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 52,000.
(b) Includes ballast train-miles 38,946 and earnings Rs. 30,000.
(c) Audited up to week ending 7th November 1908.
(d) Increase is chiefly due to 12 days' traffic against 10 days' in the previous year and also there was interruption on the line last year owing to strike.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 12 days of December 1908 on 80 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 12 days ...	135,640	21,020 0 0	220,630 0	13,830 0 0	1,920 0 0	36,770 0 0	9,806	(a) 3,400	13,006
Or per mile of railway ...	1,577	245 0 0	2,565 0	161 0 0	22 0 0	428 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year (b) ...	1,163,768	3,33,673 0 0	2,344,154 0	1,72,274 0 0	6,464 0 0	5,12,411 0 0	139,046	42,197	1,81,343
Total for 26 weeks ..	1,299,398	3,54,693 0 0	2,564,784 0	1,86,104 0 0	8,384 0 0	5,49,141 0 0	148,742	42,697	1,91,339
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 10 days of previous year ...	130,776	18,003 0 0	214,005 0	11,058 0 0	2,019 0 0	31,080 0 0	5,873	3,361	9,234
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	1,521	209 0 0	2,180 0	129 0 0	23 0 0	361 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	1,124,792	3,40,025 0 0	2,791,444 0	1,90,228 0 0	8,100 0 0	5,44,359 0 0	124,207	49,587	1,78,794

- (a) Includes ballast train-miles 1,200.
(b) Audited up to week ending 7th November 1908.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the Last 12 days of December 1908 on 33.6 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 12 days ...	5,840	3,290 0 0	57,790 0	4,290 0 0	50 0 0	7,630 0 0	790	(a) 5,604	6,384
Or per mile of railway ...	174	98 0 0	1,720 0	128 0 0	1 0 0	227 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year (b) ...	103,839	39,803 0 0	5,47,003 0	48,313 0 0	283 0 0	89,464 0 0	11,408	40,862	52,290
Total for 26 weeks ..	109,170	43,173 0 0	6,04,790 0	52,603 0 0	334 0 0	96,094 0 0	12,184	40,466	58,644
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 10 days of previous year ...	4,423	3,186 0 0	32,881 0	1,853 0 0	38 0 0	5,121 0 0	650	1,928	2,578
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	132	94 0 0	979 0	55 0 0	1 0 0	150 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	110,952	44,210 0 0	5,27,600 0	48,163 0 0	313 0 0	92,686 0 0	11,663	58,080	64,722

- (a) Includes ballast train-miles 3,950.
Audited up to week ending 7th November 1908.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 12 days of December 1908 on 54 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.		TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.				Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for 12 days ...	23,730	Rs. 7,090 0 0	Mds. 1,75,410 0	Rs. 9,890 0 0	Rs. 60 0 0	Rs. 17,640 0 0	8,706	(a) 1,712	5,418	
Or per mile of railway ...	439	142 0 0	3,243 0	183 0 0	1 0 0	326 0 0				
For previous 24 weeks of half-year (b) ...	370,060	1,07,727 0 0	10,91,320 0	95,740 0 0	916 0 0	2,04,383 0 0	49,495	29,246	69,741	
Total for 26 weeks ...	394,390	1,15,417 0 0	18,66,630 0	1,05,630 0 0	976 0 0	2,22,023 0 0	53,291	21,958	75,249	
COMPARISON.										
Total for corresponding 10 days of previous year ...	19,566	6,021 0 0	46,573 0	2,431 0 0	27 0 0	8,479 0 0	3,698	1,250	4,948	
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	346	110 0 0	919 0	48 0 0	...	167 0 0				
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	357,157	99,431 0 0	13,98,909 0	66,711 0 0	3,725 0 0	1,64,567 0 0	53,279	19,163	72,442	

(a) Ballast train-miles nil.

(b) Audited up to week ending 7th November 1908.

BENGAL DOOARS RAILWAY.

(ORIGINAL LINE).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 12 days of December 1908, on 354 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.		TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.				Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for 12 days ...	11,941	Rs. 3,977 0 0	Mds. 1,11,297 0	Rs. 9,241 0 0	Rs. 1,113 0 0	Rs. 15,094 0 0	531	549	1,080	
Or per mile of railway ...	328	109 0 0	3,055 0	271 0 0	(a) 19 0 0	(a) 102 0 0				
For previous 24 weeks of half-year (b) ...	142,154	36,332 0 0	8,49,955 0	1,90,080 0 0	7,008 0 0	2,34,020 0 0	11,357	12,356	23,713	
Total for 26 weeks ...	151,695	40,309 0 0	9,52,162 0	2,09,964 0 0	8,751 0 0	2,49,124 0 0	12,497	13,163	25,660	
COMPARISON.										
Total for corresponding 10 days of previous year ...	7,541	3,987 0 0	68,879 0	7,113 0 0	1,538 0 0	1,538 0 0	797	68	865	
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	207	107 0 0	1,892 0	193 0 0	32 0 0	531 0 0				
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	112,612	38,160 0 0	9,53,596 0	1,92,915 0 0	8,895 0 0	2,30,610 0 0	13,207	16,411	29,618	

(a) Excludes Ferry earnings Rs. 400.

(b) Audited up to week ending 31st October 1908.

BENGAL DOOARS RAILWAY.

(EXTENSION LINE).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 12 days of December 1908, on 17 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.		TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.				Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for 12 days ...	16,442	Rs. 8,193 0 0	Mds. 92,681 0	Rs. 11,578 0 0	Rs. 28 0 0	Rs. 20,953 0 0	2,670	3,000	5,670	
Or per mile of railway ...	132	70 0 0	792 0	102 0 0	0 0	174 0 0				
For previous 24 weeks of half-year (a) ...	203,668	76,468 0 0	12,39,510 0	2,17,970 0 0	1,106 0 0	2,35,524 0 0	30,351	39,019	69,370	
Total for 26 weeks ...	219,110	84,061 0 0	13,32,191 0	2,29,828 0 0	1,333 0 0	2,41,882 0 0	33,621	42,919	76,540	
COMPARISON.										
Total for corresponding 10 days of previous year ...	15,800	7,903 0 0	70,430 0	10,334 0 0	25 0 0	17,312 0 0	1,802	2,225	4,027	
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	132	60 0 0	602 0	88 0 0	...	149 0 0				
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	197,411	73,456 0 0	15,09,536 0	2,59,634 0 0	1,124 0 0	3,14,714 0 0	36,335	51,791	88,126	

(a) Audited up to week ending 31st October 1908.



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LIBERALITY OF BABU HIRA LAL MUKHERJEE OF SRIDHARPUR.

No. 269F., dated Calcutta, the 18th January 1909.

From—C. E. A. W. OLDHAM, Esq., Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, Financial Department,

To—The Commissioner of the Burdwan Division.

I AM directed to refer to the correspondence ending with your letter No. ^{61,000-28} _{XLIII-3}, dated the 7th January 1909, on the subject of the creation by Babu Hira Lal Mukherjee of Sridharpur, in the district of Burdwan, of an endowment of Rs. 3,300 to be called "The Mukta Keshi Debi Widow Fund" for the benefit of impoverished or indigent Hindu Brahmin widows.

2. I am to request that you will be so good as to convey to the donor an expression of the Lieutenant-Governor's appreciation of his liberality and public spirit.

RESOLUTION ON THE FINAL REPORT ON THE SURVEY AND SETTLEMENT OF NORTH MONGHYR.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT—LAND REVENUE.

Calcutta, the 21st November 1908.

RESOLUTION—No. 4553.

READ—

The Final Report on the Survey and Settlement Operations in North Monghyr.

Letter No. 1862, dated the 30th June 1908, from the Director of Land Records, submitting the Report.

This report, which deals with the survey and settlement operations carried out in that portion of the district of Monghyr which lies to the north of the Ganges and in certain Government estates south of the river, has been submitted by Mr. H. Coupland, I.C.S. Traverse survey was commenced in October 1899, and cadastral survey and initial record-writing and attestation were done under the supervision of Mr. J. H. Korr, I.C.S., Settlement Officer of North Bihar. Mr. Coupland succeeded him in April 1903 and was in charge until the completion of the operations in October 1904. The report follows the general lines of those on the survey and settlement of Saran and Darbhanga. To a great extent the same procedure was adopted in the settlement; the same series of practical difficulties were experienced, and the discussion of subjects of general interest in the final reports of those districts is, for the most part, equally relevant to the area dealt with in the present report.

2. The settlement of North Monghyr was taken up for reasons similar to those which led to the survey and settlement of the four districts of North Bihar comprised in the Patna Division, and the present report discloses a state of things much the same as that which was commented on in paragraph 2 of the Resolution (No. 1472 F.—R., dated the 20th June 1904), on the final report for Darbhanga. Generally, the evils that were met with were the illegal enhancements of rents, the illegal dispossession of raiyats, and rack-renting at exorbitant produce rates. In the area owned by the Sonbarsa estate of the district of Bhagalpur the practice was first encountered of compelling raiyats to periodically execute revised agreements at enhanced rents. In another large area owned by Ram Bahadur Singh and his uncle Udit Narayan Singh (now under the Court of Wards), there was wholesale concealment, and, in several cases, the actual dispossession of raiyats. In the village of Rani, the tenants of 677 bighas of land were admitted to occupation on condition that they executed contracts to pay produce-rents under the system known as *mankhap*. The fixed quantity of produce to be paid as rent was five to six maunds, and the following extract from the Settlement Officer's report shows how oppressive the terms were:—

“The peculiarity of these agreements was, however, that the produce-rent was calculated in terms of special crops, such as chilis, tobacco, wheat, maize, etc., and it was stipulated that where the tenant did not grow these particular crops, payment was still to be made at their equivalent in money, subject to a modest maximum of Rs. 50 per bigha in case the value of these crops happened to be excessively high. A further stipulation was that, if the tenant cultivated the land, or allowed it to be cultivated with indigo, he should pay an annual rent of Rs. 100.”

In this case the landlord had obtained possession of the lands from an indigo factory. Under the law he was entitled either to cultivate them himself or to let them to tenants at such rates as they were willing to pay. The lands are situated in thana Teghra, where the population is 966 to the square mile, and the limits of cultivation have practically been reached. The average rent incidence for the thana is Rs. 3-11, and the difference between that rate and the value of the *mankhap* rates roughly indicates the effect of the Bengal Tenancy Act in restraining rack-renting in densely populated districts. It is this enormous difference between the statutory rent and the rack-rent which constitutes the chief incitement to illegality; and the recent great advance in

the value of food-grains has increased that difference, and the consequent temptation to the landlords. In the western portion of the area, estates have been so subdivided that many landlords cannot live on their shares of the rent, and are exposed to an additional temptation to gain possession of the land. The preparation of the record-of-rights has had the double effect of educating the cultivators in their rights, and of giving them title-deeds thereto, though the unfortunate procedure adopted in rent and title-suits by some members of the local judiciary at the close of the settlement, which incidentally resulted in the amendment of the Tenancy Act, to some extent diminished the value of the settlement to the cultivators. It is clear that the struggle between landlord and tenant is still undecided, and that the development of the economical situation will have to be carefully watched, and possibly, after an interval, tested by a fresh settlement; for the growth of rack-renting in a population which is practically solely dependent on agriculture for the means of life could only result in agrarian discontent comparable to that which disturbed Ireland for fifty years.

3. The three thanas of North Monghyr, viz., Teghra, Begusarai and Gogri, comprise a total area of 1,516 square miles, of which 190 square miles, that had previously been

General Statistics.

dealt with in connection with the survey and settlement of the Narhan and Srinagar-Banjali estates, were excluded from the operations. Including Government estates on the south of the Ganges, the total area covered by the traverse survey is 1,596 square miles. The cadastral survey extended over 1,497 square miles, and records were finally published for 1,371 square miles. The average density of population in North Monghyr is 673 per square mile, but there is considerable variation amongst the component thanas. In Teghra the population has reached the very high figure of 966 per square mile, as against 901 in Saran. The corresponding figures for Begusarai and Gogri are 503 and 530, respectively. Hindus form 76 per cent. of the population and the two prominent castes are Babhans and Goalias, whose quarrelsome habits and love of litigation added considerably to the difficulties of the task of the Assistant Settlement Officers. In North Monghyr, taken as a whole, 69 per cent. of the land is under cultivation, but thana Teghra, with an uncultivated area of only 21 per cent., is practically on a level with Darbhanga, Muzaffarpur and Saran. Begusarai comes next with 27 per cent., while Gogri has 36 per cent. of its area still uncultivated. About one-eleventh of Teghra, one-ninth of Begusarai and one-sixth of Gogri have been recorded as culturable, but not cultivated. North Monghyr does not depend much on winter rice which occupies only 21 per cent. of the total cropped area. *Rabi* or spring crops predominate in all thanas and average 66 per cent. of that area, and *bhadoi* or autumn crops average 43 per cent., more than one-third of the cultivated area being twice cropped. Although, therefore, at least 70 per cent. of the population depends directly on agriculture, North Monghyr is less liable to suffer from a failure of the monsoon than tracts where winter rice is the only or the principal crop.

4. The 1,653 villages comprised in the area average rather less than a square mile in extent, the largest village, Binda Diara, covering 43 square miles, and the smallest, Arazi Panapur, only one-sixth of an acre. The average size of a holding was found to be 2.9 acres and of a plot .7 of an acre. In Darbhanga holdings averaged just over 2 acres, and plots two-fifths of an acre. Extreme subdivision of proprietary interests, which added greatly to the difficulties of the settlement work, was found to prevail in thanas Teghra and Begusarai, the smallest recorded subdivision of an estate being $\frac{1}{2,480,000,000}$ of a one-sixteenth share.

5. The occupied area of 78 per cent. is less than that of Muzaffarpur (88 per cent.), Saran or Darbhanga (86 per cent.).

Status.

Settled and occupancy raiyats and raiyats at fixed rates hold 81.52 per cent. of the occupied area, as against 85 in Darbhanga. Proprietors and tenure-holders hold direct 13 per cent., rent-free-holders 1 per cent., and raiyats with insecure rights 4.5 per cent. The proportion of the last named, which is larger than in other North Bihar districts previously dealt

with, is due to a proportionately larger extent of *diara* area and to recent extension of cultivation in the swamps of Gogri. Under-raiyats hold $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. of the occupied area. As usual, occupancy holdings form the vast majority, and it is observed that there is little to show that raiyati interests are to any great extent being transferred to non-agriculturists for the purpose of sub-letting. In thanas Teghra and Begusarai, which surpass the rest of North Bihar in point of minute subdivision of proprietary interests, 4 and 5 acres, respectively, represent the average extent of the individual proprietor's estate. In thana Gogri each proprietor's interest averages 69 acres. There is, fortunately for the settlement and registration officers, no complicated sub-infeudation, such as is common in Lower Bengal.

6. Occupancy-raiyats paying cash rents in North Monghyr pay on an average Rs. 2-15-4 per acre, as compared with Rs. 3-12-3 in Muzaffarpur, Rs. 4-5-4 in Saran, Rs. 1-14-11 in Champaran and Rs. 3-12 in Darbhanga. But the comparative lowness of the rates is due to the inclusion of Gogri, where physical difficulties have retarded the spread of cultivation. In Teghra and Begusarai the rates approximate to Bihar standards. As might be expected rents are highest under petty proprietors and native farmers, and are fairly lenient under indigo factories. Under-raiyats in the two western thanas pay about Rs. 5 an acre, which exceeds the rates in Darbhanga and Muzaffarpur and is only slightly less than in Saran. Including the value of produce-rents and of the nett produce of the area under direct cultivation, the total assets of the zamindars in North Monghyr are calculated at Rs. 23,83,629. The Government revenue payable thereon is Rs. 3,74,060. The incidences per acre are Rs. 2-9-9 and annas 6-7 respectively. The zamindars thus enjoy 85 per cent. of the assets.

7. Most of the land in North Monghyr is owned by petty proprietors, and, in consequence, the applications for the settlement of fair rents were comparatively few. Rents were settled in respect of only 1.98 per cent. of the total number of raiyati holdings. The enhancement over the existing rental amounted to 4.66 per cent. Of the total enhancement 77 per cent. was on the ground of increase in area of the holding. In no case was the rate of rent increased in thanas Teghra and Begusarai. Petty proprietors are seldom in a position to prove a prevailing rate, and enhancements prior to the settlement had been so frequent and in many cases so recent that it was impossible for the landlords to obtain any further increase on the ground of a rise in prices. Tenants in their turn did not take much advantage of the opportunity of having rents reduced under section 52 (b) of the Bengal Tenancy Act.

8. The temporarily-settled and Government estates settled in the course of the survey and record-of-rights number 79, comprising an aggregate area of 152 square miles. Forty-five of these are *diaras* or recent alluvial formations. The results of the settlement of fair rents, so far as cash rents are concerned, are as follows:—

	Area in acres.	INCIDENCE OF RENT PER ACRE.					
		Existing.			Settled.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
(1) Tenure-holders	14,986	0	15	2	0	14	2
(2) Tenants holding under Government or settlement-holders or farmers	43,201	2	8	1	2	14	11
(3) Tenants holding under tenure-holders	519	3	2	5	3	11	1
(4) Under-tenants	902	1	4	8	2	2	0

In the vast majority of cases the rents proposed were accepted by the tenants and they are generally below the rates prevailing in private estates. But the value of such comparisons, and even of a comparison of the old and

new rents of the estates themselves, is considerably modified by the fact that a very considerable proportion of the area is subject to the effects of fluvial action. The Lieutenant-Governor is satisfied that the enhancements made were fully justified. In all cases of considerable increase progressive enhancement was allowed. The existing Government revenue demand has been raised from Rs. 1,03,925 to Rs. 1,28,818, the increase being rather less than 24 per cent. The incidence of revenue per acre has risen from Rs. 1-9-10 to Rs. 2-0-1. The settlement of these estates is confirmed by the Lieutenant-Governor.

9. Cultivators of North Monghyr are better off than those of the adjoining district of Darbhanga, which depends to a dangerous

Material condition of the agricultural classes.

degree on a single crop; namely, winter rice. In thanas Teghra and Begusarai high rents and extreme pressure of population on the soil are counterbalanced by a highly productive soil, specially favourable to the growth of the more valuable autumn and spring crops; while in Gogri rents are low and land is abundant and gives a fair return without any great expenditure of money on cultivation. The estimated holding of the average cultivating family is about $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres, which is much above the theoretical minimum subsistence holding of $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres. The statistics of indebtedness which were collected, point, with all their imperfections, to a degree of solvency superior to that of adjoining Bihar districts.

10. The total cost of the operations amounted to Rs. 6,13,095 of which Rs. 5,44,239 are chargeable to the permanently-

Cost of the operations.

settled zamindari estates, and the remaining Rs. 68,856 to the temporarily-settled and Government estates. The average incidence of cost over the 1,371 square miles in respect of which a record-of-rights was prepared has been calculated at Rs. 447-15-6 of which Rs. 185-13-4 would represent the charge for traverse and cadastral survey and Rs. 262-2-2 for settlement. But for an excess area of 225 square miles traversed and of 126 square miles cadastrally surveyed, the cost rate for the survey work, it is reported, would have come to Rs. 167-6-9. The expenditure on the settlement portion of the work was augmented by the comparatively small area dealt with and by the special difficulties in thanas Teghra and Begusarai which were anticipated and provided against by the employment of a specially selected and strong staff. The total cost rate, which comes to annas 11-2 per acre, is about the same as in Saran and Darbhanga, but is considerably higher than the rates of Muzaffarpur (annas 8-8) and Champaran (annas 6-6). The Lieutenant-Governor is satisfied that the operations were carried out as economically as was possible under the circumstances.

11. The results of the recovery operations proved as satisfactory as in other North Bihar districts, and are a sure indication

Recovery of costs and popularity of records.

of the value attached by the people to the record-of-rights. The total amount apportioned to landlords and tenants of the permanently-settled estates, who numbered over $3\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs, was Rs. 3,70,784. It was collected in less than two years, the assesses displaying great eagerness to obtain the extracts from the record-of-rights for the small sums assessed on their holdings. Occupiers paid 99-98 per cent. of the demand against them without compulsion. Recourse to the certificate procedure was found necessary only in respect of 4 per cent. of the total demand, and this was almost entirely confined to landlords.

12. The Settlement Officer believes that the general feeling is that the record-of-rights prepared at such trouble and expense

Miscellaneous questions.

should be maintained, and he himself is of opinion that if landlords are to be prevented from nullifying the record, it should be revised at an early date and thereafter kept up by periodical revision at shorter or longer intervals. The final decision of the question of revision and maintenance of settlement records generally must await the result of the experiment now being made in Orissa. The attention of the Board of Revenue is invited to the remarks and suggestions made in the report and in the Director's review

on the points mentioned below. Such of them as cannot be disposed of by the Board should be submitted to Government with their recommendations.

Point.	REFERENCE TO PARAGRAPHS OF—	
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The Director's remarks in paragraphs 5 to 7 of his letter, made with reference to paragraphs 7 and 8 of the Settlement Officer's report, relating to embankments, will be considered in the Irrigation Department.

13. In conclusion the Lieutenant-Governor desires to place on record his high appreciation of the services of Messrs. Kerr and Coupland, as Settlement Officers and of Messrs. Lister, Gourlay and Monahan as Assistant Settlement Officers in-charge. His Honour's thanks are also due to Major Crichton, who as Superintendent of Provincial Surveys rendered great assistance in all matters connected with the survey and initial record-writing, and to Mr. P. C. Lyon, Sir Charles Allen and Mr. S. L. Maddox, who as Director of Land Records, successively controlled the operations and contributed to their success. The Settlement Officer has specially mentioned many of the Assistant Settlement Officers, especially Pandit Rama Ballabh Misra, who deserves His Honour's acknowledgments and whose excellent services will be noted.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

**FINAL FORECAST OF THE LATE VARIETY OF THE
SESAMUM (TIL) CROPS OF BENGAL FOR THE
YEAR 1908-09.**

The following note is published for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 14th January 1909.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

**FINAL FORECAST OF THE LATE VARIETY OF THE SESAMUM (TIL)
CROP OF BENGAL FOR THE YEAR 1908-09.**

(On an average of the five years ending 1906-07, the area under til in the territory to which this forecast relates has represented some 5.9 per cent. of the total area under this crop in British India.)

Character of the season.—The crop is most important in Sambalpur where more than half of the area under the crop in the Province is cultivated. In this district, the outturn has been somewhat affected by want of rain in October. The less important growing districts are Midnapore, Jessore, Khulna, Gaya, Champaran, the Sonthal Parganas, Palamau and Singhbhum. Prospects of the crop are fair in these districts except in Jessore and in parts of the Sonthal Parganas where the crop has suffered from drought. The season, although much better than that of last year, has not been very favourable.

Area cultivated.—The total area under the crop for the current year is returned as 147,700 acres against 188,500 acres which were returned last year. The total normal area is estimated at 213,300 acres.

Outturn.—In Sambalpur and in Palamau the crop is reported to be 75 per cent. of the normal. In Singhbhum and Khulna a normal crop is expected. The outturn in Nadia is 77 per cent., in Midnapore 70 per cent., in the Sonthal Parganas 44 per cent., and in Jessore 35 per cent.

The total outturn for the Province from reports now received from District Officers amounts to 73 per cent. of

the normal against 86 per cent. estimated in the first forecast issued in October last. Last year's outturn was 41 per cent.

Taking $4\frac{1}{2}$ maunds per acre to be the normal rate of outturn of the crop, the gross yield for the Province works out to 16,800 tons against 8,900 tons the estimate made last year.

N. N. BANERJEE,

For Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal,
on tour.

CALCUTTA,

The 29th December 1908.

APPENDIX I.

Final forecast of the late variety of the Sesamum (Til) Crop of Bengal for the year 1908.

District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.												Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.	
	Total area of the district.	Total area under cultivation.	Date at which the sowing of the crop began this year.	Approximate normal area under the crop.	Approximate area sown last year (1907-08).	Estimated area sown this year (1908-09).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1907-08).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908-09).	Total area of the district which has been actually surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under the crop during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the harvesting of the crop was begun this year.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Burdwan	1,791,900	1,384,300	September	500	200	700	50	93	68,749	1890-92 and 1903-07.	122	Harvesting not yet commenced.	The weather and general condition of the crops was fair. The outturn is below the normal for want of seasonable rain. The date of sowing was normal. The increase in the area sown is due to inclusion of figures for the Asansole Subdivision (which used formerly to show no area under this crop) where 300 acres were sown with the crop this year.	
Birbhum	1,511,200	755,700	Latter part of August.	500	400	500	30	55	46,631	1889 to 1891 and 1903.	...	Do. ...	The low outturn is due to the cessation of rain from October. The prospects of the crop have not been favourable.	
Bankura	1,077,440	642,800	15th August	3,300	3,000	3,000	50	50	16,465	1899 to 1902 and 1906-07.	...	15th November 1908.	The low outturn is due to continuous rain during the year. The date of sowing and harvesting was normal.	
Midnapore	3,319,040	2,190,800	June	20,000	11,400	8,200	76	70	35,572	1893-1898	110	Not yet commenced.	The rainfall was not seasonable this year and the date of sowing has been late in consequence.	

District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.															Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
	Total area of the district.	Total area under cultivation.	Date at which the sowing of the crop began this year.	Approximate normal area under the crop.	Approximate area sown last year (1907-08).	Estimated area sown this year (1908-09).	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much represented the output last year (1907-08).	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much will represent this year's output (1908-09).	Total area of the district which has been surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under the crop during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the harvesting of the crop was begun this year.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15		
Howrah	Acres. 356,400	Acres. 240,000	.....	300	300	300	100	50	Acres. ...	..	Acres. ...	Middle of October.	The weather has been unfavourable. For want of rain in the sowing season and excessive rain in July the output was much below the normal. The harvesting was early this year. The prospects of the crop are good, the weather being favourable. The date of sowing and harvesting was normal.		
24-Portuguese	Acres. 3,100,533	Acres. 1,038,700	August ..	700	300	300	76	80	Acres. ...	..	Acres. ...	October to November.	The weather was generally favourable and the condition of the crop good. The date of sowing and harvesting was normal.		
Medinipur	Acres. 1,787,830	Acres. 1,043,800	Latter part of July.	5,300	2,100	5,000	32	77	Acres. ...	..	Acres. ...	Beginning of November.	The date of sowing and harvesting was normal. The decrease in the output is due to want of seasonable rain. Revised figures for areas sown this year as submitted on enquiry by the reporting officers are given in Column 7.		
Murshidabad	Acres. 1,571,530	Acres. 985,500	1st week of July.	4,100	2,300	2,000	29	54	Acres. ...	..	Acres. ...	Middle of November	The figures in Column 7 have been revised.		
Jessore	Acres. 1,872,138	Acres. 1,191,000	August ..	22,000	1,700	2,300	40	35	Acres. ...	..	Acres. ...	November and December.			

Khulna	2,002,916	870,000	25th July	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	100	1,632,766	1893-04 and 1907-08.	14	13th Nov- ember 1908.	The weather was seasonable. The general condition of the crop was good. The date of sowing and harvesting was normal this year.
Patna	1,328,000	1,082,100	Beginning of July.	500	300	300	300	68	75,164	1900-01	248	Middle of November.	The weather was not favourable. The condition of the crop is fair. The date of sowing and harvesting was normal.
Gaya	2,015,680	2,118,100	15th Octo- ber.	5,500	2,400	200	200	63	517,900	1893-95, 1900-1902 and 1907-08.	350	Not yet com- menced.	The weather was unfavourable and hence the crop was sown on a com- paratively small area. The date of sowing was normal.
Shahabad	2,300,543	1,843,600	7th July...	1,200	1,600	300	300	85	...	...	.....	1st Novem- ber 1908.	
Saran	1,711,288	1,827,300	June ...	200	3,600	2,900	2,900	27	1,633,433	1893 to 1901	533	October ...	The date of harvesting was normal.
Champaran	2,259,840	1,447,000	Last week of July.	5,500	2,000	2,400	2,400	68	2,252,940	1872 to 1899	5,500	End of October.	The weather was unfavourable in the beginning, but subsequent rain im- proved the condition of the crop, which is fair. The date of sowing and harvesting was normal.
Muzaffarpur	1,942,400	1,627,000	.....	300	500	500	500	45	1,942,400	1893-95 to 1898-99.	330	Not yet begun.	The date of sowing was normal and in some places late owing to want of rain. The crops have suffered from want of rain.
Darbhanga	2,142,680	1,678,000	June ...	400	300	700	700	44	2,142,680	1836 to 1903	400	November 1908.	The date of sowing and harvesting was normal. The weather and the general condition of the crop has been unfavourable.
Monghyr	2,510,080	1,833,800	August ...	1,200	1,200	1,400	1,400	51	...	...	...	End of October.	The weather has not been favourable. The general condition of the crops was fair. The date of sowing and harvesting was normal.

District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.												Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.	
	Total area of the district.	Total area under cultivation.	Date at which the sowing of the crop began this year.	Approximate normal area under the crop.	Approximate area sown last year (1907-08).	Estimated area sown this year (1908-09).	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much represented the output last year (1907-08).	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much will represent this year's output (1908-09).	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under the crop during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the harvesting of the crop was begun this year.		
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Bhagalpur	2,764,640	2,076,300	June	600	600	100	50	75	1,057,900	1903-1904	400	Middle of November.	The date of sowing and harvesting was normal on the whole.	
Purnea	3,193,153	1,694,400	August	100	100	100	80	50	2,506,946	1901-05 and 1904-06.	Not available.	Ditto	The weather was not favourable for want of rain. Sowings were late. The crop is grown in the Araria Subdivision of this district and that too to a very small extent.	
South Bihar.	3,600,900	1,546,300	Middle of June.	5,500	4,500	5,300	50	44	3,272,000	1889 to 1903	1,00,571	October	The weather and general condition of the crop was not favourable owing to want of rain. In the Godda Subdivision the date of sowing was late and that of harvesting comparatively earlier. In the Dumka Subdivision they were normal.	
Cuttack	2,332,500	1,323,500	1st week of September.	300	600	500	50	75	2,095,437	1887-88 and 1905-07.	761	Not yet begun.	The weather has not been favourable to this crop owing to the absence of rain since October last. The date of sowing was normal. The harvesting has not yet begun.	
Balesore	4,324,968	923,500	15th October.	600	300	500	50	75	1,098,775	1891-92 to 1904-95.	98	Ditto	For want of rain and moisture in the ground a smaller area has been sown than the normal. The general condition of the crop is fair.	

Angul	1,002,200	205,000	October	24,000	1,500	1,500	1,000	50	20	...	...	...	To be commenced in January.	The poor outturn is due to want of rain at the time of sowing. The date of sowing was this year late.
Bambalpur	3,447,300	845,300	20th August	81,000	70,000	70,000	70,000	30	75	2,447,300	1894-97 and 1891-97.	67,446	20th November.	Want of rain in October affected the outturn of the crops. The date of sowing and harvesting was normal.
Basahl	4,551,920	1,500,000	Beginning of July.	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	80	90	The district is being cadastrally surveyed.		...	Early in November.	The weather was favourable. The general condition of the crop was good. The date of sowing and harvesting was normal.
Palaman	8,144,000	627,000	2nd fortnight of August.	6,100	1,700	1,700	13,000	20	75	187,820	1896-97	4,383	October 1908.	The weather was favourable. The time of harvesting was normal. The increase in the area sown this year is due to the substitution of the crop for paddy on many fallow lands where rain was not sufficient for paddy transplantation.
Manbhum	2,654,080	1,419,200	End of July.	4,300	3,600	3,600	3,000	40	75	Not cadastrally surveyed.		...	End of November and beginning of December.	The date of sowing and harvesting was normal. The prospects of the crop are fair.
Singbhum	2,400,340	840,700	15th September.	6,500	6,500	6,500	6,500	49	100	1,761,934	1905-07 and 1900-02.	3,933	Not yet begun.	The weather was favourable. The general condition of the crop was good. The sowing was normal.
Total Bengal	26,518,071	36,094,800	.....	33,300	129,500	129,500	147,000	41	78	...	...	...	...	...

APPENDIX II.

Abstract Statement of estimated acreage and outturn of the Sesamum Crops (both early and late) of Bengal for the year 1908-1909.

PROVINCE.	ACREAGE.				OUTTURN IN TONS.						
	Of current year's crop (1908-1909).	Of previous year's crop (1907-1908).	Average of preceding years.	PERCENTAGE BY WHICH COLUMN 3 EXCEEDS (+) OR IS LESS THAN (-) AREA IN—	Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 3 (1908-1909).	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3 (1907-1908).	Average of preceding years.	PERCENTAGE BY WHICH COLUMN 7 EXCEEDS (+) OR IS LESS THAN (-) OUTTURN IN—			
								column 8.	column 9.	column 10.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
			(a) Five years.	(b) Ten years.	(a) Five years.	(b) Ten years.	(a) Five years.	(b) Ten years.	(a) Five years.	(b) Ten years.	
Bengal	57,500	57,300	571,300	244,300	...	{ 6,100 16,800	5,200 8,900	{ 33,000 30,700	...	...
	147,700	138,500								...	
Total	205,200	195,800	571,300	244,300	+4.98	-15.97	14,100	30,700	+65.41	-35.40	

MONTHLY WEATHER AND CROP REPORT OF BENGAL FOR DECEMBER 1908.

Character of the Rainfall.—There was no rain during the month excepting some few scattered showers in Gaya, Shahabad, Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, Purnea, and Palamau.

II. *Progress of Agricultural Operations.*—Harvesting of winter rice was in progress and the pressing of sugarcane continued in Bihar, Orissa and Chota Nagpur. Sowings of the important *rabi* crops were finished during the month. Reaping of early oilseeds and pulses have already commenced in Nadia, Bhagalpur, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh and Ranchi. The cold weather crops were irrigated from river, canal and well water where available.

III. *State of Standing Crops.*—Crops were in urgent need of rain, especially in Bihar and they suffered in North Bihar, in Khulna and the Sonthal Parganas for want of moisture for their growth. Cold weather vegetables are in good condition.

IV. *Prospects and probable outturn of the harvests.*—Owing to the absence of rain since the second week of October, the *rabi* crops were affected in the unirrigated tracts, especially in North Bihar. Good rainfall if now received will be beneficial for the standing crops.

V. *Damage to crops.*—Insect-pests did damage to standing crops in Patna and Bhagalpur.

VI. *Condition of Agricultural stock.*—Anthrax has been reported from Purnea and, ordinary cattle-diseases have prevailed in Burdwan, Bankura, Midnapore, Nadia, Gaya, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, the Sonthal Parganas, Puri, Sambalpur, Ranchi, Palamau and Manbhum.

The condition of cattle has been otherwise good.

VII. *Failure of pasturage and fodder.*—The fodder supply was sufficient except in parts of the Sonthal Parganas. The water-supply has been getting deficient in parts of Shahabad, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga and Purnea.

VIII. *Prices of food-grains.*—The prices of staple food-grains are still high. In common rice there was a marked depression in some districts.

IX. *Condition of the labouring and agricultural population.*—Prospects continued generally favourable except in parts of the Presidency Division and of North Bihar, where the agricultural situation was rather unfavourable and the condition of the poorer classes was affected from scarcity of work and high prices of food-grains. Gratuitous relief continued in Cuttack, Balasore, Puri and the number on test works and gratuitous relief has considerably increased in Darbhanga.

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CALCUTTA,
The 15th January 1909.

Statement showing the Rainfall in each district during December 1908.

Division.	District.	Normal district rain- fall for the month of December.	Actual district rain- fall for the month of December.	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan ...	0.10	Nil	-0.10
	Birbhum ...	0.07	Nil	-0.07
	Bankura ...	0.11	Nil	-0.11
	Midnapore ...	0.13	Nil	-0.13
	Hopghly ...	0.18	Nil	-0.18
	Howrah ...	0.13	Nil	-0.13
	24 Parganas ...	0.17	Nil	-0.17
	Calcutta ...	0.31	Nil	-0.31
	Nadia ...	0.11	Nil	-0.11
	Murshidabad ...	0.08	Nil	-0.08
	Jessore ...	0.14	Nil	-0.14
	Khulna ...	0.15	Nil	-0.15
	Patna ...	0.10	Nil	-0.10
	Gaya ...	0.22	0.02	-0.20
Bihar	Shahabad ...	0.24	0.02	-0.22
	Saran ...	0.10	Nil	-0.10
	Champanan ...	0.15	Nil	-0.15
	Muzaffarpur ...	0.09	Nil	-0.09
	Darbhanga ...	0.07	0.01	-0.06
	Monghyr ...	0.07	Nil	-0.07
	Bhagalpur ...	0.07	0.07	0
	Darjeeling ...	0.22	Nil	-0.22
	Purnea ...	0.06	0.01	-0.05
	Sonthal Parganas ...	0.08	Nil	-0.08
Orissa	Cuttack ...	0.29	Nil	-0.29
	Balasore ...	0.19	Nil	-0.19
	Angul ...	0.40	Nil	-0.40
	Puri ...	0.34	Nil	-0.34
	Sambalpur ...	0.25	Nil	-0.25
Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh ...	0.22	Nil	-0.22
	Ranchi ...	0.20	Nil	-0.20
	Palamau ...	0.35	0.01	-0.34
	Manbhum ...	0.12	Nil	-0.12
	Singhbhum ...	0.18	Nil	-0.18

THE MONSOON OF 1908.

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RAINFALL SUMMARY FOR THE MONSOON PERIOD OF 1908.

INFORMATION about the rainfall measured during the South-West monsoon months in all parts of the Province is given below.

In the month of January there was heavy rain in all the divisions, Bihar excepted. South-West Bengal received 275 per cent. of the normal, Orissa 397 per cent., Chota Nagpur 118 per cent. and Bihar 83 per cent. In February, Bihar received 282 per cent., of the normal and Chota Nagpur 247 per cent. The fall in other divisions was below the normal.

In March and April the fall was deficient in all Divisions.

In May the rainfall was a little above the average in the districts of Burdwan, Bankura and Midnapore, in South-West Bengal, in Darjeeling, in Angul and in Ranchi.

The South-West monsoon set in in Bengal on the 17th and in Bihar and Chota Nagpur on the 20th. The normal date for the commencement of the monsoon rains is the 15th of June.

"The Bay current arrived at about the normal date, but was almost restricted in its activity to North-East India. (The weather summary for India for the month of June, 1908.)"

Precipitation was very heavy in the districts of the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions. Burdwan received an average rainfall of 16.10 (normal 10.15), Hooghly 17.10 (normal 10.28), Howrah 23.07 (normal 10.93), the 24 Parganas 19.37 (normal 10.89), Calcutta 26.12 (normal 11.04), Nadia 20.17 (normal 10.00) and Jessore 17.07 (normal 11.69) inches. From the percentage table, it will be seen that South-West Bengal received 145 per cent., Bihar 52 per cent., Orissa 76 per cent., and Chota Nagpur 76 per cent. South-West Bengal was the only division which received an excess rainfall in June.

During July, strongly marked monsoon conditions prevailed over the Province. Rainfall was heavy in South-West Bengal and Orissa. It was below the normal in Bihar and Chota Nagpur. South-West Bengal received 123 per cent., Orissa 108 per cent., Bihar 59 per cent. and Chota Nagpur 87 per cent. of the normal rain.

During August, the total precipitation from the monsoon was more or less in defect in South-West Bengal and Bihar and in excess in Orissa and Chota Nagpur.

The departure from the normal was —1.70 inches in South-West Bengal, —5.54 inches in Bihar +7.04 inches in Orissa and +0.37 inches in Chota Nagpur. Expressed in percentage figures, South-West Bengal received 86 per cent., Bihar 53 per cent., Orissa 157 per cent. and Chota Nagpur 103 per cent.

In the month of September, the rainfall was deficient. It was below the average everywhere, Saran, Champaran and Puri excepted, where more than the normal fall was recorded. Saran received 127 per cent., Champaran 112 per cent. and Puri 113 per cent. of the normal fall. The deficiency was chiefly felt in the district of Purnea, where the fall was only 38 per cent. of the normal. In South-West Bengal, the fall was 73 per cent., in Bihar 62 per cent., in Orissa 80 per cent. and in Chota Nagpur 74 per cent. of the normal.

In October the rainfall was deficient in all the Divisions of the Province. South-West Bengal received 23 per cent., Bihar 34 per cent., Orissa 28 per cent. and Chota Nagpur 39 per cent. of the normal. The actual rainfall of

the first ten months of 1908 expressed in percentage figures was 94 per cent. in South-West Bengal, 58 per cent. in Bihar, 90 per cent. in Orissa and .85 per cent. in Chota Nagpur.

On the whole, the South-West monsoon rainfall of 1908 was ill-distributed, especially in Bihar.

Expressed as a percentage, South-West Bengal received during the whole period 99 per cent., Bihar 57 per cent., Orissa 93 per cent. and Chota Nagpur 85 per cent. Of the four divisions, South-West Bengal and Orissa received about their normal average.

Actual rainfall in inches during 1908.

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISIONS.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	Monsoon season, 1908.
South-West Bengal ...	4.20	15.66	14.65	10.04	6.75	0.91	52.21
Bihar ...	1.50	4.38	7.75	6.29	5.85	0.85	26.57
Orissa ...	1.94	6.90	11.35	19.32	8.31	1.86	49.68
Chota Nagpur ...	1.86	7.05	12.28	13.71	6.10	1.09	42.09

Variation of actual rainfall from the normal in inches.

South-West Bengal ...	- 1.18	+ 4.90	+ 2.71	- 1.70	- 2.51	- 3.13	- 0.91
Bihar ...	- 0.91	- 4.01	- 5.30	- 5.54	- 3.55	- 1.87	- 21.18
Orissa ...	- 2.21	- 2.16	- 0.08	+ 7.04	- 2.05	- 4.43	- 3.89
Chota Nagpur ...	- 0.42	- 2.17	- 1.80	+ 0.37	- 2.15	- 1.70	- 7.87

Variation expressed as a percentage of the normal fall.

South-West Bengal ...	- 22	+ 45	+ 23	- 14	- 27	- 75	- 1
Bihar ...	- 38	- 48	- 41	- 47	- 38	- 69	- 43
Orissa ...	- 53	- 24	- 1	+ 57	- 20	- 70	- 7
Chota Nagpur ...	- 19	- 24	- 13	+ 3	- 26	- 60	- 15

TABLE I.

Actual monthly Rainfall of Districts in Bengal for the months of May to October 1908.

[N.B.—The figures in this table are the arithmetical averages of the corresponding figures in the returns for the subdivisional stations.]

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION.	Division.	District.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
SOUTH-WEST BENGAL.	Burdwan.	Burdwan ...	5.15	16.10	14.27	10.26	7.16	0.79	53.73
		Birbhum ...	2.85	14.27	15.18	9.80	5.88	0.28	48.26
		Bankura ...	4.90	13.84	14.18	12.06	7.85	0.70	53.53
		Midnapore ...	5.61	13.13	15.07	14.65	6.40	1.20	56.06
		Hooghly ...	4.48	17.10	18.75	9.40	7.75	0.21	57.69
		Howrah ...	4.65	23.07	22.28	9.59	6.12	0.62	66.33
	Presidency.	24-Parganas ...	3.02	19.37	17.08	11.79	8.96	1.05	61.27
		Calcutta ...	4.64	26.12	24.64	14.42	7.89	1.94	72.66
		Nadia ...	3.40	20.17	12.21	7.95	5.84	0.83	50.40
		Murshidabad ...	2.22	14.09	11.25	7.04	7.59	0.68	42.87
		Jessore ...	5.57	17.07	14.79	6.42	4.90	1.85	50.60
		Khulna ...	6.11	13.15	17.25	9.11	5.96	1.87	53.45
BIHAR	Patna.	Patna ...	0.71	3.25	5.08	6.46	4.93	0.13	20.56
		Gaya ...	0.37	3.81	8.59	7.04	3.39	0.82	25.22
		Shahabad ...	0.34	2.06	7.26	9.51	3.47	1.07	23.91
		Saran ...	0.07	2.60	5.28	7.26	10.41	1.07	26.69
		Champaran ...	0.80	5.87	9.23	7.43	11.05	1.22	35.60
		Muzaffarpur ...	1.54	2.71	8.39	5.10	5.64	1.19	24.57
	Bhagalpur.	Darbhanga ...	0.90	2.80	6.11	3.57	7.43	0.44	21.25
		Monghyr ...	1.73	2.79	7.95	6.05	6.14	0.48	25.14
		Bhagalpur ...	2.43	3.94	5.67	4.64	6.78	1.09	24.55
		Darjeeling ...	11.88	16.43	25.57	20.60	15.94	1.43	92.85
		Purnea ...	4.61	5.22	8.98	4.88	5.89	1.05	30.63
		Sonthal Parganas ...	2.37	8.94	11.56	7.98	7.43	0.87	39.15
ORISSA	Orissa.	Sambalpur ...	0.45	8.40	24.62	30.17	6.71	1.42	71.77
		Angul ...	2.70	8.69	12.51	14.35	8.07	2.30	48.62
		Cuttack ...	1.54	14.65	12.03	19.35	8.14	1.82	57.53
		Balasore ...	3.25	10.04	7.28	17.64	6.42	1.42	46.05
		Puri ...	1.55	10.56	9.36	18.97	11.06	2.36	53.86
CHOTA NAGPUR.	Chota Nagpur.	Hasaribagh ...	0.81	7.26	12.88	9.39	4.83	1.16	36.33
		Ranchi ...	1.90	8.32	14.91	17.40	8.09	1.23	51.91
		Palamau ...	0.04	8.26	8.27	9.09	4.81	1.27	26.74
		Manbhum ...	2.57	9.81	18.51	18.10	5.65	0.77	45.41
		Singhbhum ...	2.95	9.35	13.42	21.29	6.68	1.05	54.74

TABLE II.

Variation of the average district actual monthly Rainfall from the normal average for the months of May to October 1908.

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION.	Division.	District.	May.	June	July.	August.	September.	October.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
SOUTH-WEST BENGAL	Burdwan.	Burdwan	+ 0.07	+ 5.95	+ 2.02	- 1.50	- 1.24	- 2.56	+ 2.74
		Birbhum	- 1.22	+ 3.31	+ 2.69	- 1.13	- 4.51	- 3.24	- 4.10
		Bankura	+ 0.54	+ 3.01	+ 1.96	+ 0.18	- 0.85	- 2.45	+ 2.39
		Midnapore	+ 0.22	+ 2.90	+ 2.64	+ 1.88	- 3.21	- 3.21	+ 1.17
		Hooghly	- 1.02	+ 6.82	+ 6.73	- 3.13	- 1.08	- 3.71	+ 4.61
		Howrah	- 0.32	+ 12.14	+ 10.75	- 1.81	- 3.33	- 3.17	+ 13.96
	Presidency.	24 Parganas	- 2.47	+ 8.48	+ 4.10	- 1.50	- 1.08	- 4.16	+ 3.37
		Calcutta	- 0.96	+ 15.08	+ 12.33	+ 1.74	- 2.51	- 1.93	+ 23.75
		Nadia	- 3.32	+ 10.17	+ 1.85	- 3.01	- 2.64	- 3.21	- 0.16
		Murshidabad	- 2.91	+ 3.94	+ 0.35	- 3.41	- 1.76	- 3.07	- 6.86
		Jessore	- 1.56	+ 5.38	+ 4.15	- 4.25	- 3.55	- 2.59	- 2.42
		Khulna	- 0.34	+ 0.38	+ 4.25	- 3.21	- 3.59	- 3.84	- 5.95
	Patna.	Patna	- 1.04	- 4.46	- 7.32	- 4.75	- 2.27	- 2.53	- 22.37
		Gaya	- 0.61	- 2.71	- 3.81	- 4.68	- 2.16	- 1.45	- 15.42
		Shahabad	- 0.43	- 4.18	- 5.43	- 2.15	- 3.49	- 1.54	- 17.22
		Saran	- 1.48	- 5.35	- 6.49	- 3.74	+ 2.21	- 1.60	- 16.45
		Champanan	- 1.91	- 3.47	- 4.49	- 5.88	+ 1.16	- 2.06	- 16.05
		Muzaffarpur	- 0.75	- 4.70	- 3.64	- 5.90	- 3.06	- 1.42	- 19.47
BINAR	Bhagalpur.	Darbhanga	- 1.66	- 4.67	- 6.48	- 8.92	- 2.63	- 1.72	- 26.08
		Monghyr	- 0.43	- 4.83	- 5.38	- 5.36	- 3.43	- 2.01	- 21.44
		Bhagalpur	- 0.72	- 4.44	- 7.05	- 7.02	- 4.12	- 1.49	- 24.84
		Darjeeling	+ 2.59	- 6.93	- 5.51	- 4.26	- 2.28	- 2.80	- 19.19
		Purnea	- 0.80	- 7.39	- 9.18	- 10.10	- 9.55	- 1.81	- 38.83
ORISSA	Orissa.	Sonthal Parganas	- 0.88	- 0.85	- 1.12	- 3.68	- 3.67	- 2.28	- 11.98
		Sambalpur	- 0.78	- 2.06	+ 6.25	+ 14.99	- 1.59	- 0.58	+ 16.28
		Angul	+ 0.28	- 1.09	+ 0.34	+ 3.90	- 1.50	- 2.23	- 0.30
		Cuttack	- 2.69	+ 4.94	+ 0.14	+ 6.58	- 2.05	- 4.87	+ 2.55
		Balasore	- 1.81	+ 0.94	- 4.75	+ 5.79	- 4.71	- 4.12	- 8.66
CHOTA NAGPUR.	Chota Nagpur.	Puri	- 1.58	+ 2.39	- 0.87	+ 6.92	+ 1.24	- 4.82	+ 3.28
		Hazaribagh	- 1.08	- 1.17	- 1.45	- 3.21	- 3.54	- 1.97	- 12.42
		Ranchi	+ 0.21	- 1.32	+ 0.53	+ 4.15	- 0.21	- 1.40	+ 1.96
		Palamanu	- 0.90	- 3.54	- 5.58	- 4.33	- 2.84	- 1.42	- 18.61
		Manbhum	- 0.24	+ 0.22	+ 0.71	+ 0.32	- 2.87	- 1.93	- 8.79
		Singbhum	- 0.38	- 1.22	- 1.65	+ 6.75	- 1.51	- 1.75	+ 0.24

TABLE III.

The variation of the average District monthly Rainfall expressed as a percentage of the normal fall for the months of May to October 1908.

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION.	Division.	District.	May.	June.	Jul.	August.	September.	October.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
NORTH-WEST BENGAL.	Burdwan.	Burdwan	+ 1	+ 59	+ 16	- 13	- 15	- 76	+ 5
		Birbhum	- 30	+ 30	+ 22	- 10	- 43	- 92	- 8
		Bankura	+ 1	+ 28	+ 16	+ 2	- 10	- 78	+ 5
		Midnapore	+ 4	+ 28	+ 21	+ 14	- 33	- 73	+ 2
		Hooghly	- 19	+ 66	+ 56	- 25	- 12	- 95	+ 9
		Howrah	- 12	+ 111	+ 93	- 16	- 35	- 84	+ 27
	Presidency.	24-Parganas	- 45	+ 78	+ 32	- 11	- 11	- 80	+ 6
		Calcutta	- 17	+ 137	+ 100	+ 14	- 24	- 50	+ 42
		Nadia	- 49	+ 101	+ 18	- 27	- 31	- 84	0
		Murshidabad	- 57	+ 39	+ 3	- 32	- 19	- 82	- 21
		Jessore	- 22	+ 46	+ 39	- 40	- 42	- 58	- 5
		Khulna	- 5	+ 3	+ 32	- 26	- 38	- 64	- 10
BHAR.	Patna.	Patna	- 59	- 58	- 59	- 42	- 32	- 95	- 52
		Gaya	- 52	- 42	- 31	- 40	- 38	- 64	- 38
		Shahabad	- 56	- 65	- 43	- 18	- 50	- 59	- 42
		Saran	- 96	- 65	- 55	- 34	+ 27	- 60	- 38
		Champanan	- 69	- 37	- 33	- 42	+ 12	- 63	- 31
		Muzaffarpur	- 33	- 63	- 30	- 54	- 31	- 54	- 44
	Bhagalpur.	Darbhanga	- 65	- 63	- 51	- 71	- 26	- 80	- 55
		Monghyr	- 20	- 63	- 40	- 47	- 36	- 81	- 46
		Bhagalpur	- 23	- 53	- 55	- 60	- 33	- 58	- 50
		Darjeeling	+ 23	- 30	- 17	- 17	- 13	- 66	- 17
		Purnea	- 15	- 59	- 50	- 67	- 62	- 63	- 56
		Sonthal Parganas	- 14	- 9	- 9	- 32	- 33	- 72	- 23
RISSA	Orissa.	Sambalpur	- 64	- 20	+ 34	+ 99	- 19	- 27	+ 29
		Angul	+ 11	- 11	+ 3	+ 34	- 16	- 49	- 1
		Cuttack	- 64	+ 50	+ 1	+ 52	- 20	- 71	+ 5
		Balasoro	- 36	+ 10	- 39	+ 49	- 42	- 74	- 16
		Puri	- 51	+ 29	- 9	+ 57	+ 13	- 67	+ 6
CHOTA NAGPUR.	Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh	- 57	- 14	- 10	- 25	- 42	- 63	- 25
		Ranchi	+ 12	- 14	+ 4	+ 31	- 3	- 53	+ 4
		Palamau	- 96	- 52	- 37	- 32	- 37	- 53	- 41
		Manbhum	- 8	+ 2	+ 6	+ 3	- 34	- 66	- 8
		Singbhum	- 11	- 11	- 11	+ 46	- 18	- 62	0

TABLE IV.

Monthly Rainfall of the subdivisional Rainfall-recording stations in the Province of Bengal for the months of May to October 1908.

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION.	Division.	District.	Station.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
SOUTH-WEST BENGAL	Burdwan.	Burdwan	Kalna ...	4.48	19.45	11.02	13.83	7.21	3.23	59.22
			Burdwan ...	7.87	18.33	20.37	9.04	7.21	0.13	62.95
			Katwa ...	3.80	16.29	17.57	9.69	5.63	0.47	52.95
			Raniganj ...	2.90	11.17	21.46	10.74	7.67	Nil	43.94
			Mankur ...	7.19	15.25	11.91	8.01	8.09	0.11	50.56
		Birbhum	Suri ...	2.65	16.19	16.43	9.93	3.51	0.85	49.56
			Hetampur ...	2.58	15.13	20.48	12.81	3.39	Nil	54.39
			Rampur Hat ...	2.56	10.92	16.51	8.65	7.50	Nil	46.14
			Boipur ...	3.05	17.38	16.70	10.63	6.82	0.80	55.38
			Murari ...	2.86	11.45	6.44	7.42	8.36	Nil	36.43
			Labpur ...	3.39	14.65	14.53	9.35	3.72	Nil	45.66
		Bankura	Bankura ...	4.02	16.61	9.94	12.96	7.87	Nil	51.40
			Vishnupur ...	4.72	17.54	15.32	11.25	9.17	0.99	58.99
			Maliara ...	5.97	11.86	13.51	13.54	6.40	0.02	51.30
			Khatra ...	2.27	13.00	15.85	12.54	11.05	0.93	54.74
			Indas ...	4.44	11.91	13.47	10.07	6.70	1.16	47.75
			Kotalpur ...	7.62	16.58	14.65	11.09	10.99	0.37	61.30
			Onda ...	2.57	13.05	10.05	8.51	5.13	1.13	40.44
			Gangajalghati ...	3.94	10.32	13.50	15.07	2.43	1.14	46.40
			Raipur ...	6.26	12.62	16.37	12.89	9.25	1.77	59.16
			Sonamukhi ...	7.16	14.89	14.90	12.67	9.46	0.44	59.52
		Midnapore	Pachet ...	2.71	8.30	9.94	17.23	5.14	0.05	43.37
			Contai ...	5.04	9.37	9.21	17.98	9.88	3.06	54.54
			Tamluk ...	6.10	14.96	15.73	12.17	5.42	0.71	55.09
			Midnapore ...	9.61	9.26	18.36	12.74	5.92	0.61	56.50
			Ghatal ...	6.08	17.22	17.45	16.14	2.93	3.76	63.58
			Kukrahaty ...	4.23	13.22	19.92	16.32	8.99	0.57	63.25
			Amlagura ...	4.22	14.75	20.03	12.89	7.40	0.20	59.49
			Panskura ...	5.89	13.93	12.80	11.68	3.30	0.26	47.91
			Dantan ...	3.16	12.28	7.07	17.31	7.35	0.45	48.22
			Chandrakona ...	6.94	18.30	17.99	13.44	2.78	1.34	60.79
			Bhagwanpur ...	7.68	9.49	14.15	10.42	7.07	0.02	48.83
		Hooghly	Serampore ...	3.30	21.58	21.52	11.51	10.32	0.50	68.73
			Hooghly ...	4.68	13.75	15.83	6.00	9.01	0.08	49.40
			Atamghat (Jahanabad).	5.45	15.97	18.86	10.70	3.93	0.05	54.96
		Howrah	Howrah ...	4.43	23.84	19.99	10.50	7.17	1.31	67.24
			Mohesreka ...	4.82	25.56	22.32	9.52	5.07	0.56	67.85
			Ulubaria ...	4.71	19.82	24.54	8.75	6.13	Nil	63.95
			Amla ...	5.09	24.25	18.91	9.31	2.33	0.72	60.61
		24-Parganas	Saugor Island ...	1.81	13.84	9.75	15.04	5.24	0.32	46.00
			Diamond Harbour ...	3.86	18.03	19.18	15.30	10.15	1.91	68.43
			Budge-Budge ...	4.90	26.16	18.61	9.88	5.91	0.41	65.87
			Canning Town ...	2.13	13.50	12.43	11.44	11.09	0.76	51.25
			Alipur (Observatory).	4.64	26.12	24.64	14.43	7.89	1.94	79.66
			Barrackpore ...	4.14	20.86	21.80	10.21	11.81	0.14	68.97
			Dum-Dum ...	2.63	21.06	17.25	10.58	7.90	1.34	60.76
	Presidency.	Nadia	Barasat ...	3.12	21.16	16.92	9.60	9.82	0.66	61.18
			Baurhat ...	1.79	20.37	14.62	7.85	7.79	1.31	53.73
			Fraserganj ...	P	P	P	14.29	9.29	4.17	27.75
			Ranaghat ...	5.28	17.44	6.90	11.7b.	11.45	0.55	53.37
			Krishnagar ...	2.61	19.36	11.82	11.41	3.51	2.21	50.92
		Nadia	Ohuadanga ...	3.43	25.63	10.44	7.51	4.81	0.25	52.07
			Meherpur ...	3.56	24.13	19.21	5.60	5.23	0.95	58.68
			Kushtia ...	2.12	14.31	12.70	3.49	4.16	0.19	36.97
			Hariughata ...	P	P	P	7.70	3.31	P	P

METEORO- LOGICAL DIVISION.	Division.	District.	Station.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
SOUTH-WEST BENGAL—concl'd.	Presidency—concl'd.	Murshidabad	Kandi ...	2.83	15.67	13.84	6.36	9.44	0.86	48.80
			Berhampore ...	0.93	17.85	14.10	5.14	11.18	0.90	50.10
			Lalbag ...	1.86	14.06	14.00	10.21	13.25	0.41	53.29
			Azimganj ...	1.11	12.50	12.54	8.73	5.96	0.67	41.51
			Jangipur ...	1.95	10.19	6.39	9.27	4.26	Nil	32.06
			Lalgola ...	3.96	11.65	6.48	5.74	4.31	Nil	32.14
			Akhrganj ...	3.62	14.24	6.99	4.16	2.42	0.87	32.30
			Pathabari ...							
			Dumkal ...	2.02	16.53	15.65	6.70	9.93	1.90	52.73
			Kuliyanganj ...	1.97	10.80	15.45	6.49	8.70	0.35	43.76
		Jessore	Narail ...	4.66	17.45	19.98	4.97	4.03	1.03	52.12
			Jessore ...	6.09	15.93	16.28	6.63	2.78	2.09	49.80
			Jhenidah ...	5.88	21.48	12.59	5.61	2.11	2.21	49.88
			Magura ...	4.26	14.88	12.08	4.33	4.32	2.59	42.46
			Bangaon ...	6.97	15.59	13.03	10.56	11.25	1.31	58.71
		Khulna	Satkhiria ...	8.67	16.02	12.43	12.69	9.87	0.77	60.45
			Bagerhat ...	5.16	11.45	22.02	5.87	4.27	1.48	50.25
			Khulna ...	3.66	14.36	15.10	5.42	3.70	3.63	45.87
			Kaliganj ...	3.81	17.04	28.13	13.84	9.32	2.30	74.44
			Nakipur ...	5.64	13.26	19.94	11.26	7.73	1.86	59.69
			Dumuria ...	5.94	12.25	25.34	12.91	5.28	0.64	62.36
			Rampal ...	5.41	10.66	16.73	10.30	5.96	1.60	48.66
			Kalaroa ...	4.80	15.99	11.78	9.83	6.95	2.08	51.43
			Paikgacha ...	6.81	9.71	19.79	8.83	6.65	1.04	52.83
			Mollahat ...	5.12	14.01	14.09	6.71	5.54	0.14	45.61
		Patna	Morelganj ...	5.00	14.27	28.72	8.20	7.16	1.93	65.28
			Tala ...	8.58	9.77	13.80	7.41	7.87	1.01	48.44
			Patna ...	0.52	4.28	6.34	8.10	3.97	Nil	23.21
			Dinapore ...	0.71	4.53	2.90	7.95	4.91	0.04	22.43
			Bihar ...	1.25	2.60	4.01	6.77	3.81	0.22	19.75
			Barh ...	0.72	2.91	4.46	5.31	4.94	Nil	18.34
			Bikram ...	0.02	3.41	4.76	5.68	5.98	0.50	0.35
			Hilsa ...	1.03	1.68	5.61	4.95	5.98	Nil	19.27
			Islampur ...	0.82	0.73	4.70	5.19	5.68	0.10	17.22
			Asthanan ...	1.13	4.90	5.84	3.11	3.18	0.30	18.46
		Gaya	Aurangabad ...	0.65	2.65	8.13	5.97	6.29	0.54	24.23
			Gaya ...	0.47	3.23	5.36	6.82	2.98	0.86	19.72
			Nawadah ...	1.22	4.71	9.84	7.11	4.78	2.70	30.36
			Jahanabad ...	0.65	2.04	3.21	5.63	7.91	0.41	19.88
			Arwal ...	Nil	2.98	4.19	12.45	4.11	0.37	24.10
			Daudnagar ...	1.96	5.88	4.09	9.72	1.09	0.09	22.83
			Sherghati ...	Nil	4.16	14.01	5.96	5.77	1.37	31.27
			Rajauli ...	Nil	5.85	16.25	2.90	1.95	0.20	27.15
			Pakri Barawan ...	0.16	2.80	12.22	6.78	4.67	0.85	27.48
			Deo ...	Nil	3.79	4.28	8.58	1.50	1.19	19.34
			Nobinagar ...	Nil	0.68	9.46	7.75	3.29	0.16	21.34
BIHAR	Patna.	Shahabad	Buxar ...	0.02	3.92	11.53	11.61	3.57	1.67	32.32
			Dehri ...	0.30	0.19	7.44	8.78	2.01	0.05	18.77
			Bhabhua ...	Nil	0.57	6.28	12.90	4.48	1.00	25.23
			Sasaram ...	0.85	2.21	5.57	9.22	4.69	0.05	22.59
			Arrah ...	0.03	4.06	6.02	12.56	4.12	0.93	27.72
			Mohanea ...	0.16	0.32	3.85	7.35	2.98	2.00	16.66
			Ageson ...	0.21	1.76	3.20	9.75	2.05	Nil	16.97
			Itamagar ...	0.23	4.18	8.25	7.85	0.97	0.10	21.88
			Koath ...	1.31	3.07	10.65	7.11	3.69	0.10	25.93
			Sikroni ...	Nil	2.06	12.31	5.97	3.74	1.27	25.35
			Bassowan ...	0.20	2.43	4.71	9.61	4.64	3.64	25.23
			Monaharpur ...	0.78	2.19	7.26	11.41	4.75	2.00	28.39
			Akberpur ...	0.59	2.66	8.63	15.23	1.85	0.32	29.28
		Saran	Gopalganj ...	0.05	3.21	9.52	7.00	11.76	Nil	31.54
			Siwan ...	Nil	2.31	4.92	11.86	9.76	1.83	30.68
			Ekma ...	0.40	0.57	4.71	5.74	11.67	0.68	25.77

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION	Division.	District.	Station.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Bihar—contd.	Patna—contd.	Saran—concl'd.	Chapra	0.02	1.99	4.57	4.70	6.05	0.17	17.50
			Hathwa	Nil	2.95	10.23	13.15	12.88	1.59	40.78
			Amnor	Nil	2.70	6.40	4.42	3.94	2.09	19.55
			Basantpur	Nil	4.23	6.10	9.85	6.40	1.12	27.70
			Darauli	Nil	2.78	7.53	11.76	8.38	1.45	31.90
			Bh. reh	Nil	4.46	13.30	17.59	11.58	3.92	50.85
			Sripur	Nil	4.17	9.32	14.87	7.59	2.54	38.49
		Champan	Motihari	0.81	2.76	6.79	2.80	6.15	1.24	20.55
			Bettiah	0.35	4.16	8.37	8.26	12.16	2.21	35.51
			B. gaha	1.96	11.65	11.62	11.74	12.95	0.15	52.47
			Burburwa	0.09	4.89	7.72	6.92	12.92	1.30	38.84
			Ramnagar	0.94	5.83	20.33	8.86	12.21	Nil	48.17
			Narkotiganj	0.74	3.45	11.59	9.16	6.26	6.20	37.40
			Kissoriah	0.32	0.50	7.67	9.68	9.74	1.42	29.33
			Dh. naha	0.54	6.08	9.93	15.30	4.70	0.50	37.05
		Muzaffarpur	Sitama. hi	4.51	1.89	5.39	2.90	7.84	3.21	25.74
			Muzaffarpur	0.22	2.21	8.55	4.35	3.96	1.68	18.97
			Hajipur	0.50	6.18	8.01	7.42	5.31	Nil	27.42
			Paru	0.52	1.25	?	6.97	4.55	1.62	14.91
			Mahuwa	0.86	3.20	7.17	6.60	5.47	Nil	23.30
			Saihar	1.67	1.26	12.98	4.02	9.61	0.79	30.33
			Pupri	2.51	2.96	10.22	3.46	2.74	1.03	22.91
		Darbhanga...	Tajpur* (Samasti- pur).	0.12	1.64	6.92	3.55	5.69	0.03	18.01
			Darbhanga	0.84	3.69	10.84	4.52	10.92	0.40	31.21
			Madhubani	2.49	3.62	8.50	1.01	6.90	1.60	24.12
			Bahera	0.52	2.60	5.01	2.26	7.04	Nil	17.43
			Roshera	0.48	2.45	3.99	6.51	6.59	0.12	20.15
			Khutonia	1.89	7.48	3.49	4.20	3.49	0.40	21.95
			Bidaria	2.50	6.13	3.60	3.30	4.62	1.57	21.72
			Laukahi	2.71	9.47	4.66	2.83	2.77	0.24	22.68
			Madhipur	?	?	9.04	3.56	8.90	1.29	22.79
			Khajouli	?	?	5.15	3.60	11.29	1.68	21.72
			Banipatti	?	?	0.17	0.74	8.09	1.60	10.60
	Bhagalpur.	Monghyr	Begusarai	2.01	3.63	7.18	7.94	5.50	0.49	26.75
			Monghyr	1.64	1.63	3.71	7.09	6.71	0.09	20.87
			Jamui	2.28	2.26	10.60	6.63	5.85	0.87	28.49
			Gogri	1.12	2.13	6.95	5.46	1.56	Nil	17.22
			Jamulpur	1.14	2.52	3.98	5.60	5.54	0.03	18.81
			Shaikpura	2.35	2.97	11.59	3.01	7.03	Nil	26.95
			Chakai Bamda	2.35	4.12	12.43	7.76	5.61	0.66	32.93
			Chupretn	1.33	1.85	4.46	2.65	6.48	1.11	17.88
			Gidhour	1.69	3.26	8.74	7.01	10.93	1.00	32.63
			Kharagpur	1.32	3.50	9.82	7.38	6.18	0.58	28.78
		Bhagalpur ...	Madhipura	3.14	2.43	2.57	4.01	6.12	1.27	19.54
			Bangaon (Syfa- bad).	2.00	2.98	?	?	7.67	0.74	13.39
			Supaul	4.07	3.53	4.99	3.39	4.80	1.06	21.84
			Pratapganj	3.55	3.68	8.69	3.89	3.63	0.83	23.67
			Bhagalpur	1.56	2.72	3.42	3.85	3.65	0.76	15.96
			Banka	1.20	4.78	8.19	6.87	10.97	0.89	32.90
			Colgong	2.25	6.46	5.65	2.73	3.81	1.25	22.15
			Bansil	1.68	6.40	6.16	7.75	14.48	1.96	38.43
		Darjeeling	Siliguri	17.56	15.09	17.01	30.63	22.09	2.14	104.52
			Darjeeling	10.24	17.52	21.75	19.29	15.04	0.91	84.75
			Kalimpang	6.37	10.89	21.14	12.83	7.18	0.98	59.39
			Mungpoo	10.07	12.05	30.90	16.54	17.81	0.98	88.35
			Kurseong	15.10	23.28	46.29	25.52	23.13	1.60	134.92
			Pedong	11.95	19.75	22.34	18.76	10.41	1.96	85.18

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION.	Division.	District.	Station.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
BIHAR—contd.	Bhagalpur—contd.	Purnea	Kishanganj	5.13	4.81	7.48	5.56	4.81	0.80	28.59
			Araria	4.04	4.84	18.53	6.83	9.64	1.11	45.04
			Purnea	3.27	5.16	8.22	2.48	3.93	0.31	23.37
			Gondwara (<i>Konah</i>)	5.08	4.72	4.04	4.03	6.21	0.13	24.21
			Barsoe	2.10	6.44	7.22	2.13	1.70	2.10	21.59
			Forbesganj	4.50	2.39	10.95	8.73	5.96	1.96	34.49
			Kaliaganj	6.80	8.15	6.45	4.40	9.00	Nil	34.80
		Sonthal Parganas.	Rajmahal	3.54	6.06	6.88	7.55	4.66	0.98	29.67
			Godda	3.01	6.69	8.20	6.52	5.39	0.37	30.18
			Pakaur	0.83	7.73	9.63	6.31	13.05	Nil	37.55
			Naya Dumka	1.21	13.41	14.16	10.74	5.37	Nil	44.89
			Deoghur	2.96	7.00	13.36	4.74	9.02	1.17	38.25
			Jamtara	3.05	11.82	11.12	12.30	8.98	0.12	47.39
			Mohagama	2.24	8.15	7.06	4.62	9.79	2.00	33.87
			Nanihat	0.62	10.73	20.63	17.40	7.96	Nil	57.34
			Assenboni	3.32	14.70	15.93	8.24		1.30	43.49
			Katikund	1.97	11.05	12.43	9.62	7.14	Nil	42.21
			Madhupur	1.95	5.72	14.92	8.13	8.32	0.90	39.94
			Sarwan	6.67	8.62	14.50	4.34	6.31	0.59	41.03
			Sarath	2.50	8.37	12.86	6.87	5.75	1.10	37.45
			Poorya	?	6.66	7.50	6.25	7.64	0.42	28.47
			Bhagya	2.59	6.26	6.35	2.52	7.37	4.40	29.49
			Moheshpore	1.86	11.42	8.91	7.94	11.24	0.35	41.72
			Hiranpur	1.80	9.40	8.07	7.82	13.25	0.36	40.70
			Barharwa	2.62	7.66	10.51	9.69	7.46	0.73	38.67
			Sahibganj	2.33	8.04	11.26	6.76	3.77	2.35	34.51
			Baria	3.63	5.38	9.07	7.64	7.10	0.97	33.85
			Aurapura	2.31	10.19	15.16	9.00	12.00	0.39	49.35
		Sambalpur	Sambalpur	0.30	8.63	31.09	29.79	7.45	0.48	77.74
			Bargarh	0.60	8.16	18.15	30.55	5.97	2.36	65.79
			Patampur (<i>Barasumber</i>)	0.08	5.95	14.12	16.83	12.76	0.26	50.00
		Uria Feudatory States	Bhawanipatna	2.84	7.14	14.09	26.82	9.01	3.26	63.16
			Bolangir	1.84	9.35	7.09	22.96	10.40	2.10	53.74
			Sonepur	0.05	11.07	15.36	26.99	7.81	Nil	61.28
			Rampur	1.27	14.08	28.43	22.47	7.33	0.18	73.82
			Deoghur	0.75	11.88	20.54	39.18	2.77	0.62	75.74
			Gangpur	0.62	6.59	18.11	22.26	5.60	0.93	54.11
			Bonaigurh	0.90	13.77	14.52	27.60	5.07	Nil	61.86
		Cuttack	Jagatsingpur	1.38	19.51	14.88	19.41	8.83	1.25	65.26
			Banki	1.28	16.28	9.17	23.77	8.51	2.48	61.49
			Cuttack	1.69	16.12	11.06	27.08	10.49	1.41	67.85
			False Point	0.38	9.94	13.30	16.47	9.99	2.10	51.28
			Kendrapara	1.19	13.72	10.11	9.49	6.61	0.47	41.59
			Jaipur	1.82	11.70	10.98	21.09	3.15	2.40	51.14
			Pharmisala	1.42	12.23	13.78	14.85	5.26	2.52	50.06
ORISSA.	Orissa.	Balasore	Salepur	3.19	17.70	12.92	22.57	13.16	1.95	71.49
			Akhyapada	1.64	7.57	7.63	17.45	3.95	0.95	39.19
			Chandbali	2.21	7.47	16.81	10.79	8.50	0.85	46.63
			Rhadrak	3.13	10.42	8.63	7.55	9.20	0.97	39.90
			Somo	5.43	11.13	5.60	16.46	6.20	0.05	44.96
			Balasore	4.01	8.23	4.94	30.79	3.44	2.96	54.27
			Jollasore	3.85	15.42	9.86	22.77	7.21	2.76	61.37
			Barapal	3.70	12.89	7.95	16.02	3.05	0.75	43.36
			Eram (<i>Basudebpur</i>)	3.68	9.27	10.24	13.24	11.57	0.15	48.11
			Turinaria	8.08	9.40	7.81	15.15	8.12	0.55	49.11
			Banuth	2.85	5.95	8.50	9.12	4.40	0.45	31.27
		Angul	Angul	1.19	9.52	11.34	14.42	7.95	2.20	46.53
			Bisipara	4.31	7.85	13.67	14.27	8.18	2.41	50.69
			Chhendipada	2.06	13.22	9.68	21.06	11.83	Nil	57.85
			Tikerpara	0.77	6.08	12.24	16.25	12.80	1.23	49.37
			Bulundapada	0.70	12.85	14.97	32.93	8.23	5.71	74.89

Orissa LEGISLATIVE DIVISION.	Division.	District	Station.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Orissa—contd.	Orissa—contd.	Orissa Tri- butary Mahals.	Baramba ...	1.83	19.11	8.70	18.41	9.22	2.30	59.77
			Kunjabongarh ...	1.18	9.80	14.31	18.65	12.17	5.52	61.63
			Dhenkanal ...	0.44	16.71	15.27	25.18	9.03	2.43	69.06
			Bysinga ...	0.22	11.49	13.85	23.77	9.44	0.35	59.12
			Keonjhar ...	2.16	7.03	8.18	20.85	8.61	Nil	46.83
			Anandapur ...	2.68	10.34	6.67	19.30	6.32	3.57	48.88
			Baripada ...	3.62	4.57	10.42	21.36	10.11	4.76	54.84
			Karanja ...	3.60	11.59	11.86	11.43	8.96	0.15	47.59
			Narsingpur ...	1.72	18.83	13.99	15.97	4.15	0.51	55.17
			Nayagurh ...	0.73	10.90	10.78	17.52	5.34	0.18	45.45
			Pal Lahera ...	3.60	10.75	19.98	31.53	6.82	0.25	72.93
			Ranpur ...	1.58	7.55	10.59	15.52	8.53	1.31	42.47
			Talcher ...	2.68	12.11	16.99	19.98	5.71	1.77	59.24
			Atmalik ...	Nil	7.62	15.67	16.45	2.73	Nil	42.47
			Hindol ...	2.38	19.07	12.27	18.23	5.91	1.20	59.06
			Boud ...	1.23	8.00	25.59	18.97	5.12	0.55	59.46
			Nilgiri ...	4.27	7.20	8.64	19.32	5.69	0.25	45.36
			Atgurh ...	1.00	15.59	10.85	25.81	9.02	0.92	63.17
		Puri	Puri ...	2.92	11.78	7.45	18.69	9.36	2.84	53.04
			Khurda ...	3.16	10.98	10.91	19.87	11.84	0.55	57.31
			Bhanpur ...	0.98	8.96	10.10	16.89	8.53	2.13	47.59
			Gop ...	Nil	13.22	14.30	18.70	16.51	4.02	66.75
			Satpura ...	0.71	7.84	4.04	20.68	10.01	3.08	46.36
			Sunakhalla ...	P	P	P	P	10.09	1.55	11.64
			Kanes ...	2.36	8.68	13.72	17.74	14.36	0.20	57.06
			Tanghi ...	2.18	9.37	9.55	19.85	9.41	1.10	51.46
			Jenkia ...	P	P	P	18.03	10.07	1.15	29.25
		Hazaribagh	Pachamba (Gri- dih) ...	0.89	6.27	8.32	14.05	8.24	0.30	38.07
			Hazaribagh ...	0.71	8.79	19.68	8.26	3.40	1.89	43.43
			Barhi ...	0.57	9.37	13.71	8.24	4.24	0.96	37.12
			Chatra ...	0.36	8.51	9.93	10.10	3.98	3.23	36.11
			Kharagdiha ...	1.59	3.36	12.77	5.59	4.59	Nil	27.90
			Ramgar ...	0.75	9.73	13.84	12.81	4.47	0.60	42.20
			Koderma ...	Nil	6.19	7.24	10.73	3.01	3.09	30.26
			Bagador ...	2.08	9.54	13.33	12.71	6.92	Nil	44.58
		Ranchi	Lohardaga ...	1.24	3.03	12.62	10.07	3.44	1.58	31.98
			Ranchi ...	2.29	9.25	18.69	14.11	8.63	0.10	53.07
			Silli ...	3.72	8.61	11.61	14.45	7.01	0.10	45.50
			Pal'kot ...	1.27	12.97	20.36	30.42	12.21	4.20	81.43
			Bano ...	1.83	11.51	19.49	20.42	5.53	0.78	59.56
			Tamar ...	1.83	12.28	11.26	P	6.56	0.39	32.32
			Kurdeg ...	0.73	5.28	21.46	16.63	6.28	0.02	50.40
			Gumla ...	1.14	5.53	11.46	20.64	5.07	2.22	46.06
CHOTA NAGPUR.	Chota Nagpur.	Palamau...	Chainpur ...	0.97	3.76	14.91	18.24	10.69	1.01	49.58
			Khunti ...	0.91	9.02	13.50	22.00	10.15	0.95	56.53
			Palamau (Dalton- ganj) ...	0.02	1.12	11.24	11.18	2.55	2.75	28.86
			Balumath ...	Nil	6.60	10.75	11.57	5.12	1.20	35.24
			Hussainabad ...	Nil	Nil	6.90	6.50	1.00	Nil	14.40
			Garhwa ...	0.11	3.18	8.50	7.09	10.55	1.06	30.49
			Mahuadanr ...	0.28	3.50	16.18	17.39	9.00	1.68	48.03
			Panki ...	Nil	2.50	11.65	6.95	1.00	Nil	22.10
		Palamau...	Latchur ...	Nil	2.01	11.73	18.63	5.02	2.15	39.54
			Nagarutari ...	0.16	3.36	10.86	12.24	6.08	0.92	33.62
			Ranka ...	Nil	4.00	15.15	13.82	5.72	1.57	40.26
			Chattrapur ...	0.15	P	P	P	P	Nil	P
			Bhaonathpur ...	0.31	Nil	9.23	8.48	3.68	0.23	21.93
			Patan ...	0.11	0.72	7.78	7.08	3.23	0.16	19.08
			Monatu ...	0.30	3.80	10.90	9.51	4.44	0.85	29.80
			Lesliganj ...	Nil	0.90	14.78	12.54	12.10	0.69	41.01
			Kerh ...	0.21	1.75	15.03	11.20	3.45	0.79	22.43
			Garu ...	0.75	4.76	20.35	21.87	4.45	Nil	52.18

Mysore LOCAL DIVISION.	Division	District.	Station.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
CHOTA NAGPUR—concl'd.	Chota Nagpur—concl'd.	Manbhum	Purulia ...	3.56	7.98	13.91	15.76	8.15	1.28	50.64
			Gobindpur ...	2.50	9.83	18.67	14.44	6.03	0.85	52.32
			Baghunathpur ...	1.74	8.82	16.00	10.87	2.44	Nil	39.87
			Barahabhum ...	3.82	14.29	14.31	9.64	2.31	0.39	44.76
			Jhalda ...	1.78	9.54	11.31	12.78	5.41	1.80	42.62
			Chas ...	2.45	6.89	5.84	15.88	7.81	0.35	39.22
			Pandra ...	2.13	11.33	14.51	12.33	7.37	1.09	48.76
			Men Bazar ...	3.29	10.26	14.12	10.75	11.50	Nil	49.92
			Koilapal ...	4.59	14.73	11.18	12.27	5.99	0.37	49.13
		Singhbhum	Chaibassa ...	8.64	10.73	7.64	18.00	7.64	0.98	48.63
			Chakradharpur ...	6.20	5.19	5.29	18.50	5.39	2.49	43.06
			Ghatsila ...	3.90	12.96	11.38	15.01	3.38	0.66	52.29
			Baharagura ...	4.47	1.59	17.87	21.21	5.47	0.65	51.26
			Gailkura ...	1.30	8.77	25.35	28.58	6.91	0.14	71.05
			Kalikapur ...	2.24	12.39	11.23	15.93	6.53	2.39	50.71
			Monaharpur ...	2.12	13.29	15.10	31.83	6.44	0.07	68.91
			Katbari ...	4.02	11.99	8.92	15.21	6.55	2.52	49.21
			Seraikilla ...	3.73	12.87	7.56	17.17	2.03	0.72	44.08
			Kharswan ...	4.92	12.93	10.03	18.74	6.13	2.28	55.03
			Jaintigarh ...	5.08	8.07	13.92	24.25	7.63	Nil	58.95
			Jaganathpur ...	4.46	19.04	12.98	25.73	2.62	Nil	64.82

TABLE V.

Variation of the subdivisional actual monthly rainfall from the normal average for the months of May to October 1908.

HYDRO-LOGICAL DIVISION.	Division.	District.	Station.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
SOUTH-WEST BENGAL.	Burdwan.	Burdwan ...	Kalna ...	-1.25	+ 9.47	- 0.22	+2.49	+0.13	-0.19	+10.43
			Burdwan ...	+2.31	+ 8.16	+ 8.05	-2.45	-1.38	-8.80	+10.89
			Katwa ...	-2.21	+ 6.30	+ 6.86	-1.49	-2.72	-3.16	+ 3.58
			Raniganj ...	-0.87	+ 1.24	- 2.69	-2.27	+0.07	-3.22	- 7.44
			Mankur ...	+2.34	+ 4.55	- 0.91	-3.73	-2.31	-2.44	- 2.55
		Birbhum ...	Suri ...	-0.83	+ 4.84	+ 3.53	-2.61	-6.26	-2.64	- 3.97
			Hetampur ...	-1.05	+ 4.45	+ 7.72	+0.72	-6.69	-3.11	+ 2.04
			Rampur Hat ...	-1.52	+ 0.30	+ 5.18	-3.10	-3.64	-3.65	- 6.43
			Bolpur ...	-1.81	+ 7.08	+ 5.06	+0.45	-2.96	-2.59	+ 5.23
			Murari ...	-1.35	- 0.05	- 8.48	-3.14	-2.73	-3.25	-19.00
			Labpur ...	-0.78	+ 3.24	+ 3.13	+0.92	-6.76	-4.22	- 4.47
		Bankura ...	Bankura ...	+0.16	+ 6.32	- 2.93	+1.38	-0.88	-4.05	0
			Vishnupur ...	-0.33	+ 6.37	+ 3.47	-1.93	-0.06	-2.17	+ 5.35
			Maliara ...	+2.34	+ 1.67	+ 0.83	+2.19	-0.53	-3.15	+ 3.35
			Khatra ...	-1.91	+ 0.63	+ 2.40	+0.53	+1.63	-3.66	- 0.38
			Indas ...	-1.20	+ 1.48	+ 1.41	+0.12	-2.63	-1.50	- 2.33
			Kotalpur ...	+3.64	+ 5.85	+ 1.80	-0.88	+3.44	-2.63	+11.22
			Onda ...	-0.94	+ 3.25	- 0.28	-3.25	-4.48	-1.32	- 7.02
			Gangajalghati ...	+0.17	- 1.03	+ 4.34	+2.90	-6.05	-1.38	- 4.05
			Raipur ...	+0.67	+ 1.18	+ 4.10	-1.45	+0.10	-2.22	+ 2.38
			Sonamukhi ...	+2.82	+ 4.35	+ 3.22	+2.15	+0.94	-2.36	+11.12
		Midnapore ...	Contai ...	-0.03	- 0.41	- 5.31	+4.72	-1.18	-4.46	- 6.67
			Tamluk ...	+0.88	+ 5.20	+ 3.55	-1.01	-3.81	-3.51	+ 1.30
			Midnapore ...	+4.40	- 1.13	+ 6.46	+0.60	-2.80	-3.81	+ 3.72
			Ghatal ...	+0.54	+ 7.18	+ 4.98	+2.49	-6.56	+0.59	+ 9.22
			Kukrahaty ...	-1.70	+ 3.10	+ 7.34	+4.30	-1.89	-3.86	+ 7.29
			Amlagura ...	-0.43	+ 4.78	+ 7.45	+0.59	-1.18	-2.48	+ 8.83
			Panskura ...	+0.07	+ 3.19	+ 1.71	-0.80	-6.71	-3.31	- 5.85
			Dantan ...	-1.69	+ 2.46	- 5.06	+5.24	-1.12	-4.80	- 4.97
		Hooghly ...	Serampore ...	-2.04	+11.62	+ 8.88	-0.57	+1.05	-3.77	+15.17
			Hooghly ...	-1.17	+ 3.19	+ 4.60	-5.64	+0.61	-3.75	- 2.16
			Arambagh (Jamshedpur). hanabad).	+0.14	+ 5.66	+ 6.73	-3.16	-4.88	-3.60	+ 0.89
		Howrah ...	Howrah ...	-0.52	+12.45	+ 7.95	-1.62	-2.25	-2.75	+13.26
			Moheskreka ...	-0.86	+15.46	+10.18	-3.48	-3.72	-3.16	+14.42
			Uluberia ...	-0.46	+ 8.53	+14.12	-0.33	-4.02	-3.60	+14.24
		24 Parganas	Saugor Island ...	-2.94	+ 3.05	- 5.78	-0.14	-6.86	-8.81	-21.48
			Diamond Harbour ...	-1.69	+ 7.64	+ 4.22	+1.12	-0.92	-3.16	+ 7.21
			Canning Town ...	-3.97	+ 1.78	- 0.18	-3.52	+1.35	-4.05	- 8.59
			Alipore (Observatory).	-0.96	+15.08	+12.33	+1.74	-2.51	-1.93	-23.75
			Barrackpore ...	-1.07	+10.47	+ 9.83	-1.56	+3.00	-3.72	+16.95
			Dum-Dum ...	-2.95	+10.01	+ 5.27	-2.74	-1.98	-3.18	+ 5.43
			Barasat ...	-2.36	+10.88	+ 5.96	-2.64	+0.39	-3.79	+ 8.54
			Basirhat ...	-3.96	+ 8.77	+ 1.80	-4.18	-1.40	-3.33	- 2.80
		Nadia ...	Ranaghat ...	-0.68	+ 7.71	- 3.65	+0.15	+3.73	-3.04	+ 4.22
			Krishnagar ...	-3.95	+ 9.46	+ 1.45	+1.16	-4.46	-1.99	+ 1.67
			Chnadanga ...	-3.95	+16.13	+ 0.15	-3.60	-3.94	-4.14	+ 0.65
			Meherpur ...	-2.62	+14.11	+ 9.10	-5.67	-3.10	-2.92	+ 8.90
			Kushtia ...	-5.39	+ 3.48	+ 2.20	-7.09	-5.46	-3.97	-16.23
	Murshidabad		Kandi ...	-1.65	+ 5.33	+ 1.68	-4.40	-0.19	-3.10	- 2.23
			Berhampore ...	-3.95	+ 7.98	+ 3.79	-5.84	+1.39	-3.31	- 0.44
			Lalbag ...	-3.73	+ 4.85	+ 1.97	-2.17	+3.20	-3.69	+ 0.43
			Azimganj ...	-3.93	+ 2.94	+ 1.79	-2.52	-3.34	-3.44	- 8.50

METHUEN-LOGICAL DIVISION.		Division.	District.	Station.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
SOUTH-WEST BENGAL. —conold.	Presidency— conold.	Murshidabad —conold..	Jangipur	...	- 2.78	+ 0.62	- 4.53	- 1.65	- 6.14	- 3.39	-17.87
			Lalgola	...	- 1.28	+ 1.62	- 5.01	- 5.08	- 6.60	- 4.17	-20.52
			Akriganj	...	- 2.33	+ 2.61	- 4.40	- 4.95	- 6.73	- 2.56	-18.36
			Dumkal	...	- 3.44	+ 5.73	+ 5.37	- 4.34	+ 1.55	- 1.50	+ 3.37
		Jessore	Narail	...	- 2.16	+ 6.23	+ 10.15	- 5.22	- 3.41	- 2.98	+ 2.61
			Jessore	...	- 1.76	+ 2.76	+ 4.66	- 4.59	- 6.22	- 3.21	- 8.36
			Jhenida	...	- 0.81	+ 9.50	+ 2.30	- 5.29	- 6.77	- 2.23	- 3.30
			Magura	...	- 3.86	+ 3.13	+ 1.47	- 5.14	- 3.81	- 1.28	- 9.48
			Bangaon	...	+ 0.82	+ 5.26	+ 2.17	- 1.01	+ 2.47	- 3.25	+ 6.46
		Khulna	Satkhira	...	+ 2.47	+ 4.33	+ 0.08	+ 0.87	+ 0.5	- 4.02	+ 4.48
Bagerhat	...		- 1.90	- 3.02	+ 7.49	- 6.53	- 5.64	- 3.90	-13.50		
Khulna	...		- 2.95	+ 1.30	+ 2.82	- 6.36	- 5.67	- 0.84	-11.70		
Nakipur	...		0	+ 0.84	+ 7.32	- 0.91	- 1.43	- 3.79	+ 2.03		
Bihar.	Patna.	Patna	Rampal	...	- 3.34	- 1.53	+ 3.02	- 3.12	- 4.22	- 4.17	-13.36
			Patna	...	- 1.18	- 3.48	- 5.07	- 2.62	- 3.85	- 2.89	-19.09
			Dinapore	...	- 0.85	- 3.45	- 8.04	- 3.71	- 2.39	- 3.10	-21.54
			Bihar	...	- 0.64	- 4.32	- 7.89	- 4.49	- 2.92	- 2.28	-22.54
		Gaya	Barh	...	- 1.21	- 3.26	- 7.89	- 5.16	- 2.63	- 2.36	-22.51
			Bikram	...	- 1.68	- 5.38	- 8.38	- 5.59	- 0.95	- 2.45	-24.43
			Hilsa	...	- 0.67	- 6.85	- 6.69	- 6.91	- 0.85	- 2.15	-24.12
			Aurangabad	...	- 0.54	- 3.68	- 4.69	- 7.55	- 0.35	- 1.93	-18.74
			Gaya	...	- 0.61	- 3.55	- 6.94	- 4.26	- 3.49	- 1.46	-20.71
			Nawadah	...	- 0.27	- 2.22	- 2.23	- 4.31	- 2.06	+ 0.46	-10.73
Muzaffarpur	Shahabad	Jahanabad	...	- 0.67	- 4.18	- 9.05	- 7.34	+ 1.78	- 2.31	-21.77	
		Arwal	...	- 1.42	- 2.84	- 9.34	+ 2.47	- 3.07	- 1.87	-16.07	
		Daudnagar	...	+ 1.11	- 0.45	- 8.39	- 1.68	- 4.51	- 1.72	-15.64	
		Sherghati	...	- 0.74	- 2.30	+ 3.52	- 5.63	- 1.15	- 1.45	- 7.75	
		Rajauli	...	- 1.26	- 1.03	+ 3.64	- 9.12	- 4.78	- 2.99	-16.14	
		Pakri Barawan	...	- 1.02	- 3.55	- 0.78	- 4.68	- 1.36	- 0.77	-12.16	
		Saran	Buxar	...	- 0.78	- 1.44	- 0.19	+ 0.58	- 3.41	- 1.30	- 6.54
			Dehri	...	- 0.52	- 6.34	- 4.20	- 4.44	- 4.45	- 2.44	-22.09
			Bhabhua	...	- 0.85	- 4.83	- 6.00	+ 0.57	- 2.24	- 1.97	-15.32
			Sasaram	...	- 0.11	- 3.37	- 6.19	- 3.27	- 2.15	- 2.74	-17.83
Arrah	...		- 1.44	- 2.90	- 7.33	+ 2.06	- 4.11	- 1.84	-15.56		
Muzaffarpur	Chan paran.	Mohanea	...	- 0.31	- 6.47	- 9.95	- 5.85	- 3.39	- 0.70	-26.67	
		Ageaon	...	- 0.59	- 7.40	- 10.56	+ 0.53	- 6.31	- 2.69	-27.02	
		Ramagar	...	- 0.51	- 2.70	- 4.90	- 2.52	- 6.60	- 1.76	-18.99	
		Koath	...	+ 0.94	- 2.91	- 2.53	- 4.51	- 2.94	- 1.65	-13.60	
		Sikroul	...	- 0.90	- 3.37	+ 0.83	- 5.40	- 2.34	- 0.37	-11.55	
		Bassowan	...	- 0.12	- 3.57	- 9.33	- 2.43	- 2.63	- 0.22	-18.30	
		Monaharpur	...	+ 0.11	- 4.71	- 4.84	- 1.10	- 1.41	- 0.89	-12.84	
		Muzaffarpur	Gopalganj	...	- 2.37	- 3.65	- 2.86	- 3.81	+ 3.75	- 3.58	-12.52
			Siwan	...	- 1.62	- 4.93	- 6.91	+ 0.35	+ 1.14	- 1.24	-13.21
			Ekma	...	- 0.36	- 8.52	- 5.74	- 6.09	+ 3.45	- 1.39	-18.65
Chapra	...		- 1.33	- 4.67	- 6.72	- 5.03	- 1.17	- 2.46	-21.38		
Amnor	...		- 1.44	- 6.58	- 5.98	- 7.32	- 4.91	- 0.67	-26.90		
Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	Basantpur	...	- 1.73	- 4.35	- 6.18	- 0.50	- 1.86	- 0.79	-15.41	
		Motihari	...	- 1.84	- 6.14	- 5.70	- 9.44	- 3.31	- 2.14	-28.57	
		Bettiah	...	- 2.38	- 4.63	- 5.61	- 3.97	+ 1.80	- 1.04	-15.83	
		Bagaha	...	- 1.05	+ 0.25	- 2.33	- 2.27	+ 1.79	- 3.67	- 7.28	
		Burhurwa	...	- 1.97	- 3.38	- 4.32	- 5.86	+ 4.34	- 1.36	-12.55	
		Sitamarhi	...	+ 1.86	- 6.90	- 7.15	- 6.71	- 1.31	+ 0.42	-19.79	
		Muzaffarpur	...	- 2.19	- 5.05	- 5.35	- 6.15	- 4.21	- 1.24	-24.29	
		Hajipur	...	- 1.26	- 1.25	- 4.2	- 3.35	- 2.42	- 3.39	-15.89	
		Paru	...	- 1.56	- 5.13	- 5.63	- 5.63	- 4.36	- 0.39	-16.97	
		Mahuwa	...	- 1.30	- 4.05	- 6.05	- 5.38	- 2.11	- 2.52	-21.41	
Shinhar	...	- 0.46	- 5.95	+ 2.50	- 6.13	+ 1.43	- 2.34	-10.95			
Pupri	...	- 0.34	- 4.61	- 1.26	- 7.93	- 4.75	- 0.45	-19.34			

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Bihar—concl'd.	Patna—concl'd.	Darbhanga	Tajpur (Samasti- pur).	2.14	5.79	5.97	7.49	2.65	2.38	26.42
			Darbhanga	1.75	3.97	1.29	7.72	1.59	2.80	15.94
			Madhubani	0.42	4.74	3.68	10.78	2.90	0.80	23.32
			Bahera	2.17	5.03	8.10	11.84	5.12	1.56	39.82
			Rosera	1.89	3.82	8.65	6.87	4.11	1.46	26.80
		Monghyr	Begusarai	0.13	3.16	5.00	2.92	2.15	2.15	15.51
			Monghyr	0.54	5.38	8.71	3.94	2.00	3.86	23.93
			Jamui	0.40	5.04	3.35	5.02	1.60	1.80	15.91
			Gogri	2.54	5.29	7.80	7.41	9.74	1.65	34.43
			Jamulpur	0.93	6.50	11.74	7.26	5.71	2.34	34.48
			Shaikhpura	0.61	4.46	0.06	8.36	0.55	2.34	14.06
			Chakai Banda	0.04	6.50	3.72	1.80	4.31	2.44	18.82
			Chupreon	0.83	4.00	7.21	9.12	5.77	0.96	27.94
			Gidhour	0.16	3.84	3.49	3.29	1.26	1.64	11.16
			Kharagpur	0.17	4.12	2.46	4.44	4.87	1.86	17.92
	Bhagalpur.	Bhagalpur	Madhipura	0.67	5.82	10.30	7.90	4.95	2.09	31.73
			Bangaon (Syfa- bad).	0.51	2.61	P	P	2.23	1.01	6.36
			Supaul	0.62	5.17	7.51	8.88	5.56	1.35	27.85
			Pratapganj	1.03	7.77	6.40	7.94	3.35	1.12	32.61
			Bhagalpur	1.23	5.56	8.79	7.41	4.83	2.78	30.60
			Banka	1.43	P	3.95	4.08	2.07	2.39	9.78
			Colgong	1.49	2.25	6.75	8.01	6.65	0.77	26.92
			Bansil	0.03	1.78	5.50	3.13	4.15	0.36	6.65
		Darjeeling	Siliguri	7.34	8.48	15.37	6.46	1.43	2.63	11.25
			Darjeeling	2.41	6.67	9.99	6.69	3.30	4.44	28.68
			Kalimpong	0.45	5.91	4.04	5.32	6.34	1.98	23.14
			Mongpoo	0.16	14.85	1.17	8.75	0.40	3.01	27.22
			Kurseong	2.50	5.58	1.06	8.05	1.36	3.35	17.78
			Pedong	2.69	2.92	3.56	3.25	4.60	1.42	7.22
		Purnea	Kishanganj	0.93	10.65	11.69	10.24	11.09	2.39	46.99
			Araria	1.93	8.51	1.04	7.33	4.58	1.98	23.29
			Purnea	1.05	5.25	6.78	11.42	10.41	3.12	38.03
			Gondwara (Korah)	0.10	4.59	10.49	7.24	6.75	2.27	31.24
			Bersoe	2.38	5.30	9.90	15.06	13.15	0.09	45.86
			Forbesganj	1.05	9.27	7.24	4.96	11.48	0.45	34.45
			Kaliaganj	0.24	8.13	19.13	14.38	9.40	3.35	54.15
	Sonthal Par- ganua.	Sonthal Par- ganua.	Rajmahal	0.71	3.74	5.53	2.46	6.59	2.19	21.22
			Godda	0.38	1.21	3.60	3.99	4.32	2.42	15.92
			Pakour	3.77	2.97	3.64	5.33	0.58	4.82	19.95
			Naya Dumka	2.88	3.45	0.02	2.67	4.64	3.91	10.13
			Deoghur	0.08	1.45	0.64	7.35	0.31	2.65	11.70
			Jamtara	0.26	2.39	2.68	0.39	1.14	3.45	3.25
			Nanihat	1.39	3.73	8.35	7.91	0.64	1.94	17.30
			Assenboni	1.39	5.64	2.79	6.32	P	2.27	1.23
			Katikund	0.04	1.20	3.57	3.68	5.74	3.97	18.20
			Madhupur	0.45	4.56	2.05	4.41	0.21	1.88	9.44
			Serwan	P	2.68	1.89	5.96	2.88	3.04	12.67
			Sarath	0.04	1.30	0.21	5.02	3.94	2.09	12.18
			Poorya	P	3.27	2.31	5.22	7.10	1.62	19.52
			Bhagya	0.26	2.98	2.92	7.18	5.25	2.45	15.62
			Moheshpur	0.73	1.07	3.40	4.85	0.31	2.76	10.48
			Barharwa	0.40	2.17	2.07	1.07	7.12	2.57	15.40
			Sahibganj	0.70	3.29	1.33	4.62	13.02	0.33	22.63
Orissa.	Orissa.	Sambalpur...	Sambalpur	1.11	3.45	11.22	12.68	1.41	1.65	16.28
			Bargarh	0.45	0.68	1.28	15.35	1.78	0.63	14.35

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
ORISSA—continued.	Orissa—continued.	Uria Feudatory States.	Gangpur ...	—0·71	—3·27	+0·58	+5·63	—2·72	—1·85	—2·34
		Outtaok ...	Jagatsingpur ...	—2·39	+11·76	+2·87	+6·93	—1·11	—5·61	+12·45
			Banki ...	—1·51	+6·62	—1·69	+12·22	—1·51	—2·67	+11·46
			Outtaok ...	—1·85	+5·21	—1·00	+14·66	+0·01	—4·32	+12·71
			False Point ...	—4·08	+0·67	—0·41	+2·56	—2·08	—7·46	—10·80
			Kendrapara ...	—3·40	+4·25	—1·74	—3·68	—3·63	—5·83	—14·03
			Jaipur ...	—3·44	+1·79	—1·75	+8·77	—7·04	—3·08	—4·75
			Dharmasala ...	—3·72	+2·12	+2·09	+2·80	—4·78	—2·43	—4·42
			Salepur ...	—1·18	+7·10	+2·71	+8·81	+3·69	—3·47	+17·71
		Balasore ...	Akyapada ...	—3·21	—1·81	—3·25	+4·53	—6·07	—3·79	—13·60
			Chandbali ...	—3·00	+0·91	+4·57	—1·18	—2·92	—5·41	—8·85
			Bhadrak ...	—2·37	+0·84	—3·58	—4·22	—1·19	—4·28	—14·80
			Soro ...	+0·03	+2·93	—6·04	+5·78	—4·82	—5·78	—7·90
			Balasore ...	—1·13	—2·14	—6·81	+18·52	—9·51	—3·63	—4·70
			Jellasore ...	?	+6·69	—3·98	+11·33	—3·78	—1·81	+8·45
		Angul ...	Angul ...	—1·65	—0·15	+0·27	+4·41	—0·62	—2·12	+0·14
			Bissipara ...	+2·23	—2·03	+0·40	+3·38	—2·38	—2·32	—0·72
		Orissa Tributary Mahals.	Baramba ...	—1·21	+9·49	—2·04	+6·57	+0·29	—3·18	+9·92
			Kunjabongarh ...	—1·98	+0·91	+3·11	+8·98	+2·60	+0·28	+13·90
			Dhenkanal ...	—2·65	+6·23	+2·35	+13·21	—1·53	—2·26	+15·35
			Keonjhar ...	+0·03	+0·25	—2·28	+13·15	+2·11	—2·93	+10·33
			Anandapur ...	—1·47	+0·05	—5·62	+8·52	—3·38	—1·00	—2·96
			Baripada ...	—1·22	—6·38	—2·57	+9·32	—1·70	+0·04	—2·51
			Narsingpur ...	—0·20	+9·69	+4·36	+6·21	—3·15	—3·81	+13·10
			Nayagurh ...	—1·93	+1·22	—3·66	+5·12	—4·99	—6·57	—10·81
			Pal Lahera ...	+0·70	—1·30	—2·38	+14·65	—1·98	—3·27	+6·42
			Ranpur ...	—0·69	—2·47	—0·66	+2·29	—1·22	—5·79	—8·54
			Talcher ...	—0·01	+2·52	+3·57	+8·69	—2·33	—1·42	+11·02
		Puri ...	Puri ...	+0·08	+4·12	—2·31	+7·09	—0·55	—5·39	+2·99
			Khurda ...	—0·24	+1·60	—1·91	+6·87	+1·28	—6·31	+1·29
			Bhanpur ...	—1·19	+0·72	+0·08	+5·00	—1·11	—5·04	—1·54
			Gop ...	—4·06	+6·13	+3·32	+6·17	+6·60	—3·54	+14·62
			Satpara ...	—2·20	—0·57	—2·19	+11·87	+1·05	—4·16	+3·80
		Hazaribagh	Pachamba (Giridih.) ...	—1·55	—2·52	—4·67	+1·94	—0·29	—2·74	—9·83
			Hazaribagh ...	—1·06	+0·01	+6·06	—3·76	—4·86	—1·42	—5·03
			Barhi ...	—0·95	+2·35	+0·24	—3·74	—3·55	—2·17	—7·82
			Ohatra ...	—1·32	—0·30	—6·29	—1·65	—3·59	+0·68	—12·47
			Kharagdiha ...	—0·69	—5·6	—2·11	—7·72	—4·99	—2·77	—23·88
CHOTA NAGPUR.	Chota Nagpur.	Ramgar ...	—0·89	?	?	?	—4·01	—3·35	—8·25	
		Ranohi ...	Lohardaga ...	—0·49	—5·49	+0·11	—3·24	—5·75	—0·87	—15·73
			Ranohi ...	+0·65	+1·04	+5·49	+2·14	+0·01	—2·89	+5·84
			Silli ...	+1·32	—0·26	—1·66	+1·20	—0·75	—1·65	—1·80
			Palkot ...	—0·16	+1·34	+1·72	+12·83	+3·38	+1·39	+20·50
			Tamar ...	+0·29	—0·47	—1·84	?	—2·50	—2·30	—6·72
		Palamau ...	Chainpur ...	+0·15	—4·16	—0·64	+7·14	+4·33	—2·06	+4·76
			Palamau (Dakongaj). ...	—1·02	—5·00	—1·27	—0·93	—4·99	+0·35	—12·86
			Balumath ...	—1·02	—1·96	—3·25	—2·94	—3·42	—2·85	—15·44
			Husainabad ...	—0·88	—6·52	—9·58	—5·09	—6·5	—2·61	—32·13
		Manbhum ...	Garhwa ...	—0·70	—2·85	—3·89	—7·49	+3·60	—1·84	—13·17
			Purulia ...	+0·62	—2·11	+1·68	+3·48	+0·01	—1·96	+1·72
			Gobindpur ...	—0·10	+0·49	+4·55	+1·04	—2·89	—2·64	+0·45
			Raghunathpur ...	—1·32	+1·35	+2·75	—1·86	—5·51	—1·72	—6·31
			Barahabhum ...	+1·21	+3·35	+1·49	—2·09	—7·05	—2·00	—5·09

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
CHOTA NAGPUR —concd.—	CHOTA NAGPUR —concd.—	Manbhum— concd.	Jhalda ...	—0·75	—0·67	—1·25	—2·22	—2·55	—0·91	—
			Obas ...	—0·29	—1·17	—6·29	+3·42	—0·53	—2·08	—
			Pandra ...	—1·10	+0·33	+2·00	+0·47	—1·57	—1·80	—
		Singbhum ...	Ohabassa ...	—0·06	+2·33	—5·69	+4·89	—0·66	—1·70	+
			Obekradharpur... P	P	P	—8·57	+6·22	—2·79	—0·05	—
			Ghatsila ...	—0·07	P	—1·54	+0·30	—0·36	—2·55	—
			Baharagura ...	0	—8·69	+6·14	+9·86	—3·95	—2·38	+
			Gailkura ...	—1·68	—0·08	+8·25	+11·70	—1·16	—2·33	+1·
			Kalikapur ...	—1·81	—3·09	—3·18	2·33	—3·01	—1·47	—1·
			Monoharpur ...	+0·81	+1·94	—7·01	+11·95	+1·35	—1·76	+7

TABLE VI.

Percentage variation of the monthly Rainfall of the Subdivisional Rainfall-registering stations in Bengal from the normal average Rainfall for the months of May to October 1908.

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION.	Division.	District.	Station.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
SOUTH-WEST BENGAL.	Burdwan.	Burdwan ...	Kalna ...	- 22	+ 95	- 2	+ 22	+ 2	- 6	+ 21
			Burdwan ...	+ 42	+ 80	+ 65	- 21	- 16	- 97	+ 21
			Katwa ...	- 40	+ 63	+ 64	- 13	- 22	- 87	+ 8
			Raniganj ...	- 23	+ 12	- 19	- 17	+ 1	- 100	- 15
			Mankur ...	+ 48	+ 43	- 7	- 32	- 22	- 96	- 5
		Birbhum ...	Suri ...	- 24	+ 43	+ 27	- 21	- 64	- 76	- 8
			Hotampur ...	- 29	+ 42	+ 61	+ 6	- 47	- 100	+ 4
			Rampur Hat ...	- 37	+ 3	+ 46	- 26	- 33	- 100	- 12
			Bolpur ...	- 38	+ 69	+ 44	+ 4	- 30	- 76	+ 10
			Murari ...	- 32	0	- 57	- 36	- 25	- 100	- 34
			Lalpur ...	- 19	+ 28	+ 26	+ 11	- 65	- 100	- 9
		Bankura ...	Bankura ...	+ 4	+ 61	- 23	+ 12	- 10	- 100	0
			Vishnupur ...	- 7	+ 57	+ 28	- 15	- 1	- 69	+ 9
			Maliara ...	+ 64	+ 16	+ 7	+ 19	- 7	- 99	+ 7
			Khatra ...	- 46	+ 5	+ 11	+ 4	+ 17	- 99	+ 1
			Indas ...	- 21	+ 14	+ 12	+ 1	- 28	- 56	- 5
			Kotalpur ...	+ 91	+ 55	+ 14	- 7	+ 46	- 88	+ 29
			Onda ...	- 27	+ 33	- 3	- 28	- 47	- 54	- 14
			Gangajalghati ...	+ 5	- 9	+ 11	+ 24	- 71	- 55	- 8
			Raipur ...	+ 12	+ 10	+ 33	- 10	+ 1	- 56	+ 4
			Sonamukhi ...	+ 65	+ 41	+ 28	+ 20	+ 11	- 84	+ 23
		Midnapore ...	Contai ...	- 1	- 4	- 37	+ 35	- 11	- 59	- 11
			Tamluk ...	+ 17	+ 53	+ 29	- 8	- 41	- 83	+ 2
			Midnapore ...	+ 84	- 11	+ 53	+ 5	- 32	- 86	+ 7
			Ghatal ...	+ 10	+ 72	+ 40	+ 18	- 69	+ 19	+ 17
			Kukrahaty ...	- 29	+ 31	+ 58	+ 36	- 17	- 89	+ 13
			Amlagura ...	- 9	+ 48	+ 59	+ 5	0	- 92	...
			Panskura ...	+ 1	+ 30	+ 15	- 6	- 67	- 93	- 11
			Dantan ...	- 31	+ 25	- 42	+ 43	- 13	- 91	- 9
		Hooghly ...	Serampore ...	- 56	+ 138	+ 70	- 5	+ 11	- 88	+ 28
			Hooghly ...	- 20	+ 30	+ 41	- 48	+ 7	- 98	- 5
			Arambagh (Jahanabad).	- 24	+ 55	+ 55	- 23	- 55	- 99	+ 2
		Howrah ...	Howrah ...	- 11	+ 109	+ 66	- 13	- 24	- 68	+ 20
			Mohesreka ...	- 15	+ 153	+ 84	- 27	- 42	- 84	+ 27
			Ulubaria ...	- 9	+ 76	+ 136	- 4	- 40	- 100	+ 29
	24-Parganas	Saugor Island ...	Saugor Island ...	- 62	+ 29	- 37	- 1	- 57	- 96	- 32
			Diamond Harbour ...	- 30	+ 74	+ 28	+ 8	- 8	- 62	+ 12
			Canning Town ...	- 65	+ 15	- 1	- 24	+ 14	- 84	- 14
			Alipore (Observatory).	- 17	+ 137	+ 100	+ 14	- 24	- 50	+ 42
		Barrackpore ...	Barrackpore ...	- 21	+ 101	+ 82	- 13	+ 34	- 96	+ 32
			Dum-Dum ...	- 53	+ 91	+ 44	- 21	- 20	- 70	+ 9
			Barasat ...	- 43	+ 101	+ 54	- 21	+ 4	- 87	+ 16
			Basirhat ...	- 69	+ 76	+ 14	- 37	- 15	- 72	- 5
		Nadia ...	Ranaghat ...	- 11	+ 79	- 35	+ 1	+ 54	- 85	+ 9
			Krishnagar ...	- 60	+ 96	+ 14	+ 11	- 56	- 47	+ 4
			Chuadanga ...	- 54	+ 170	+ 1	- 32	- 45	- 94	+ 1
			Meherpur ...	- 42	+ 141	+ 90	- 50	- 37	- 75	+ 19
			Kusatia ...	- 72	+ 32	+ 21	- 67	- 57	- 95	- 31

Metro- logical Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
SOUTH-WEST BENGAL—contd.	Presidency—contd.	Murshidabad	Kandi ...	— 35	+ 52	+ 14	— 41	— 2	— 82	— 5
			Berhampore ...	— 81	+ 81	+ 37	— 53	+ 14	— 81	— 1
			Lalbagh ...	— 73	+ 53	+ 26	— 18	+ 32	— 90	— 0
			Azimganj ...	— 78	+ 31	+ 17	— 22	— 36	— 84	— 17
			Jangipur ...	— 59	+ 6	— 41	— 15	— 59	— 100	— 35
			Lalgola ...	— 24	+ 16	— 44	— 47	— 60	— 100	— 39
			Aklriganj ...	— 39	+ 22	— 39	— 54	— 74	— 75	— 36
			Patkabari ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Dumkal ...	— 63	+ 53	+ 52	— 39	+ 19	— 44	+ 8
		Jessore	Narail ...	— 32	+ 56	+ 103	— 51	— 46	— 74	+ 5
			Jessore ...	— 22	+ 21	+ 40	— 41	— 69	— 60	— 14
			Jhenidah ...	— 12	+ 79	+ 22	— 49	— 76	— 50	— 6
			Magura ...	— 47	+ 27	+ 14	— 54	— 47	— 33	— 18
			Bangaon ...	+ 13	+ 51	+ 20	— 9	+ 28	— 71	+ 12
		Khulna	Satkhira ...	+ 40	+ 37	+ 1	+ 7	+ 8	— 84	+ 8
			Bagerhat ...	— 27	— 21	+ 52	— 53	— 57	— 73	— 21
			Khulna ...	— 45	+ 10	+ 23	— 54	— 61	— 19	— 21
			Nakipur ...	...	+ 7	+ 58	— 7	?	— 67	+ 4
			Rampal ...	— 49	+ 13	+ 22	— 23	— 41	— 72	— 22
		Patna	Patna ...	— 69	— 45	— 44	— 24	— 49	— 100	— 45
			Dinapore ...	— 55	— 43	— 65	— 32	— 33	— 99	— 49
			Biher ...	— 34	— 62	— 61	— 40	— 43	— 91	— 53
			Barh ...	— 63	— 53	— 64	— 49	— 35	— 100	— 55
			Bikram ...	— 99	— 61	— 64	— 50	— 14	— 83	— 55
			Hilsa ...	— 39	— 80	— 54	— 58	— 12	— 100	— 55
		Gaya	Aurangabad ...	— 45	— 58	— 37	— 56	— 5	— 78	— 44
			Gaya ...	— 56	— 52	— 56	— 38	— 57	— 63	— 52
			Nawada ...	— 23	— 32	— 18	— 38	— 30	+ 21	— 26
			Jahanabad ...	— 51	— 67	— 74	— 57	+ 29	— 85	— 52
			Arwal ...	— 100	— 40	— 69	+ 25	— 43	— 83	— 40
			Daudnagar ...	+ 131	— 7	— 67	— 18	— 80	— 95	— 41
			Sherghati ...	— 100	— 36	+ 34	— 49	— 17	— 51	— 20
			Itajauli ...	— 100	— 22	+ 29	— 76	— 71	— 91	— 36
			Pakri Barawan...	— 86	— 56	— 6	— 41	— 23	— 48	— 31
BIHAR.	Patna.	Sahabad	Buxar ...	— 97	— 27	— 2	+ 5	— 49	— 44	— 16
			Dehri ...	— 63	— 99	— 36	— 32	— 69	— 98	— 54
			Bhabhua ...	— 100	— 89	— 49	+ 5	— 33	— 66	— 38
			Sasaram ...	— 11	— 60	— 53	— 26	— 31	— 98	— 44
			Arrah ...	— 98	— 42	— 55	+ 20	— 50	— 66	— 36
			Mohanea ...	— 66	— 95	— 72	— 44	— 53	— 26	— 61
			Ageaon ...	— 74	— 81	— 77	+ 6	— 75	— 100	— 61
			Ramagar ...	— 69	— 38	— 37	— 24	— 87	— 95	— 47
			Koath ...	+ 254	— 49	— 19	— 39	— 44	— 49	— 39
			Sikroul ...	— 100	— 62	+ 7	— 37	— 39	— 23	— 31
			Bassowan ...	— 37	— 59	— 66	— 20	— 36	— 6	— 35
			Monaharpur ...	+ 16	— 68	— 40	— 9	— 23	— 30	— 29
		Saran	Gopalganj ...	— 98	— 53	— 23	— 35	+ 47	— 100	— 29
			Siwan ...	— 100	— 68	— 58	+ 3	+ 13	— 40	— 30
			Ekma ...	— 47	— 94	— 55	— 51	+ 42	— 67	— 44
			Chapra ...	— 99	— 70	— 60	— 52	— 16	— 94	— 55
			Amnour ...	— 100	— 71	— 48	— 62	— 55	— 24	— 60
			Basantpur ...	— 100	— 51	— 50	— 5	— 23	— 41	— 36
		Champaran	Motihari ...	— 69	— 69	— 46	— 77	— 35	— 64	— 58
			Bettiah ...	— 87	— 53	— 40	— 32	+ 17	— 32	— 31
			Bagaha ...	— 35	+ 2	— 14	— 16	+ 16	— 96	— 12
			Burnhurwa ...	— 96	— 41	— 36	— 46	+ 51	— 51	— 27

Metropolis Logic Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	TOTAL.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
BIHAR—concl.	Patna—concl.	Muzaffarpur	Sitamarhi ...	+ 70	— 78	— 57	— 70	— 14	+ 15	— 43
			Muzaffarpur ...	— 91	— 70	— 45	— 59	— 52	— 42	— 56
			Hajipur ...	— 72	— 17	— 53	— 31	— 31	— 100	— 37
			Paru ...	— 75	— 80	— 44	— 44	— 50	— 19	— 66
			Mahuwa ...	— 60	— 56	— 46	— 45	— 28	— 100	— 48
			Shiuhar ...	— 22	— 83	+ 24	— 60	+ 17	— 75	— 27
			Pupri ...	— 12	— 61	— 11	— 70	— 63	— 30	— 46
		Darbhanga	Tajpur (Samasti- pur) ...	— 95	— 78	— 46	— 68	— 32	— 96	— 60
			Darbhanga ...	— 67	— 52	— 11	— 63	+ 17	— 86	— 33
			Madhubani ...	— 14	— 57	— 70	— 91	— 30	— 33	— 50
			Bahera ...	— 81	— 66	— 62	— 84	— 42	— 100	— 66
			Roserha ...	+ 80	— 61	— 68	— 51	— 38	— 92	— 57
		Monghyr	Begusarai ...	— 6	— 46	— 41	— 27	— 28	— 81	— 37
			Monghyr ...	— 25	— 77	— 70	— 36	— 23	— 97	— 53
			Jamui ...	+ 21	— 69	— 24	— 43	— 21	— 60	— 36
			Gogri ...	— 69	— 71	— 53	— 58	— 86	— 100	— 67
			Jamalpur ...	— 45	— 72	— 75	— 56	— 51	— 99	— 64
			Shaikhpara ...	+ 35	— 60	— 1	— 74	+ 8	— 100	— 34
			Chakai Bamda ...	— 2	— 61	— 23	— 19	— 43	— 79	— 37
			Chupreon ...	— 40	— 68	— 62	— 77	— 47	— 46	— 60
			Gidhour ...	— 9	— 54	— 29	— 32	+ 13	— 62	— 25
			Kharagpur ...	— 11	— 54	— 20	— 38	— 44	— 76	— 38
	Bhagalpur		Madhipura ...	— 18	— 71	— 80	— 66	— 45	— 62	— 62
			Bangaon (Syfa- bad) ...	— 20	— 47			— 22	— 58	— 86
			Supaul ...	+ 18	— 59	— 60	— 72	— 54	— 56	— 55
			Pratapganj ...	— 22	— 72	— 76	— 67	— 70	— 57	— 58
			Bhagalpur ...	— 44	— 67	— 69	— 66	— 57	— 79	— 65
			Banka ...	— 54		— 33	— 37	+ 23	— 73	— 28
			Colgong ...	— 40	— 26	— 47	— 75	— 64	— 38	— 53
	Phagapur.	Darjeeling	Bansil ...	— 2	— 22	— 47	— 61	+ 39	— 16	— 14
			Siliguri ...	+ 72	— 36	— 47	+ 27	+ 7	— 55	— 10
			Darjeeling ...	+ 31	— 28	— 31	— 26	— 18	— 83	— 25
			Kalimpong ...	+ 8	— 35	— 16	— 29	— 47	— 67	— 28
			Mongpoo ...	+ 2	— 55	— 4	— 35	+ 2	— 75	— 23
			Kurseong ...	+ 20	— 27	+ 2	— 24	— 5	— 68	— 12
			Pedong ...	+ 29	+ 18	— 14	— 15	— 31	— 42	— 8
		Purnea	Kishanganj ...	— 15	— 69	— 61	— 65	— 70	— 75	— 62
			Araria ...	— 32	— 63	+ 6	— 52	— 32	— 64	— 33
			Purnea ...	— 24	— 50	— 45	— 82	— 73	— 91	— 62
			Gondwara (Korah) ...	+ 2	— 49	— 72	— 64	— 52	— 95	— 56
			Barsoe ...	— 53	— 45	— 58	— 88	— 88	— 4	— 68
			Forbesganj ...	— 19	— 80	— 40	— 36	— 66	— 19	— 50
			Kaliaganj ...	+ 4	— 48	— 75	— 77	— 52	0	— 60
	Sonthal Par- ganah.		Rajmahal ...	— 17	— 38	— 45	— 25	— 59	— 69	— 42
			Godda ...	— 12	— 15	— 31	— 38	— 44	— 87	— 34
			Pakour ...	— 82	— 28	— 27	— 46	+ 5	— 100	— 34
			Naya Dumka ...	— 66	+ 35	— 90	— 20	— 47	— 100	— 19
			Deoghur ...	+ 3	— 17	— 5	— 61	+ 3	— 69	— 22
			Jamtara ...	— 8	+ 25	— 19	— 3	+ 15	— 97	— 7
			Nanihat ...	— 69	+ 53	+ 68	+ 83	+ 9	— 100	+ 43
			Assenboni ...	+ 72	+ 62	+ 21	— 43		— 64	— 18
			Katikund ...	— 2	— 10	— 22	— 28	— 44	— 100	— 30
			Madhupur ...	— 19	— 44	+ 16	— 35	— 2	— 68	— 19
			Sarwan ...		— 23	+ 15	— 58	— 32	— 84	— 15
			Sarath ...	— 2	— 14	+ 2	— 42	— 41	— 66	— 25
			Barkope ...		— 33	— 24	— 46	— 48	— 79	— 42
			Bhagya ...	+ 11	— 32	— 31	— 74	— 42	+ 126	— 25
			Moheaspore ...	— 28	+ 10	— 28	— 36	— 3	— 89	— 20
			Barharwa ...	— 13	— 22	— 16	— 10	— 48	— 78	— 82
			Sahibganj ...	— 23	— 29	— 11	— 40	— 77	+ 16	— 40

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
ORISSA.	Orissa.	Sambalpur...	Sambalpur ...	- 79	- 29	+ 56	+ 74	- 16	- 77	+ 28
			Bargarh ...	- 43	- 8	+ 8	+ 101	- 23	+ 36	+ 31
		Uria Feudatory State.	Gangpur ...	- 53	- 33	+ 3	+ 34	- 32	- 67	- 3
			Jagatsingpur ...	- 63	+ 152	+ 24	+ 56	- 11	- 82	+ 24
		Cuttack ...	Bauki ...	- 54	+ 69	- 17	+ 106	- 15	- 52	+ 23
			Cuttack ...	- 52	+ 48	- 8	+ 118	...	- 75	+ 23
			False Point ...	- 91	+ 7	- 3	+ 18	- 19	- 78	- 17
			Kendrapara ...	- 74	+ 45	- 15	- 29	- 35	- 98	- 25
			Jajpur ...	- 65	+ 18	- 14	+ 71	- 69	- 56	- 8
			Dharmala ...	- 72	+ 21	+ 18	+ 18	- 4	- 49	- 8
			Salepore ...	- 26	+ 67	+ 27	+ 64	+ 39	- 64	+ 33
		Balasore ...	Akyapada ...	- 66	- 19	- 30	+ 35	- 61	- 80	- 26
			Chandbali ...	- 58	- 21	+ 37	- 10	- 25	- 86	- 16
			Phadrak ...	- 43	+ 9	- 29	- 36	- 10	- 2	- 27
			Soro ...	+ 1	+ 36	- 51	+ 54	- 44	- 99	- 15
			Balasore ...	...	- 21	- 58	+ 151	- 71	- 55	- 8
			Jellasore ...	- 10	+ 77	- 30	+ 99	- 34	- 40	- 15
		Angul ...	Angul ...	- 60	- 2	+ 2	+ 44	- 7	- 49	0
			Kissipara ...	+ 107	- 21	+ 3	+ 31	- 23	- 49	- 1
		Orissa Tributary Mahals.	Baramba ...	- 40	+ 99	- 19	+ 55	...	- 58	+ 20
			Kunjabongah ...	- 63	+ 10	+ 28	+ 93	+ 27	+ 5	+ 29
			Dhenkanal ...	- 86	+ 59	+ 18	+ 110	- 14	- 48	+ 29
			Konjhar ...	+ 1	+ 4	- 22	+ 171	+ 32	- 100	+ 30
			Anandpur ...	- 35	- 90	- 46	+ 79	- 35	- 22	- 6
			Baripada ...	- 25	- 59	- 20	+ 77	...	- 89	- 4
			Narsingpur ...	- 10	+ 95	+ 45	+ 64	- 43	- 88	+ 31
			Nayagarh ...	- 73	+ 13	- 25	+ 41	- 18	- 97	- 20
			Pal Lahera ...	+ 24	- 11	- 14	+ 95	- 20	- 93	+ 9
			Rangpur ...	- 30	- 25	- 6	+ 17	- 13	- 82	- 26
			Talohar ...	?	+ 26	+ 27	+ 77	- 29	- 45	+ 23
		Puri ...	Puri ...	+ 1	+ 54	- 24	+ 61	- 4	- 65	+ 4
			Khuri ...	- 7	+ 17	- 15	+ 53	+ 12	- 92	+ 2
			Bhanpur ...	- 59	+ 9	- 1	+ 42	- 12	- 70	- 2
			Gop ...	- 100	+ 86	- 30	+ 49	+ 67	- 47	+ 28
			Satpara ...	- 76	- 7	- 35	+ 135	+ 12	- 57	+ 9
CHOTA NAGPUR.	Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh	Pachamba (Giridih) ...	- 64	- 29	- 36	+ 16	- 3	- 90	- 21
			Hazaribagh ...	- 20	0	+ 44	- 30	- 59	- 69	- 17
			Burhi ...	- 62	+ 33	+ 2	- 31	- 45	...	...
			Chatra ...	- 79	- 4	- 39	- 14	- 48	+ 27	- 26
			Karagdiha ...	- 30	- 63	- 14	- 58	- 52	- 100	- 46
			Ramgarh ...	- 54	?	?	?	- 47	- 85	- 17
		Ranchi ...	Lohardaga ...	+ 14	- 65	+ 1	- 24	- 63	- 36	- 32
			Ranchi ...	- 36	+ 13	+ 42	+ 18	...	- 97	+ 1
			Silli ...	+ 94	- 3	- 13	+ 9	- 10	- 94	- 1
			Palkot ...	- 11	+ 12	+ 9	+ 74	+ 38	+ 49	+ 34
			Tamar ...	?	- 3	- 14	?	- 28	- 86	- 38
			Chainpur ...	+ 12	- 52	- 4	+ 64	+ 68	- 67	+ 10
		Palamau ...	Palamau (Daltongunj) ...	- 98	- 81	- 11	- 8	- 66	- 15	- 3
			Balumath ...	- 100	- 23	- 23	- 20	- 40	?	- 21
			Husanabad ...	- 100	- 100	- 58	- 48	- 87	- 100	- 61
			Garihwa ...	- 86	- 47	- 31	- 51	+ 52	- 63	- 3

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
CHOTA NAGPUR—concl'd.	Chota Nagpur—concl'd.	Manbhum ...	Purulia ...	+ 21	— 21	+ 14	+ 28	0	— 60	+ 4
			Gobindpur ...	— 4	+ 5	+ 32	+ 8	— 32	— 76	0
			Raghunathpur ...	— 52	+ 18	+ 21	— 15	— 69	— 100	— 15
			Barahabhum ...	+ 46	+ 31	+ 12	— 18	— 75	— 84	— 11
			Jhālda ...	— 30	— 7	— 10	— 15	— 32	— 34	— 16
			Chas ...	— 11	— 15	— 52	+ 27	— 6	— 86	— 15
			Pandra ...	— 34	+ 3	+ 16	+ 4	— 18	— 48	— 4
		Singhbhum	Chaibassa ...	— 2	+ 28	— 43	+ 37	— 8	— 73	— 1
			Chakradharpur ...	?	?	— 62	+ 51	— 34	— 72	— 11
			Ghatsila ...	0	?	— 12	+ 2	— 4	— 79	— 3
			Baharagura ...	0	— 33	+ 52	+ 87	— 42	— 79	+ 2
			Gailkura ...	— 56	+ 2	+ 48	+ 69	— 14	— 94	+ 27
			Kalikapur ...	— 45	— 20	— 22	+ 17	— 32	— 38	— 17
			Monaharpur ...	+ 62	+ 17	— 32	+ 60	+ 26	— 96	+ 12

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE,
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WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 18th January 1909

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	9	9	Harvesting of winter paddy over. Potatoes being gathered. Threshing of paddy going on. Sugarcane not doing well in places. No scarcity apprehended. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	9	9	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of winter rice finished. Rain wanted for sugarcane and <i>rabi</i> crops. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 8½ seers per rupee at Rampur Hat.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE .	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice over. Sowing of sugarcane not yet commenced. Prospects of sugarcane good except in the Contai and Sadar subdivisions and of rapeseed and mustard fair except in the Sadar subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Midnapur, Salboni, Nayagram, Jhargaon, Binpur, Khargpore, Kestari and Ghatal. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 12 seers per rupee at Contai, 8 seers at Tamluk and 11 seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of sugarcane, potatoes and <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Harvesting of winter paddy nearly finished. Prices of food-grains falling. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing fairly well. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water supply sufficient.
7	24 PARGANAS	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Rain wanted. Common rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 9½ seers at Basirhat, 9½ seers at Diamond Harbour and at 8 seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	9	9	Rainfall at the subdivisions nil. Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of <i>arhar</i> and pressing of sugarcane commenced. Price of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food grains barely sufficient. Cattle-pox reported from thana Karimpur. Fodder and water sufficient.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	9	8½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>aman</i> paddy finished in the Jangipur subdivision, but still continuing in the Lalbagh and Kandi subdivisions. Outturn fair in the Kandi and Lalbagh subdivisions. Prospects of sugarcane and <i>rabi</i> crops not very favourable for want of rain. Lands being prepared for <i>boro</i> paddy in the Jangipur subdivision. Condition of agricultural stock fair in the Lalbagh and Kandi subdivisions. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JESORE	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>aman</i> paddy finished. Rapeseed and <i>kalai</i> being harvested. Condition of standing crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good.
11	KHULNA	Nil	9½	9	Weather hot and cold. Prices of staple food-crops almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Harvesting of winter rice continuing. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops not very favourable. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA	...	{ 8½ 14½*	{ 8½ 14½*	Weather cool and cloudy; practically no rain during the week. Some light showers received. Harvesting of paddy still continuing. Pressing of sugarcane in progress. <i>Rabi</i> crops in need of rain, and crops on unirrigated areas suffering for want of moisture. Food-stock resources supplemented by imports. Fodder and water sufficient. Sporadic cases of cattle-disease reported from Islampur.
13	GAYA	Nil	{ 9½ 13½*	{ 9½ 13½*	Weather seasonable; occasionally cloudy. Harvesting of paddy and pressing of sugarcane continuing. <i>Rabi</i> crops on irrigated areas promising well. Planting of sugarcane going on. Prices almost stationary. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from four villages in the Sadar subdivision.
14	SHAHABAD	0.02	{ 9 13*	{ 9 13*	Rainfall at Buxar 0.02 inch. Sugarcane-pressing and threshing of paddy continuing. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing fairly well, but rain urgently wanted in the non-irrigated areas. Poppy doing well. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN	0.04	{ 10 14½*	{ 10 14½*	Weather cloudy. Rainfall at Gopalganj 0.05 inch. Rain wanted. Pressing of sugarcane going on. Fields being prepared for sugarcane-planting. Poppy being weeded. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	0·16	{ 9½ 15° }	{ 9½ 14½° }	Weather cloudy and colder than usual. Threshing of winter rice approaching completion. More rain urgently wanted for <i>rabi</i> crops. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water yet sufficient.
17	MURSHIDABAD ...	0·07	{ 8½ 14° }	{ 9½ 14½° }	Weather cold and occasionally cloudy. <i>Rabi</i> crops suffering for want of moisture. Common rice and <i>mukhi</i> selling at 8½ and 13½ seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi and at 9 and 13½ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur. Cattle-disease reported in thana Pupri. Fodder generally sufficient for the present. Water-supply running short in many parts of the district.
18	DARBHANGA ...	0·07	{ 8½ 13½° }	{ 8 13½° }	A slight shower of rain on the 17th instant. More rain badly required for <i>rabi</i> crops. Food-stocks available owing to imports. Cattle-disease reported in one village in the Sadar thana. Number of persons on test-works on the 16th instant—Men 10,813, women 11,140 and children 710—total 22,663. Number gratuitously relieved—men 192, women 458 and children 591—total 1,241.
19	MONSIEUR ...	Nil	{ 8 13° }	{ 8 13° }	Weather seasonable. Sky cloudy. <i>Rabi</i> crops growing well in the <i>diara</i> lands, but suffering in other places for want of rain. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder sufficient. Scarcity of water apprehended in the Jamui subdivision.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	{ 7½ 13½° }	{ 7½ 13½° }	Weather cloudy with high westerly winds. Harvesting of paddy finished. Threshing still continuing. Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops bad. Pressing of sugarcane going on in some places. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. No immediate apprehension of famine, but the situation continuing critical. Prices of food-grains showing a tendency to fall, though at present stationary. Condition of agricultural stock good. Rain urgently wanted for standing <i>rabi</i> crops—78 men, 64 women and 171 children—relieved gratuitously in the Supaul subdivision, and 181 men, 343 women and 388 children in the Madhipura subdivision.
21	PURNA ...	0·01	{ 7 12° }	{ 7 12° }	Weather unsettled, cold and cloudy with occasional strong west winds. Harvesting of mustard and <i>kulthi</i> going on. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops generally bad. Condition of poor agriculturists and labourers affected by scarcity in several thanas. Steps being taken to relieve distress. Stocks of food-grains sufficient owing to heavy imports. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder sufficient, but scarcity of water existing in several thanas. Sporadic cases of cattle-disease reported from Kadwa and Forbesganj thanas. Common rice selling at 7 and 7½ seers a rupee at Kishanganj and Araria, respectively.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burma rice.

No.	Name of District.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
22	DARJEELING ...	Inches. 0.13	{ 7 13*	{ 8 13*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Wheat and barley growing. Oilseeds being harvested. Terai—Threshing of winter rice still going on. Pressing of sugarcane in progress. Prospects fair. Prices stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient.
23	SONTHAL PAR- GANAS.	Nil	{ 9½ 11*	{ 9½ 10½*	Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops not* favourable. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water not sufficient in the Godda, Pakour and Rajmahal subdivisions.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10½	10½	<i>Saradh</i> paddy, <i>birhi</i> and <i>kulthi</i> being harvested. Tobacco growing. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Threshing of <i>saradh</i> paddy, pressing of sugarcane, harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops and sowing and transplanting of <i>dahua</i> continuing. Vegetables progressing well. Prospects fair. Scarcity existing in some places of Dhamnagar and Chandbali thanas. No cattle-disease. Common rice selling at 13 seers per rupee at Bhadrak. 43 men, 279 women and 440 children—total 762—receiving gratuitous relief in Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	14	14	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops and pressing of sugarcane in progress. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 12 seers a rupee at the Khondmals. Fodder and water sufficient.
27	PURI ...	Nil	9½	9½	<i>Dahua</i> crops coming up well. Cattle-disease reported from Kothdesh. Common rice selling at 10½ seers per rupee at Khurda. 38 men, 113 women and 232 children—total 383—attending kitchens.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
28	SAMBALPUR ...	Nil	12	12	Threshing of winter rice and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Fields being ploughed for the next harvest. Condition of sugarcane and of vegetables good. Stocks of food-grains, and the fodder and water supply sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Cattle-disease reported. Common rice selling at 13½ seers a rupee at Bargarh.
29	HAZARIBAGH...	Nil	{ 8½ 12½ }	{ 8½ 12½ }	Weather seasonable. Rain wanted for standing crops. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease.
30	RANCHI ...	Nil	9	8½	Weather seasonable. Ploughing of lands in progress. Rabi crops doing well except in thanas Chainpur and Sisai where rain is wanted. Cattle-disease reported from eight thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Paddy-threshing almost finished. Fields being prepared for sugarcane. Rain wanted for unirrigated rabi crops. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water available. Some cattle-disease.
32	MANBHUM ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Outturn of <i>bajra</i> estimated at 70 per cent. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Nirsha. Condition of agricultural stock good. Prices of staple food-grains gradually going down. Common rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather cold. Cutting and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Cattle-disease reported from outpost Kalikapur. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 10 and 12 seers per rupee at Kharasawan and Seraikella respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy almost finished. Prospects of standing crops fair. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.	Inches. .....	.....	.....	Weather generally cold in almost all the States. Sugarcane being pressed in Pal Lahora, Khandpara, Daspalla, Keonjhar, Bonai, Boad, Dhenkanal, Patna, Nilgiri and Nayagarh. Harvesting of pulses and oilseeds in progress in Hindol, Mayurbhanj, Dhenkanal and Nilgiri. State of standing crops good in Daspalla, Boad and Talcher. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops not hopeful in Khandpara, Narsingpur, Athmallik and Nilgiri for want of rain. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 9 seers in Keonjhar and 12 seers in Nilgiri and Narsingpur to 17 seers in Talcher and 18 seers in Patna.

* The report is for the week ending the 9th January 1909.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—Some light showers fell in North Bihar and in Shahabad and Darjeeling. More rain is urgently wanted for the standing *rabi* crops. Pulses and early oilseeds are being harvested in Nadia, Jessore, Purnea and Cuttack. Sugarcane-pressing is going on in Bihar, Orissa and Chota Nagpur. The harvesting of the winter rice crop has nearly been completed, and its threshing continues. Lands are being prepared for planting of sugarcane in Gaya, Saran, Sambalpur and Palamau, and *Dahua* paddy is being transplanted in Orissa. The prospects of *rabi* crops are not favourable in North Bihar and in parts of Murshidabad, Khulna and the Sonthal Parganas owing to drought. The poorer classes in Purnea and Bhagalpur are in distress. Gratuitous relief has been started in Bhagalpur, and arrangements are being made to start relief in Purnea. The price of common rice has risen in Patna, Gaya, Muzaffarpur, Darjeeling, Puri and Hazaribagh, and has fallen in Murshidabad, Khulna and Ranchi. Cattle-disease is reported from Midnapore, Nadia, Patna, Gaya, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Purnea, Puri, Sambalpur, Ranchi, Palamau, Manbhum, and Singhbhum. The fodder-supply is sufficient, except in parts of the Sonthal Parganas. Scarcity of water is apprehended in parts of Muzaffarpur, Monghyr, Purnea and the Sonthal Parganas. The number of persons on test-works in Darbhanga was 22,663. Gratuitous relief was given to 1,145 persons in Balasore and Puri and to 2,366 persons in Darbhanga and Bhagalpur.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 19th January 1909.

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Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block

Whence imported	FOOD-GRAINS								FIBROUS PRODUCTS		OILSEEDS	
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat Bour	Gram and pulse	Other food- grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bags†	Linseed	Rape and Mustard
	Rice	Paddy*	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL												
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	39,906	91,424	88,921	.....	658	11,081	2	100,012	18,759	139,968	3,079	1,364
Birbhum	38,727	6,104	42,579	12	46	2,149	.....	41,910	46	7,210	3,085	194
Bankura	1,901	9,298	7,011	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,011	1,156	12,110	.....	.....
Midnapore	416,924	3,373	419,032	106	220	2,907	16	422,281	8,750	189,451	5,674	69
Hoochly	414,850	18,841	429,326	35	466	13,341	1,448	441,606	237,080	25,857,811	3,014	2,361
24 Parganas	1,008,844	80,060	1,058,874	.....	116	1,302	2,284	1,062,036	1,324,837	58,240,969	673	457
Nadia	6,584	1,095	7,268	14,181	513	295,582	105,537	428,391	521,392	125,204	56,084	578
Murshidabad	41,698	21,201	54,012	6,547	41	83,149	6,220	150,878	168,184	47,070	10,648	2,600
Jessore	31,320	8,728	33,659	169	.....	19,836	720	53,954	176,192	19,340	2,227	1,104
Khulna	59,840	35,162	81,322	.....	.....	2,820	40	84,182	366,224	22,330	1,180	330
Total Bengal	2,049,069	278,358	2,219,905	21,080	2,060	432,467	115,776	2,791,288	2,702,616	54,670,443	87,104	9,047
BIHAR												
Patna	1,711	10	1,717	666	.....	204,088	72,777	245,098	486	7,747	948,807	55,436
Gaya	60	.....	60	79	.....	24,703	430	27,368	.....	18,893	135,603	4,439
Shahabad	637	.....	637	342	366	129,584	3,708	134,736	.....	5,180	167,017	2,031
Saran	3	.....	3	115	.....	19,602	1,482	21,102	1,210	10,080	80,186	16,180
Champaran	30	.....	30	.....	.....	14,953	9,251	24,243	205	6,320	234,732	68,103
Muzaffarpur	286	.....	286	2,431	.....	26,007	4,003	34,316	208	8,505	345,234	39,072
Darbhanga	858	.....	858	2,614	65	47,860	2,674	53,701	3,830	5,400	332,101	37,608
Monghyt	37	.....	37	11,160	643	344,800	14,030	370,673	3,250	48,510	223,913	117,340
Shaharpur	183	.....	183	40,471	150	71,841	51,420	164,070	73,029	8,908	193,898	137,314
Furness	22	1,254	806	6,982	.....	9,083	3,728	19,409	768,654	40,100	0,304	67,643
South Parganas	760	.....	760	50,095	.....	21,679	12,422	93,665	41,214	14,070	43,123	43,321
Derjoolin	12	10	18	.....	.....	.....	90	117	57,032	234,315	123	.....
Cooch Behar	.....	.....	.....	99	392	.....	.....	491	109,414	2,045	1,529	9,716
Total Bihar	4,616	1,274	5,412	114,454	1,647	928,705	170,781	1,227,059	1,148,083	409,312	2,120,955	587,949
ORISSA												
Cuttack	41,774	592	42,144	.....	.....	6,501	1,341	49,886	4,513	75,085	198	.....
Raivara	4,821	8	4,826	.....	.....	633	.....	5,509	110,135	347,417	517	.....
Puri	2,619	.....	2,619	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,619	.....	5,075	.....	.....
Sambalpur	20,343	.....	20,343	.....	.....	34	.....	20,377	17	840	1	.....
Mouricham State	3	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	87	365	.....	.....
Total Orissa	69,560	608	69,935	.....	.....	7,218	1,341	78,394	120,702	429,703	516	.....
CHOTA NAGPUR												
Hasaribagh	2	.....	2	.....	73	261	235	571	.....	10,885	773	.....
Manchi	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	3,435	.....	.....
Palamau	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,170	1,720	93
Manbhum	1,572	.....	1,572	.....	36	.....	.....	1,608	.....	17,480	134	.....
Sinbhum	6,102	.....	6,102	.....	67	364	14	6,567	.....	16,450	723	.....
Ganpur (Tributary State)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	.....	.....	.....
Total Chota Nagpur	7,078	.....	7,076	.....	176	645	249	8,748	80	53,370	3,348	83
Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal	2,130,923	276,213	2,302,980	135,534	3,683	1,368,005	204,047	4,106,489	3,972,381	85,864,727	2,311,983	597,089
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES												
H. B. and Assam	733,358	83,652	785,641	35,643	2,369	93,333	18,248	934,128	9,907,568	1,091,145	107,848	465,010
Burma	6,368,709	3,281,683	8,404,848	.....	.....	62,527	71,705	8,639,086	.....	24,178	.....	.....
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	872	.....	872	1,136,399	19,133	282,543	38,085	1,475,970	1,732	40,175	488,530	734,271
Punjab	795	5	798	914,469	22,761	169,721	11,125	1,108,874	.....	15,890	.....	4,505
Bind and British Baluchistan	17	.....	17	81,844	.....	1,132	.....	83,993	.....	70	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	19,625	419	10,882	58,481	38	73,436	303	152,095	18	8,190	4,779	143
Bombay	111	5	114	3,564	20	27	295	4,020	.....	595	.....	612
Madras	46,786	1,560	46,705	.....	.....	92,601	56,541	196,047	.....	15,923	.....	1,034
Cochin	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kanputana and Central India	.....	.....	.....	1,611	14	2,435	3	663	.....	3,640	1,986	8,737
Nizam's Territory	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	171	1,406	1,577	.....	35	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	4	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL { 1906	9,285,358	3,642,528	11,561,512	2,316,435	48,176	2,136,220	491,757	16,564,840	13,941,609	86,703,617	2,314,936	1,831,407
1907	6,973,790	3,361,384	9,074,009	2,108,901	85,308	2,018,446	588,500	15,455,767	13,794,386	100,157,083	4,568,737	2,332,245
1906	9,013,824	2,201,248	10,429,100	2,062,769	102,677	2,097,008	296,626	16,088,439	11,746,086	91,483,594	2,662,943	1,793,006

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the seven months of April to October 1908

Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	SUGAR		TOBACCO		Whence imported
					Refined	Unrefined	Unmanu- factured	Manufactured	
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BENGAL
2	27	2	38,085,245	.....	94	228	2,460	10	Burdwan
.....	102	249	.....	.....	.....	.....	295	14	Hubbhum
.....	251	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	1,820	Bankura
1	1,568	207½	6,556	.....	45	51,810	80	62	Midnapore
.....	2,039	.....	80,471	.....	834	32,756	30,313	2,339	Hooghly
.....	7,811	.....	82,040	.....	221,377	42,025	13,663	4,111	24 Parganas
.....	7,828	.....	.....	25	154	22,846	11,417	.....	Nadia
.....	513	5,005	.....	.....	21	2,280	2,159	.....	Murshidabad
.....	3,285	.....	.....	.....	.....	91,860	7,501	.....	Jessore
.....	1,770	.....	.....	.....	200	4,812	204	.....	Khulna
3	24,102	5,326½	38,973,312	35	222,740	231,625	80,156	8,356	Total Bengal
4	129	.....	.....	10	495	980	10,556	10,859	BIHAR
.....	355	.....	.....	.....	102	622	1,597	5,768	Patna
.....	184	.....	.....	.....	2,465	746	70	3	Gaya
.....	64	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,223	3,320	.....	Shahabad
.....	127	1,001	.....	.....	.....	475	1,915	.....	Saran
.....	1,285	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,527	13,136	78	Champaran
.....	139	.....	.....	8	.....	1,721	21,831	20	Muzaffarpur
.....	2,651	.....	.....	.....	.....	695	1,845	1,886	Darbhanga
.....	42	.....	.....	.....	.....	61	2,124	3	Monghyr
.....	113	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	78,480	678	Shahgalpur
.....	17	9	12,378	.....	.....	.....	69	9	Purnea
.....	134,201	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	185	77	Sonthei Parganas
.....	6,430	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,200	.....	Darjeeling
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Cooch Behar
154,178	4,903	1,073	12,378	20	3,122	17,353	145,200	19,379	Total Bihar
.....	205	31½	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	3	ORISSA
.....	501	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	801	132	Cuttack
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Halesore
.....	92	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Puri
.....	700	81½	.....	.....	.....	.....	804	130	Sambalpur
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	(Mourbhunj) State
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Total Orissa
.....	20	.....	1,180,908	.....	.....	.....	9	.....	CHOTA NAGPUR
.....	2	.....	20,469	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Hazaribagh
.....	42½	.....	51,327,566	.....	120	.....	175	2	Ranchi
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Palamau
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Munbhum
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Singbhum
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Gangpur (Tributary State)
1,009	402	.....	52,528,003	.....	120	.....	187	2	Total Chota Nagpur
156,180	31,212	6,630½	91,414,593	45	225,081	240,674	226,347	27,367	Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal
1,101,234	91,483	2,025	1,440	.....	22	260	153,240	17	OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES
.....	8,763	.....	1,361	101	13,570	.....	22,140	2,323	E. B. and Assam
.....	52,640	28	.....	.....	1,057	8,313	4,501	154	Burma
.....	9,514	.....	.....	.....	.....	451	30	20	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
.....	564	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	06½	1,174	Panjab
4	51,513	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	165	129	Sind and British Baluchistan
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Central Provinces and Berar
.....	58,881	9	.....	.....	3,571	.....	1,751	149	Bombay
.....	41,700	5½	.....	.....	86,700	.....	1,051	515	Madras
.....	4,088	.....	46,801	.....	.....	79	.....	.....	Cochin
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Kajputana and Central India
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	393	.....	Nizam's Territory
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mysore
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	Pondichery
1,318,901	350,998	8,709½	91,403,691	146	830,511	258,711	410,861	32,560	1908
1,408,196	686,501	10,000	79,535,429	1,137	289,620	260,435	466,080	27,340	1907
1,285,409	486,183	8,755	87,093,800	123	237,412	927,603	378,478	22,552	1906
									GRAND TOTAL

No. II

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. I were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the seven months of April to October 1908

ROUTES	FOOD-GRAINS						FIBROUS PRODUCTS		OILSEEDS	
	Rice	Paddy*	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Jute, raw	Gunny-bag†	Linseed	Rape and Mustard
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.	Mds	Mds
By boat	1,732,636	105,104	6,845	940	152,850	563	1,937,341	81,712,180	37,112	16,301
" river steamer ...	37,670	58,094	5,177	139	57,073	6,598	1,482,461	159,355	45,313	419,514
{ B. I. Railway	100,031	45,209	2,108,380	48,056	1,370,557	221,027	1,028,153	424,830	2,595,823	1,288,002
{ B. K. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	442,298	95,007	42,803	2,841	443,461	128,780	9,046,011	2,703,405	129,241	62,983
{ A.-R. Railway	1,872	1,144	.....	16	.....	.....	21,028	5,530	.....	.....
" rail { B.-N. Railway	163,143	3,123	57,854	202	68,382	26,322	10,770	633,680	6,895	181
{ D.-S. Railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,240	.....	.....
{ B. P. Railway	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,170	.....	.....
{ Howrah-Amra and Howrah-Sheekhala Light Railways	1,826	68	.....	.....	9	.....	2,219	41,685	148	.....
" road	430,104	24,361	22	.....	782	3,450	289,004	1,062,007	360	725
" sea	6,390,044	3,309,726	85,354	20	144,415	105,017	118,812	51,185	84	1,925
{ 1908 ...	9,288,233	3,642,520	2,316,435	48,110	2,130,220	491,787	13,641,609	86,703,817	2,814,926	1,811,407
{ 1907 ...	6,940,736	3,361,304	3,398,007	85,308	2,618,445	558,566	13,794,286	106,157,083	4,505,727	2,329,245
{ 1906 ...	9,015,824	2,261,242	2,562,789	102,677	2,697,008	296,885	11,746,036	91,482,894	2,652,943	1,793,006

ROUTES	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	SUGAR		TOBACCO	
						Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By boat ... ..	.....	9,294	.....	8,462	.....	4,401	148,212	51,495	59
" river steamer ...	677,734	29,037	1,671	1,214	.....	47	3,894	9,837	13,041
{ B. I. Railway	1,315	71,503	510	68,964,808	121	4,213	22,567	51,086	6,237
{ B. K. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	528,083	17,394	6,244	256,765	25	.....	49,001	247,063	332
{ A.-R. Railway	97,079	2,487	.....	232	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
" rail { B.-N. Railway	1,993	61,980	75	22,100,774	.....	18,205	8	3,785	2,235
{ D.-S. Railway	105,452	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
{ B. P. Railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
{ Howrah-Amra and Howrah-Sheekhala Light Railways	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	12	2
" road ... ..	.....	5,162	.....	102,965	.....	218,180	85,011	22,712	6,440
" sea	7,245	153,466	9	1,361	.....	85,772	.....	23,671	4,614
{ 1908 ...	1,318,901	850,998	8,709	91,402,001	146	350,011	268,771	410,861	32,300
{ 1907 ...	1,408,198	885,561	10,686	29,536,489	1,187	289,620	266,435	406,080	27,440
{ 1906 ...	1,285,409	486,183	8,765	87,993,806	123	235,412	227,803	378,478	22,552

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice

† Including gunny cloth, 3 yards = 1 bag

No. III

Imports of certain Articles into Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the seven months of April to October 1908

		COTTON PIECE GOODS		COTTON YARN		Salt	Kerosene oil
		European	Indian	European	Indian		
From Foreign Countries—		Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
United Kingdom		8,63,44,168	.....	66,750	.....	2,847,053	—
Other countries		16,79,524	.....	15,958	.....	4,42,753	2,111,371
Total		8,80,23,687	.....	82,708	.....	7,269,791	2,111,371
Coastwise—							
From British ports in—							
Bengal		.....	450	.....	89	.....	.....
Eastern Bengal and Assam		2,975	720	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bombay		.....	22,56,764	132	116,246	336,205	.....
Sind and British Baluchistan		2,902	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras		1,194	2,32,103	.....	.....	709	.....
Burma		38,551	36,623	11	19	.....	1,467,651
Total		46,716	25,76,067	143	48,324	336,914	1,167,651
Total		1908	8,80,23,683	82,851	84,324	7,606,705	3,279,022
		1907	13,17,14,715	87,621	79,117	9,223,544	3,106,060
		1906	10,48,42,124	73,543	68,006	7,189,160	2,539,760

No. IV

Exports of Principal Articles from Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign countries) in the seven months of April to October 1908.

	FOOD-GRAINS							Jute, raw	Gunny bags
	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains		
<i>Coastwise—</i>	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
<i>To British ports in—</i>									
Bengal ...	146,919	97,313	207,739	1	657	664	8	209,069	2,350
Eastern Bengal and Assam.	4	.....	4	38	6,839	5,011	.....	11,892	90,606
Bombay ...	34,558	.....	34,558	144	.....	.....	745	35,447	11,731,775
Sind and British Baluchistan.	200	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	4,173,000
Madras ...	5,477	1	5,478	3,035	10,386	63,028	3,502	85,419	6,838,607
Hurma ...	16,315	.....	16,315	20,728	112,946	215,571	25,700	400,296	12,592,768
<i>To Indian ports not British—</i>									
Kathiawar ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	99	.....	99	214,900
Goa ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37,600
Alleppey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	51,000
Total ...	208,173	97,314	204,294	32,916	130,728	284,373	30,051	742,302	36,512,502
<i>To Foreign countries—</i>									
United Kingdom	85,609	.....	85,609	.....	.....	24,328	.....	109,897	3,514,034
Other countries	1,208,427	30	1,208,448	10,972	31,927	119,571	10,643	1,390,569	6,120,762
Total ...	1,293,996	30	1,294,015	10,972	31,927	143,899	10,643	1,500,466	9,634,803
Total ... 1908	1,497,469	97,344	1,508,300	43,918	162,655	428,272	49,694	2,242,848	9,635,293
Total ... 1907	2,330,187	.....	2,330,128	183,622	330,608	682,370	68,373	3,505,091	7,554,412
Total ... 1906	3,158,080	948	3,158,681	100,840	250,950	626,335	54,703	4,206,509	7,599,654

	OILSEEDS		Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	SUGAR		TOBACCO	
	Linseed	Rapo and Mustard						Re-fined	Un-refined	Un-manu-fac-tured	Manu-fac-tured
<i>Coastwise—</i>	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
<i>To British ports in—</i>											
Bengal ...	.....	.....	18	5	.....	75,138	.....	2,760	457	2,440	60
Eastern Bengal and Assam.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	251,833	.....	8,638	2,384	17	23
Bombay ...	.....	408	12,927	.....	.....	17,096,120	.....	3,016	9	.....	147
Sind and British Baluchistan.	.....	12,017	524	.....	.....	10,122,584	.....	.....	.....	.....	236
Madras ...	.....	.....	1,140	.....	.....	7,174,881	53	1,487	50	.....	1,063
Burma ...	100	1	4,538	247	202	6,540,216	3	7,019	9,118	117,571	2,388
<i>To Indian ports not British—</i>											
Kathiawar ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	411,050	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	1,459	.....	43,556	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goa ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	621,408	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	104	.....	.....	.....	.....	16
Total ...	108	12,426	19,147	1,711	202	42,239,956	56	24,720	12,018	120,028	3,883
<i>To Foreign countries—</i>											
United Kingdom	1,319,232	34,072	881,277	16,870	1,108	190	2,006	.....	.....	.....	185
Other countries	1,248,309	576,040	313,537	119,427	5,307	10,067,025	2,288	2,085	.....	10,017	1,382
Total ...	2,567,541	610,118	1,194,814	136,297	6,506	10,267,215	4,294	2,085	.....	10,017	1,567
Total ... 1908	2,564,647	622,544	1,213,061	138,003	6,707	63,197,171	4,350	20,805	12,018	130,046	5,406
Total ... 1907	4,749,204	698,464	1,286,461	350,367	10,074	46,072,708	2,801	41,215	13,820	195,908	8,701
Total ... 1906	2,329,855	202,681	1,248,350	298,775	9,302	56,214,595	3,590	47,803	8,581	103,108	4,470

No. V

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the seven months of April to October 1908.

Whither exported	COTTON PIECE-GOODS*		COTTON YARN		Salt	KEROSENE OIL		Gunny bag†
	European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge Budge	
Annual	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.
Bardwan	18,20,617	1,53,988	1,346	7,706	209,006	2,422	71,283	140,070
Birbhum	12,07,107	55,648	427	8,906	125,327	208	22,383	67,130
Bankura	3,04,266	19,080	.....	6,229	72,477	8	40	8,865
Midnapore	3,87,830	3,68,619	5,027	8,349	290,809	1,935	68,974	57,481
Hoochly	7,38,021	4,50,090	3,453	649	167,431	22,140	60,911	165,424
24-Parganas	12,00,852	7,02,401	2,636	831	115,095	89,718	55,188	197,480
Calcutta ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	404,038	.....
Nadia	22,65,660	5,88,807	4,285	8,116	185,251	5,719	67,234	255,850
Murshidabad	19,97,624	1,60,064	744	2,770	136,731	788	49,569	89,945
Jessore	40,743	5,71,745	97	7,725	89,421	13,300	74,880	33,420
Kulna	1,43,212	4,82,941	471	1,616	67,608	21,955	28,345	14,815
Total Bengal	1,02,98,961	33,33,412	18,400	62,949	1,420,719	158,191	1,026,567	1,730,450
BIHAR								
Patna	20,11,395	24,005	1,785	5,834	186,302	302	130,257	401,705
Gaya	11,09,093	11,870	84	16,327	124,267	59	43,086	94,010
Shahabad	33,80,485	14,775	78	3,875	119,254	256	29,404	156,765
Baran	23,29,550	14,394	90	2,076	120,185	133	21,001	245,685
Champanan	30,78,387	63,600	121	3,054	162,861	432	31,299	308,596
Muzaffarpur	35,96,055	13,987	9	1,839	229,540	733	51,051	344,485
Darbhanga	31,72,729	29,009	121	6,472	221,426	503	66,470	293,615
Monohyr	19,90,053	18,335	90	7,559	237,052	463	60,699	688,555
Bhaghpur	34,03,556	69,032	647	6,291	159,919	131	47,097	486,390
Purnea	23,64,578	40,465	315	6,251	264,194	294	63,383	143,900
Sonthal Parganas	12,00,016	21,308	299	10,327	120,005	444	55,47	248,780
Darjeeling	8,24,324	1,18,042	127	3,067	52,385	851	19,224	29,190
Oooch Behar	5,56,~11	52,770	.....	844	28,006	324	3,368	83,090
Total Bihar	2,01,37,547	4,35,050	3,766	71,690	2,012,606	5,570	602,646	3,933,975
ORISSA								
Cuttack	4,17,058	40,876	.....	10,907	13,860	115	.....	47,006
Balasore	2,12,634	5,397	1,070	13,648	161,966	91	9,160	10,381
Puri	89,265	1,400	6	2,661	20	53	.....	4,130
Sambalpur	1,12,264	318	.....	237	406	118	.....	36,295
Mourbhunj State	63,293	517	.....	106	21,692	63	.....	1,223
Total Orissa	9,24,514	18,099	1,082	27,579	197,784	425	9,166	98,846
CHOTA NAGPUR								
Hazaribagh	3,40,324	17,803	19	3,244	61,420	299	13,198	4,025
Ranchi	2,94,515	37,590	.....	564	73,044	84	41	4,970
Palamau	3,30,468	2,350	1	176	37,685	39	5,275	11,830
Manbhum	8,86,343	13,774	19	7,874	143,295	1,269	35,323	24,650
Singbhum	1,46,001	2,00	.....	1,648	76,157	104	36	20,580
Gangpur (Tributary State)	33,611	.....	.....	.....	801	88	.....	4,515
Total Chota Nagpur	20,28,166	73,686	39	13,505	412,409	1,013	54,073	70,770
Total Exports to the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	4,23,89,118	39,21,046	23,383	166,723	4,042,917	166,099	1,692,743	5,194,081
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES								
E. B. and Assam	2,65,80,673	49,35,899	57,799	48,713	2,003,516	1,00,366	802,020	1,601,292
Surina	5,33,162	1,50,990	4,820	40,414	05	.....	1	13,392,745
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	2,19,15,126	3,01,753	4,221	4,794	275,394	2,517	461,180	1,905,640
Panjab	61,49,697	50,454	4,011	364	.....	1,078	22,242	2,070,189
Sind and British Baluchistan	812	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,198,735
Kashmir Territory	547	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	7,11,567	13,278	315	341	4,411	631	5,237	774,025
Bombay	89,103	19,734	.....	606	.....	.....	.....	14,150,806
Madras	5,97,180	65,954	234	9,324	157	226	702	7,546,182
Malpuras and Central India	8,80,416	14,457	351	1	1	1,045	10,794	90,300
Nizam's Territory	38,891	.....	31	187	.....	.....	.....	83,205
Mysore ... ..	.....	223	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	257,880
Alleppey ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	51,000
Goa ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37,600
Pondichery	3,827	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	180	214,900
Port Blair	2,000	.....	1	375	.....	.....	11	.....
Nicobar ... ..	.....	240	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
* GRAND TOTAL ... { 1908	9,88,62,037	94,85,932	95,166	270,751	6,326,844	272,011	2,095,118	50,508,291
... { 1907	9,64,71,361	90,00,020	1,27,921	256,746	6,321,078	290,247	2,843,638	59,403,621
... { 1906	9,73,61,516	32,71,335	1,32,314	224,102	6,471,281	270,762	2,532,160	45,191,849

* The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter

† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

‡ Represents the trade registered at the traffic registering stations only

No. VI

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. V were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the seven months of April to October 1908

ROUTES		COTTON PIECE-GOODS*		COTTON YARN		Sail	KEROSENE OIL		Gunny-bags†	
		European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge		
		Rs.	Rs.	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	
By boat	...	4,64,600	7,27,590	5,545	39	618,134	140,165	183,346	177,448	
" River steamer	...	1,56,52,092	18,75,252	53,353	18,283	1,250,985	16,466	579,966	1,010,660	
" Rail	E. I. Railway	2,85,72,922	4,43,070	6,163	65,321	1,080,402	5,545	712,766	3,921,540	
	E. M. S. Railway (including E. C. Railway)	1,96,45,903	30,32,472	9,543	61,012	1,322,511	13,361	1,000,898	1,140,335	
	A. B. Railway	11,91,600	19,60,809	4,100	13,306	4,580	2,207	2,513	136,045	
	B. N. Railway	36,85,005	4,63,116	344	40,109	570,384	2,339	7,778	851,760	
	B. and N. W. Railway	1,99,63,501	1,59,336	1,348	16,650	1,136,689	3,971	283,094	2,407,720	
	O. and R. Railway	43,24,879	37,414	389	63	.....	345	185,841	271,740
	Howrah-Amra and Light Railways	4,50,103	.....	1,385	.....	8,366	1,437	.....	2,036
" Road	...	30,22,096	1,67,992	3,606	6,619	19,499	1,872	15,403	4,980,236	
" Sea	...	11,18,296	7,20,920	3,375	083	61,325	84,244	6,972	115,400	
	...	7,71,120	1,67,730	6,070	49,112	53,980	.....	9,148	35,612,502
Total		1908	9,88,62,037	94,85,832	95,166	270,751	6,320,844	272,011	2,985,118	50,508,201
		1907	9,64,71,361	66,60,929	127,921	250,745	6,331,978	290,247	2,833,636	59,403,631
		1906	9,73,61,516	32,71,236	132,344	224,102	6,471,231	276,702	2,552,190	45,191,846

* The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
† including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

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METEOROLOGICAL REPORT OF THE PROVINCES OF BENGAL AND OF EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1908.

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION.	DIVISION.	DISTRICT.	REPRESENTATIVE STATIONS.	AIR PRESSURE.					WIND.		TEMPERATURE.							HUMIDITY.		CLOUD.		Rainfall.
				Highest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Lowest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Mean, 8 A.M., reduced to 32°.	Mean reduced to sea-level and constant gravity, Lat. 45°.	Departure from normal mean.	Mean direction at 8 A.M.	Mean velocity in miles daily.	Highest of month.	Lowest of month.	Mean daily maximum temperature.	Mean daily minimum temperature.	Mean daily temperature.	Departure from normal mean.	Mean, 4 A.M.	Departure from normal mean.	Mean cloud amount, 8 A.M.	Departure from normal mean, 8 A.M.		
BENGAL.	Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan ...	29.880	29.888	29.784	29.838	-.030	N35°W	30	93.4	61.8	81.1	73.3	82.3	+0.6	78	-4	2.4	-1.2	0.1	
		Baniganj	Baniganj ...	29.660	29.418	29.553	29.847	-.027	N60°W	25	93.5	89.0	80.3	68.8	79.3	-1.1	81	-2	1.1	-	N	
		Bankura	Bankura ...	29.654	29.498	29.561	29.839	-.028	N5°W	29	94.6	78.7	81.3	71.0	81.1	+0.3	70	-6	0.5	-	N	
		Midnapore	Midnapore ...	29.827	29.609	29.730	29.828	-.037	N10°W	39	93.3	62.7	80.8	72.1	81.5	+0.6	70	-10	2.4	-	1.	
	Presidency.	Sandhead	S. P. V. Fraser	29.275	29.755	29.523	29.820	-	N48°W	72	-	-	-	-	-	-	80	-	3.0	-	0.	
		24-Parganas	Saugor Island	29.948	29.719	29.835	29.824	-.025	N31°W	163	91.5	67.5	68.7	76.7	82.7	+1.2	83	-4	3.4	-2.0	0.	
		Calcutta	Calcutta ...	29.961	29.719	29.863	29.930	-.025	N70°W	65	92.1	63.7	80.4	73.8	81.8	+1.0	84	0	2.7	+0.7	1.	
		Nadia	Krishnagar ...	29.723	29.684	29.729	29.835	-.035	S40°W	23	93.1	59.0	90.5	71.6	81.1	+0.5	87	+3	2.8	-	2.	
		Murshidabad	Berhampore ...	29.918	29.664	29.815	29.832	-.084	S47°W	38	91.6	63.2	82.5	73.0	81.3	+0.4	81	-5	3.1	-0.6	0.	
		Jessore	Jessore ...	29.943	29.712	29.854	29.854	-.026	N	7	92.5	59.2	80.8	72.0	80.9	-0.6	76	-10	2.2	-1.7	2.	
EASTERN BENGAL NORTH.	Rajshahi.	Rajshahi	Rampur Boalia	29.918	29.660	29.812	29.838	-.022	S37°E	34	92.6	60.1	90.1	71.6	81.0	+1.0	76	-8	2.4	-	0.	
		Malda	Malda ...	29.903	29.645	29.797	29.821	-.032	N8°W	50	93.3	80.5	90.0	69.1	79.6	-0.5	84	0	0.6	-	0.	
		Dinajpur	Dinajpur ...	29.864	29.599	29.740	29.821	-.053	S37°W	29	92.3	61.0	89.4	63.0	79.2	-0.5	84	-1	2.1	-1.0	1.	
		Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri ...	29.680	29.458	29.592	29.837	-.062	N70°E	26	93.4	64.4	89.4	70.4	79.9	+2.1	83	-5	2.6	-0.7	3.	
	Chittagong.	Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar ...	29.843	29.591	29.737	29.851	-	N89°E	18	89.8	65.8	87.3	71.6	79.4	-	87	+1	2.4	-	1.	
		Rangpur	Rangpur ...	29.882	29.609	29.745	29.845	-.030	S10°E	18	91.1	64.0	89.7	71.1	79.9	+0.6	80	-7	0.8	-	0.	
		Bogra	Bogra ...	29.887	29.667	29.803	29.881	-.038	(Z)	26	93.2	62.2	90.3	71.0	80.7	+0.7	78	-8	1.2	-2.3	2.	
		Pabna	Strajganj ...	29.925	29.686	29.834	29.833	-.028	S	39	92.3	63.8	88.1	72.7	80.4	+0.6	83	-6	2.2	-	1.	
		Dacca	Narayanganj	29.938	29.718	29.859	29.834	-.024	S8°W	29	93.5	66.8	80.3	74.3	81.8	+0.2	82	-2	2.4	-1.5	2.	
		Mymensingh	Mymensingh ...	29.910	29.673	29.832	29.847	-.023	S8°E	23	92.1	65.6	88.5	73.3	80.9	+1.2	85	-5	4.5	+0.2	0.	
EASTERN BENGAL SOUTH.	Chittagong.	Faridpur	Faridpur ...	29.929	29.701	29.814	29.834	-.029	S16°W	24	91.3	62.4	83.6	72.4	80.6	-0.3	82	-4	0.7	-	1.	
		Backergunge	Barisal ...	29.946	29.731	29.869	29.82.6	-.081	S64°E	160	92.3	65.1	88.7	73.3	81.0	-0.1	82.0	-2	0.8	-2.0	0.	
		Tippera	Coxilla ...	29.929	29.714	29.850	29.834	-.022	S27°E	23	92.3	63.3	89.8	72.4	80.6	+0.1	86	+2	1.9	-	1.	
		Noakhali	Noakhali ...	29.933	29.716	29.862	29.843	-.012	N83°E	24	89.3	63.4	86.1	72.0	79.5	-0.8	86	-2	2.4	-	2.	
	Patna.	Chittagong	Chittagong ...	29.960	29.636	29.800	29.836	-.028	N19°E	22	90.1	62.4	87.1	71.4	79.3	-0.7	87	-3	3.4	-1.6	2.	
		Cox's Bazar	Cox's Bazar ...	29.915	29.689	29.840	29.825	-	N76°E	72	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
		Patna	Bankipore ...	29.811	29.544	29.631	29.831	-.012	S35°W	41	93.5	61.7	90.6	69.6	80.1	-0.3	62	-11	0.6	-1.8	1.	
		Gaya	Gaya ...	29.598	29.320	29.496	29.832	-.057	S34°W	58	90.4	60.2	92.3	60.4	80.0	+0.7	64	-10	1.4	-1.6	0.	
		Shahabad	Dehri ...	29.781	29.366	29.521	29.883	-.036	S14°W	75	90.3	62.0	93.4	70.4	82.0	+2.1	70	-3	1.7	-	0.	
		Saran	Arrah ...	29.790	29.545	29.692	29.830	-.039	S50°W	39	93.9	57.7	91.4	66.3	73.0	-0.5	72	-7	1.0	-	0.	
ORISSA.	Bhagalpur.	Champeran	Chupra ...	29.708	29.546	29.630	29.826	-.041	S53°W	34	93.7	59.9	90.9	68.9	79.4	+0.3	72	-7	0.7	-	0.	
		Muzaffarpur	Motihari ...	29.777	29.502	29.652	29.841	-.053	S55°W	36	93.4	56.8	90.0	63.2	77.7	-0.6	86	0	1.0	-	0.	
		Darbhanga	Muzaffarpur ...	29.820	29.564	29.706	29.843	-.029	S60°W	29	93.2	59.0	90.4	64.4	78.3	-	72	-9	0.6	-	0.	
		Monghyr	Darbhanga ...	29.822	29.562	29.712	29.837	-.059	E	36	94.1	59.3	91.2	67.1	73.1	-0.8	60	-3	1.0	-1.0	0.	
	Orissa.	Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur ...	29.833	29.560	29.723	29.832	-	S76°W	72	94.9	61.9	91.8	70.0	81.3	-	60	-	0.6	-	0.	
		Purnea	Bhagalpur ...	29.834	29.571	29.718	29.833	-.022	S37°W	29	94.2	59.8	92.9	68.8	80.9	+1.5	60	-19	0.9	-	0.	
		Southal Parganas.	Purnea ...	29.870	29.605	29.763	29.833	-.040	N75°E	14	94.0	60.7	90.9	66.3	78.2	-1.1	92	+14	0.6	-1.7	0.	
		Darjeeling	Naya Dinka ...	29.503	29.253	29.396	29.849	-.010	(Z)	24	92.4	58.0	90.9	70.6	80.7	+1.6	69	-13	1.5	-	0.	
		Sambalpur	Darjeeling ...	29.151	29.040	29.088	29.013	-.033	N62°E	67	70.3	42.7	68.1	49.5	66.3	+1.2	80	-9	4.2	-1.5	0.	
		Angul	Sambalpur ...	29.513	29.233	29.426	29.868	-.006	N62°E	91	91.1	61.6	80.1	63.9	73.5	-0.9	71	-7	2.3	-0.3	0.	
ASSAM.	Chota Nagpur.	Angul	Angul ...	29.527	29.277	29.458	29.800	-	N60°W	84	91.1	62.5	80.0	70.1	79.6	-	77	-	1.9	-	0.	
		Cuttack	Cuttack ...	29.893	29.674	29.816	29.840	-.009	S60°W	84	92.4	67.7	90.3	73.8	82.1	-0.1	81	+2	3.7	+0.1	0.	
		Balasore	False Point ...	29.960	29.750	29.860	29.843	-.006	N50°W	89	90.6	63.6	88.3	73.1	80.7	-0.3	82	-3	4.4	-0.2	0.	
		Puri	Balasore ...	29.940	29.711	29.841	29.839	-.026	N36°W	34	91.9	63.8	90.7	72.4	81.1	+0.5	74	-12	2.4	-2.2	0.	
	Assam.	Ganjam	Puri ...	29.943	29.730	29.866	29.899	-.024	N10°W	184	92.1	70.6	89.0	76.1	82.9	-	77	-4	3.0	-	0.	
		Hazaribagh	Gopalpur ...	29.901	29.680	29.843	29.836	-.010	N25°W	187	91.2	69.0	83.3	73.8	81.1	+0.4	80	-2	1.5	-	0.	
		Ranchi	Calingsapatam ...	29.968	29.779	29.900	29.850	-	N37°W	112	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	0.	
		Dibrugarh	Hazaribagh ...	27.960	27.723	27.876	29.940	-.021	N81°W	122	86.7	59.8	84.2	66.1	78.1	+0.1	86	+14	1.2	-2.3	0.	
		Sibsagar	Ranchi ...	27.851	27.619	27.785	29.860	-.019	N89°W	139	86.7	61.4	84.4	66.3	75.3	+1.1	85	-17	1.6	-1.3	0.	
		Tezpur	Daitonjanj ...	29.976	29.704	29.171	29.877	-	(Z)	60	94.5	63.0	91.6	63.6	77.6	-	78	-5	2.1	-	0.	

(a) Mean of 30 days.
(b) Mean of 29 days.(c) Mean of 26 days.
(d) Mean of 25 days.(e) Mean of 24 days.
(f) Mean of 23 days.

(g) Indeterminate.

SUMMARY OF THE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL AND IN EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1908.

DURING the first two days of the first week of the month rain occurred at almost every station, but on the remaining days there was very little rain and that was reported chiefly from the coast districts. The cessation of rain was due mainly to the existence of a shallow depression which determined northerly winds at the head of the Bay. It moved towards the north-east angle passing inland near Cox's Bazar on the 9th, causing general rain in Assam and the south of Eastern Bengal. Elsewhere very little rain was recorded during the second week. During the remainder of the month a few falls of rain were recorded in Assam and one fall at Calcutta. In the Bay weather was generally unsettled from the 16th to the end of the month owing to the existence of a depression that formed in the Andaman sea and moved in a westerly direction towards the Coromandel coast passing inland near Pamban on the 23rd. Disturbed conditions persisted after the depression crossed the coast and it is probable that this depression was followed by another, which moved across the south of the Bay and passed inland with diminished intensity on the 25th. Weather continued squally and unsettled until the end of the month.

Summary of temperature.—The mean temperature for the month was approximately normal over the whole reporting area. The highest temperature (98·2) was reported from Bhagalpur and the lowest (53°) was reported from Daltonganj.

The following table gives the summary of the temperature of each of the seven meteorological divisions of the Provinces of Bengal and of Eastern Bengal and Assam for the month of October 1908:—

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISIONS.	TEMPERATURE.					
	Highest observed during month.	Lowest observed during month.	Average for month.			Average mean of month above or below normal mean of month.
			Of highest of each day.	Of lowest of each day.	Of mean for each day.	
Bengal	94·6	59·0	90·1	72·5	81·3	+ 0·3
Eastern Bengal, North ...	93·4	59·5	89·2	70·8	80·0	+ 0·6
Eastern Bengal, South ...	94·5	62·4	88·2	72·9	80·5	0
Bihar	98·2	56·7	91·5	68·3	79·9	+ 0·1
Orissa	92·4	61·6	89·2	72·7	81·0	— 0·1
Chota Nagpur	94·5	53·0	87·7	66·0	76·8	+ 0·3
Assam	92·5	60·7	85·7	70·7	78·2	— 0·6

* Purulia not included.

Summary of rainfall.—The rainfall work of the area under report has been handed over to the Director of Agriculture. A short table, however, is attached to this report, giving actual and normal rainfall recorded at the principal stations of each district.

Rainfall was in general defect throughout the two Provinces. The rainfall recorded locally at Cox's Bazar, Chittagong and Daltonganj was however in slight excess. The defect averaged 87 per cent. in Bihar, 78 per cent. in Bengal, 66 per cent. in Orissa and 64 per cent. in Chota Nagpur.

Actual and average rainfall and departure from normal for the month of October 1908.

Meteorological Division.	District.	Station.	Actual.	Normal.	Departure from normal.
Bengal	Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	0.18	3.93	- 3.80
	Bankura ...	Bankura ...	Nil	3.23	- 3.23
	Midnapore ...	Midnapore ...	Nil	4.05	- 4.05
	24 Parganas ...	Saugor Island ...	1.53	4.42	- 2.89
	Calcutta ...	Calcutta ...	0.32	9.13	- 8.81
	Nadia ...	Krishnagar ...	1.94	3.87	- 1.93
	Murshidabad ...	Berhampore ...	2.21	4.20	- 1.99
	Jessore ...	Jessore ...	0.90	4.71	- 3.81
Eastern Bengal, North.	Rajshahi ...	Rampur Boalia ...	2.09	5.30	- 3.21
	Malda ...	Malda ...	0.35	4.46	- 4.11
	Dinajpur ...	Dinajpur ...	0.44	4.18	- 3.74
	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri ...	1.08	4.30	- 3.22
	Cooch Behar ...	Cooch Behar ...	8.63	4.78	- 1.15
	Rangpur ...	Rangpur ...	1.72	4.79	- 3.07
	Bogra ...	Bogra ...	0.67	4.94	- 4.27
	Patna ...	Sirajganj ...	2.58	4.58	- 2.00
Eastern Bengal, South.	Dacca ...	Narayanganj ...	1.60	4.37	- 2.77
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh ...	2.52	4.05	- 1.53
	Faridpur ...	Faridpur ...	0.68	5.35	- 4.67
	Backergunge ...	Barisal ...	1.76	4.49	- 2.73
	Tippura ...	Comilla ...	0.30	5.46	- 5.16
	Noakhali ...	Noakhali ...	1.88	5.43	- 3.55
	Chittagong ...	Chittagong ...	2.53	7.92	- 5.39
		Cox's Bazar ...	7.18	6.41	+ 0.77
Bihar	Patna ...	Bankipore ...	9.93	8.32	+ 1.61
	Gaya ...	Gaya ...	Nil	2.89	- 2.89
	Shahabad ...	Dehri ...	0.86	2.82	- 1.96
		Buxar ...	0.05	2.49	- 2.44
		Arrah ...	1.67	2.97	- 1.30
	Saran ...	Chagra ...	0.93	2.77	- 1.84
	Champaran ...	Motihari ...	0.17	2.63	- 2.46
	Muzaffarpur ...	Muzaffarpur ...	1.24	3.38	- 2.14
	Darbhanga ...	Darbhanga ...	1.68	2.92	- 1.24
	Monghyr ...	Monghyr ...	0.40	2.80	- 2.40
	Bhagalpur ...	Bhagalpur ...	0.09	3.45	- 3.36
	Purnea ...	Purnea ...	0.76	3.54	- 2.78
	Sonthal Parganas ...	Naya Dumka ...	0.31	3.43	- 3.12
	Darjeeling ...	Darjeeling ...	Nil	3.91	- 3.91
Orissa	Sambalpur ...	Sambalpur ...	0.91	5.35	- 4.44
	Angul ...	Angul ...	0.48	2.13	- 1.65
	Cuttack ...	Cuttack ...	2.20	4.32	- 2.12
		Fulce Point ...	1.62	5.73	- 4.11
	Balasore ...	Balasore ...	2.10	9.56	- 7.46
Chota Nagpur ...	Puri ...	Puri ...	3.01	6.59	- 3.58
			2.84	3.23	- 0.39
	Hazaribagh ...	Hazaribagh ...	1.89	3.31	- 1.42
	Ranchi ...	Ranchi ...	0.10	2.99	- 2.89
	Singbhum ...	Chaibassa ...	0.98	2.68	- 1.70
	Palamau ...	Daltonganj ...	3.56	2.40	+ 1.16
	Manbhum ...	Parulla ...	1.23	3.24	- 2.01

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 19th January 1909.

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Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 10th to 16th January 1909.

Date.	Day.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 59° Fahr.	TEMPERATURE.				HYGROMETRY.				WIND.		Rain.	WEATHER.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1909.				Inches.						Inches.		%			Inches.	
Jan.	10th	124.6	7.8	30.000	65.0	79.4	26.9	52.5	57.8	0.370	50.6	59	W by S and E.	41	Nil	Clear, B.
"	11th	122.0	7.8	.057	67.2	79.7	23.6	56.7	60.5	.144	55.6	67	SSW and ESE ...	31	Nil	Clear, B.
"	12th	125.4	7.7	.046	66.6	82.1	25.1	53.0	59.4	.414	53.6	64	ESE and N by E	42	Nil	Clear, B.
"	13th	137.8	7.7	125.979	67.9	82.4	27.0	55.4	61.6	.457	56.4	66	N by E and N by W.	36	Nil	Clear, B.
"	14th	127.7	7.7	.093	71.0	85.2	26.5	58.7	63.1	.430	57.8	63	N by W and W by S.	68	Nil	Clear, B.
"	15th	129.2	7.7	30.005	70.0	83.9	25.8	58.1	62.3	.462	56.9	64	W by S and WNW.	73	Nil	Clear, B.
"	16th	130.4	7.7	23.967	70.9	85.7	27.7	58.0	62.3	.449	55.9	62	WNW ...	73	Nil	Partially cloudy, B.

The mean pressure of the seven days ... 30.007
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... 30.028

The total number of hours of bright sunshine ... 54.1
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ... 75.8

The mean temperature of the seven days ... 68.4
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... 66.7
The extreme variation of temperature ... 33.2
The maximum temperature ... 85.7

The highest velocity of the wind in one hour ... 7
The mean relative humidity ... 64
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... 70

The total fall of rain from 10th to 16th January 1909 ... Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... 0.04
The total fall from 16th January 1909 ... Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... 0.13

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

Δ, dew.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), 18th January 1909.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 16th January 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

NATURE OF CARGO.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 16TH JANUARY 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 13TH JANUARY 1908.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	831	1,79,042	2,989	464	1,63,336	2,702
Jute	138	60,850	953	223	70,061	1,110
Firewood	11	9,400	140	41	35,150	512
Other articles	789	1,71,013	2,227	720	1,89,426	2,368
Total	1,769	4,20,304	6,309	1,457	4,57,963	6,682

* Weight by canal measurement, 81,937½ maunds.

CALCUTTA,
The 19th January 1909.

AMAR NATH DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of October 1908, compared with the corresponding period in 1907.

DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	1907.		1908.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	63	1,080	140	2,314	77	1,234	.....	.....
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	4,335	9,932	7,051	16,352	2,715	6,420	.....	.....	Demand for brick burning.
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	91	1,150	103	2,970	12	1,820	.....	.....
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Twist and { European	4	32	9	101	5	69	.....	.....
(b) yarn. { Indian	544	6,043	613	8,037	69	1,444	.....	.....	Increase due to opening of new lines and general improvement.
(c) Piece-goods { European	3,359	22,500	3,243	33,600	884	10,100	.....	.....
(d) { Indian	404	5,087	807	9,097	343	4,010	.....	.....
(e) Others	38	735	64	1,310	51	475	.....	.....
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	98	455	312	629	116	174	.....	.....
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	1	17	1	40	.....	23	.....	.....
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	9	159	13	270	4	117	.....	.....
(b) Others	614	3,114	780	4,936	166	1,822	.....	.....
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	4	27	11	104	7	77	.....	.....
2. Outch	20	156	13	83	.....	.....	7	68	
3. Indigo	1	12	1	26	.....	13	.....	.....
4. Myrabolams	23	174	12	93	.....	.....	11	51	
5. Tanning barks .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6. Turmeric	167	848	132	923	25	81	.....	.....
7. Others	61	830	71	633	10	103	.....	.....
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	818	3,001	729	2,756	.....	.....	89	845	
2. Hay, straw and grass ..	196	683	457	1,897	231	1,214	.....	.....
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	1,370	7,573	1,168	5,404	.....	.....	202	2,169	
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Grain and pulse	5,767	21,890	6,823	28,430	1,056	6,540	.....	.....
2. Jawar and bajra	492	1,868	103	353	.....	.....	390	1,516	
3. Rice { in the husk	9,324	56,352	8,729	15,197	.....	.....	5,625	41,155	Due to bad rice crops owing to drought.
4. { not in the husk	13,946	68,241	8,176	28,144	.....	.....	5,770	40,097	
5. Wheat	2,913	11,103	2,438	10,962	.....	.....	475	330	
6. Wheat-flour	476	3,413	482	3,335	4	.....	.....	78	Good crops and demand in Tirhoot and Chapra district.
7. Makai	11,429	60,930	12,384	1,28,607	7,905	67,677	.....	.....
8. Others	5,471	24,144	6,268	23,094	797	.....	.....	2,050	
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw	207	2,118	322	2,076	25	.....	.....	42	
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw	253	1,476	428	2,216	175	740	.....	.....
XI.—Horns	4	24	14	68	10	44	.....	.....
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	56	490	101	877	45	387	.....	.....
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	938	4,310	800	971	.....	.....	738	3,243	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	1,687	9,929	1,090	9,032	.....	.....	527	897	
XIV.—Lac	178	1,065	180	954	2	.....	.....	111	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	8	60	27	478	19	418	.....	.....
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and beer	3	25	7	60	4	35	.....	.....
2. Wines and spirits of all kinds, including country spirit.	23	273	29	368	6	85	.....	.....
3. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought	42	305	48	186	6	.....	.....	209	
2. " wrought	95	755	108	1,324	73	569	.....	.....
3. Copper, unwrought .....	.....	.....	1	8	1	5	.....	.....
4. " wrought	7	76	15	129	8	.....	.....	206	
5. Iron and steel—									
Unwrought (rust, slag, pig and old for re-manufacture).	102	271	21	109	.....	.....	81	162	
Wrought—									
(a) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel.	379	1,787	900	5,486	521	3,649	.....	.....
(b) Machinery and mill-work.	40	261	23	93	.....	.....	26	268	
(c) Other manufactures, including hardware and cutlery.	835	5,737	542	4,781	.....	.....	293	946	
6. Metallic ores .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7. Others	228	1,649	215	1,510	.....	.....	13	139	

Description of Goods.	1907.		1908.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
XVIII.—Mineral substances—									
1. Marble and stone ...	1,900	2,141	1,873	3,307	673	1,166	.....	.....
2. Chalk and lime ...	743	2,759	906	3,214	163	455	.....	.....
3. Others ...	11	83	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	83	
XIX.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine ...	2,053	8,348	3,083	13,237	1,030	4,889	.....	.....	General develop- ment.
2. Castor ...	91	1,033	86	587	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Coconut ...	1	7	1	11	.....	4	.....	5	
4. Mustard and rape ...	97	1,027	127	1,207	30	180	.....	.....
5. Others ...	74	611	79	684	5	.....	.....	27	
XX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor ...	637	1,209	890	2,812	193	1,003	.....	.....	Defective crops due to drought.
2. Earthnuts ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Linseed ...	7,356	31,108	2,541	9,571	.....	.....	4,815	21,535	
4. Poppy ...	173	718	104	408	.....	.....	.....	218	
5. Rape and mustard ...	3,894	16,080	2,340	9,975	.....	.....	1,554	5,105	
6. Til or jilili ...	88	576	176	846	91	370	.....	.....
7. Others ...	389	2,048	484	1,840	95	.....	.....	189	
XXI.—Opium ...	28	404	16	96	.....	.....	9	308	
XXII.—Paper and Pasteboard ...	283	801	276	1,003	.....	302	.....	.....
XXIII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts ...	153	2,054	289	4,171	131	2,117	.....	.....
2. Ghee ...	219	1,714	237	1,800	18	86	.....	.....
3. Others ...	665	5,296	1,598	9,899	933	4,603	.....	.....
XXIV.—Railway Plant and Rolling- Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast- iron.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Others ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXV.—Salt ...	14,640	68,622	11,633	46,911	.....	.....	3,617	18,611	
XXVI.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre ...	710	2,684	1,566	5,564	850	2,880	.....	.....	Demand in Calcutta increased duction.
2. Other saline substances	800	3,366	634	3,684	28	828	.....	.....
XXVII.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXVIII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts ...	297	2,308	285	2,106	118	798	.....	.....
2. Cardamoms ...	3	47	9	124	0	77	.....	.....
3. Chillies ...	73	361	73	383	1	22	.....	.....
4. Ginger ...	45	429	45	415	.....	16	.....	1	
5. Pepper ...	40	432	101	1,041	52	619	.....	.....
6. Others ...	101	988	267	1,899	266	911	.....	.....
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	1,080	6,885	1,775	10,900	715	4,015	.....	.....
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar ...	3,698	22,181	3,967	20,991	269	.....	.....	1,199	
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	3,238	16,964	2,619	11,304	.....	.....	419	5,650	
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Indian ...	2	27	3	69	1	42	.....	.....
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured ...	1,250	7,308	2,060	14,048	801	6,743	.....	.....
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars ...	.....	.....	1	9	1	9	.....	.....
(b) Other sorts ...	451	358	40	526	9	168	.....	.....
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought ...	1,374	5,249	1,426	5,019	52	.....	.....	230	
2. Logs ...	208	404	397	987	189	523	.....	.....
3. Poles ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. Manufactures ...	632	4,040	443	3,150	.....	.....	89	800	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw ...	3	26	4	75	1	49	.....	.....
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs ...	1	18	6	58	5	70	.....	.....
(b) Piece-goods { European	1	11	3	44	2	33	.....	.....
(c) { Indian	15	198	49	753	34	550	.....	.....
(d) Other sorts of manu- factures.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXXIV.—All other articles of mer- chandise—									
1. Indigo-seed ...	28	175	10	90	.....	.....	16	85	
2. Firewood ...	1,381	3,190	639	1,335	.....	.....	742	1,855	
3. Others, not specified above.	3,150	10,072	2,528	7,584	.....	.....	624	2,488	
Total ...	1,17,830	5,70,459	1,18,002	8,05,160	23,027	1,42,346	26,195	1,50,545	

GORAKHPUR, the 9th January 1909.

W. JENKINS,
for Chief Auditor.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 19th December 1908 on 2,292.38 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week	480,378	Rs. 4,21,080 0 0	Mds. 62,71,280 0	Rs. 10,42,891 0 0	Rs. 43,080 0 0	Rs. 15,07,066 0 0	100,000	210,480	376,983
Or per mile of railway	.....	188 11 1	.....	454 15 0	19 0 11	657 11 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23½ weeks of half-year	11,483,484*	1,00,31,841 0 0	16,18,34,144 0	2,48,13,930 0 0	10,06,403 0 0	3,58,42,193 0 0	3,922,113	4,908,628	8,830,741
Total for 24½ weeks	11,963,862	1,04,42,927 0 0	16,81,05,424 0	2,58,56,841 0 0	10,80,091 0 0	3,73,49,850 0 0	3,988,616	5,209,108	9,197,724
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	458,029	Rs. 4,02,288 10 3	Mds. 75,04,327 10	Rs. 12,11,726 10 1	Rs. 54,704 11 2	Rs. 17,49,719 15 6	188,687	208,574	367,261
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	215 6 8	.....	530 3 7	20 0 0	765 10 2	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 24½ weeks of previous year.	11,811,932	1,12,84,097 8 2	15,98,52,735 30	2,50,10,781 2 7	10,67,087 12 8	3,73,03,566 2 8	3,667,280	4,750,317	8,433,583

(a) The decrease is due to a lesser movements of up-country passengers this year.

(b) The decrease is in general merchandise.

* Deducted No. of passengers 278 and added

† Do. Mds. 1,03,583 and

‡ Do.

§ Audited figures up to 31st October 1908.

Rs. 248 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week
2,717 } ended 31st October 1908.
2,317 }

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Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.	Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.
		No. of passengers.	Rs. Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No. Rate.
2,292.38	First 11 days of July	908,860	7,04,625	1,04,88,330	16,87,408	55,750	21,27,702
2,292.38	Week ended 18th "	519,376	4,37,466	63,40,830	10,09,394	42,381	11,80,152
2,292.38	" " 25th "	506,317	4,55,341	76,08,090	10,44,343	45,408	13,45,051
2,292.38	" " 1st Aug.	497,636	4,13,416	69,17,670	10,92,447	42,072	15,44,385
2,292.38	" " 8th "	507,181	4,48,322	67,89,105	10,55,817	45,982	15,47,901
2,292.38	" " 15th "	542,006	4,35,571	69,40,830	9,94,334	41,323	14,80,127
2,292.38	" " 22nd "	465,402	3,94,030	81,44,450	10,10,297	41,727	14,80,944
2,292.38	" " 29th "	444,837	3,81,000	75,35,930	10,80,206	45,960	14,87,504
2,292.38	" " 5th Sept.	455,189	3,84,177	77,32,151	11,07,784	48,377	15,34,328
2,292.38	" " 12th "	530,681	3,84,060	60,17,422	9,99,004	39,051	14,92,127
2,292.38	" " 19th "	496,867	4,30,694	60,90,061	10,12,808	50,053	15,00,020
2,292.38	" " 26th "	408,824	4,71,378	64,14,053	10,47,923	46,893	15,65,989
2,292.38	" " 3rd Oct.	505,808	4,75,803	63,83,018	10,44,768	46,015	15,20,685
2,292.38	" " 10th "	469,959	4,04,300	61,88,029	9,61,023	35,467	14,01,430
2,292.38	" " 17th "	428,089	4,08,345	74,60,085	11,63,703	51,474	16,05,022
2,292.38	" " 24th "	322,182	3,97,844	61,98,009	10,94,423	48,134	15,40,400
2,292.38	" " 31st "	428,877	4,02,101	61,65,000	10,32,076	46,510	14,75,486
2,292.38	" " 7th Nov.	502,438	4,05,816	68,76,810	10,40,788	44,423	15,59,977
2,292.38	" " 14th "	517,285	4,40,087	61,28,054	10,18,189	41,627	15,11,003
2,292.38	" " 21st "	467,355	4,10,360	63,15,124	10,76,183	45,527	15,41,270
2,292.38	" " 28th "	400,423	4,00,388	63,30,016	10,45,422	41,504	15,30,262
2,292.38	" " 5th Dec.	469,236	4,22,323	64,44,471	10,78,430	46,265	15,30,027
2,292.38	" " 12th "	461,280	4,14,301	60,31,347	10,08,989	43,040	15,28,910
2,292.38	" " 19th "	428,378	4,21,068	62,71,280	10,52,941	45,689	15,07,998
Totals up to date		11,903,862	1,04,42,927	16,81,05,424	2,58,56,841	10,80,091	3,73,49,850

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concl.

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		No. of passengers.	Rs. Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,292.38	First 13 days of July	1,034,609	9,19,173	1,23,50,313	19,17,941	73,069	29,00,183	1,273	663,681
2,292.38	Week ended 20th "	578,165	5,04,015	69,90,747	10,27,517	38,702	15,08,884	886	845,104
2,292.38	" " 27th "	510,984	4,50,049	68,00,849	10,14,360	40,325	15,10,721	861	846,661
2,292.38	" " 3rd Aug.	470,302	4,27,811	64,36,135	10,51,513	42,518	15,28,062	867	841,778
2,292.38	" " 10th "	470,923	4,20,183	66,78,475	9,92,152	36,963	15,46,267	860	818,607
2,292.38	" " 17th "	498,772	4,12,178	60,90,701	8,61,095	40,171	15,18,444	876	814,436
2,292.38	" " 24th "	407,091	4,17,339	56,33,623	8,51,167	39,392	15,50,994	813	807,407
2,292.38	" " 31st "	456,181	3,90,060	62,70,845	9,04,108	46,720	14,00,018	807	808,083
2,292.38	" " 7th Sept.	444,965	4,08,316	68,95,050	9,40,277	44,920	13,88,018	835	848,513
2,292.38	" " 14th "	447,010	3,72,114	60,86,004	10,03,171	41,242	14,23,719	807	848,761
2,292.38	" " 21st "	546,979	4,79,869	73,76,702	10,08,833	41,677	15,62,577	884	844,681
2,292.38	" " 28th "	496,866	4,68,073	68,44,333	10,86,582	47,691	15,77,095	890	848,465
2,292.38	" " 5th Oct.	496,866	5,19,165	77,76,471	10,71,217	38,621	16,20,003	713	826,321
2,292.38	" " 12th "	537,674	4,73,244	67,38,186	9,83,948	40,045	14,48,171	866	847,550
2,292.38	" " 19th "	449,873	4,62,854	73,24,004	11,42,308	46,087	16,51,149	723	872,420
2,292.38	" " 26th "	426,863	4,07,701	67,35,012	12,29,070	44,659	17,24,629	756	873,767
2,292.38	" " 2nd Nov.	411,838	4,37,627	67,07,954	10,54,091	41,424	15,33,182	671	868,848
2,292.38	" " 9th "	532,096	5,70,013	65,60,207	10,56,344	48,414	16,60,271	730	866,548
2,292.38	" " 16th "	339,436	3,19,434	38,07,847	6,06,000	46,440	9,31,843	408	813,266
2,292.38	" " 23rd "	310,112	3,39,852	37,17,017	6,65,695	29,768	10,55,913	493	831,410
2,292.38	" " 30th "	431,651	5,05,768	69,47,523	12,13,930	41,708	17,04,084	773	804,681
2,292.38	" " 7th Dec.	456,804	4,95,854	67,28,798	11,50,684	54,156	16,90,103	740	877,386
2,292.38	" " 14th "	458,929	4,92,288	75,04,327	12,11,727	46,705	17,40,720	780	867,301
Totals up to date		11,811,932	1,12,84,097	15,98,52,735	2,50,10,781	10,67,088	3,73,03,566	687	8,428,183

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 19th December 1908 on 22.21 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week	1 st 217	Rs. A. P. 3,702 0 0	Mds. S. 11,003 0	Rs. A. P. 531 0 0	Rs. A. P. 6 0 0	Rs. A. P. 4,239 0 0	1,317	150	1,476
Or per mile of railway	100 10 11	185 10 11	23 14 6	23 14 6	0 4 4	100 13 9	.....	.....	.....
For previous 52 nd weeks of half-year	552,700*	1,28,114 0 0*	8,30,095 0†	16,671 0 0†	153 0 0‡	1,40,940 0 0	31,762§	3,813§	35,576
Total for 54 th weeks	557,013	1,28,816 0 0	8,30,768 0	16,802 0 0	161 0 0	1,41,179 0 0	33,079	3,972	37,051
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	17,553	3,826 13 4	14,192 20	619 1 0	8 5 0	4,484 3 1	1,349	119	1,498
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	172 2 4	.....	29 3 2	0 6 0	201 11 6	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 54 th weeks of previous year.	568,280	1,29,989 15 11	2,80,449 0	11,785 13 0	216 7 0	1,41,992 3 11	30,890	3,950	34,830

* Deducted No. of passengers 353 and Rs. 408 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended
 † Added Mds. 1,766 and deducted " 10 } 31st October 1908.
 ‡ Do.
 § Audited figures up to 31st October 1908.

1908.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rs. A. P.
1907	First 11 days of July	40,085	11,681	27,439	593	11	12,285	554	2,420	5 1 3
1908	Week ended 15th "	31,932	7,104	34,761	738	9	7,911	336	1,496	5 4 7
1907	" " 25th "	30,777	6,537	20,025	326	8	4,911	222	1,440	3 4 9
1908	" " 1st August	19,748	4,482	10,063	358	3	4,843	218	1,436	3 3 10
1907	" " 8th "	21,896	5,738	56,749	516	4	6,059	273	1,468	4 0 10
1908	" " 15th "	23,881	5,009	14,493	314	18	5,940	267	1,453	4 1 4
1907	" " 22nd "	16,105	3,739	6,283	263	9	4,097	180	1,414	2 10 11
1908	" " 29th "	17,754	3,824	9,791	278	4	4,106	185	1,701	2 6 7
1907	" " 5th Sept.	18,901	4,356	4,321	532	5	5,112	214	1,678	3 5 8
1908	" " 12th "	21,717	4,018	41,759	477	8	5,101	237	1,522	3 5 8
1907	" " 19th "	19,591	4,015	1,45,288	1,114	4	5,133	311	1,500	3 6 11
1908	" " 26th "	30,398	4,483	44,437	710	4	5,194	314	1,494	3 7 7
1907	" " 3rd October	25,612	6,331	14,905	692	6	6,141	257	1,484	4 10 4
1908	" " 10th "	23,199	5,130	1,19,206	1,112	12	6,254	313	1,498	4 2 10
1907	" " 17th "	21,796	4,011	20,091	576	2	5,490	267	1,498	3 10 8
1908	" " 24th "	23,878	4,013	21,097	944	6	5,963	297	1,498	3 10 8
1907	" " 31st "	23,991	4,051	22,934	776	10	5,827	268	1,494	3 14 5
1908	" " 7th Nov.	28,019	4,188	35,132	835	5	5,988	268	1,476	3 5 6
1907	" " 14th "	26,792	4,810	26,309	1,235	5	7,450	326	1,476	3 13 10
1908	" " 21st "	21,687	4,718	21,434	923	5	7,702	287	1,476	3 13 7
1907	" " 28th "	21,577	4,748	21,320	934	7	5,079	286	1,476	3 13 7
1908	" " 5th Dec.	20,733	4,085	14,285	593	6	6,844	301	1,476	3 5 7
1907	" " 12th "	20,190	4,371	13,119	567	6	4,944	233	1,476	2 13 11
1908	" " 19th "	18,217	3,702	11,903	531	6	4,219	191	1,476	2 13 11
	Totals up to date	557,013	1,28,816	8,30,768	16,802	161	1,41,179	266	37,051	3 14 8

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1907—concluded.

1907.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rs. A. P.
1908	First 13 days of July	47,166	11,190	22,815	983	9	12,182	548	2,242	5 6 11
1909	Week ended 20th "	34,007	7,120	12,939	510	6	7,636	343	1,234	6 3 0
1908	" " 27th "	33,909	7,635	10,432	436	8	7,873	369	1,190	6 11 4
1909	" " 3rd August	30,680	5,303	11,891	431	5	6,790	261	1,382	4 6 2
1908	" " 10th "	30,803	4,601	10,333	407	4	4,972	234	1,356	3 9 5
1909	" " 17th "	33,744	5,311	9,175	382	12	6,705	257	1,606	3 8 10
1908	" " 24th "	30,378	4,741	7,903	376	6	5,033	220	1,498	3 5 4
1909	" " 31st "	18,861	3,901	7,784	338	13	4,252	191	1,494	2 13 6
1908	" " 7th Sept.	18,794	4,718	6,505	312	5	4,965	223	1,494	3 5 0
1909	" " 14th "	24,469	5,093	9,936	411	14	5,443	245	1,498	3 10 2
1908	" " 21st "	20,251	4,544	11,241	333	18	4,645	209	1,498	3 1 7
1909	" " 28th "	30,051	4,412	9,316	372	8	4,790	245	1,498	3 3 2
1908	" " 5th October	20,616	5,010	10,294	454	5	5,479	246	1,498	3 10 6
1909	" " 12th "	25,194	5,758	10,510	667	10	6,425	289	1,498	4 4 8
1908	" " 19th "	24,030	5,887	9,961	408	8	6,303	251	1,493	4 3 4
1909	" " 26th "	23,819	5,609	13,578	607	12	6,139	276	1,493	4 1 5
1908	" " 2nd Nov.	23,235	5,303	14,360	564	5	5,832	262	1,493	3 14 5
1909	" " 9th "	23,427	5,977	15,376	629	3	6,609	307	1,498	4 0 7
1908	" " 16th "	27,463	6,798	17,517	837	5	7,684	340	1,498	5 1 5
1909	" " 23rd "	30,561	4,640	12,690	588	23	5,301	233	1,080	4 15 10
1908	" " 30th "	18,555	3,613	6,879	286	16	3,876	179	1,404	4 14 2
1909	" " 7th Dec.	18,702	5,534	8,048	506	11	5,570	261	1,404	3 11 8
1908	" " 14th "	18,976	4,361	11,991	429	6	4,710	212	1,494	3 8 6
1909	" " 21st "	17,665	3,327	14,192	649	6	4,434	203	1,498	2 15 11
	Totals up to date	563,280	1,29,930	2,80,449	11,786	216	1,41,992	267	34,830	4 1 3

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 19th December 1908 on 162.88 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	22,579	17,191 0 0	1,34,248 0	13,790 0 0	41 0 0	31,022 0 0	12,419	3,277	16,806
Or per mile of railway ...	617.676*	5,15,668 0 0*	53,17,106 0†	3,83,539 0 0†	1,054 0 0‡	9,06,296 0 0	283,696§	103,191§	386,886
For previous 22½ weeks of half-year									
Total for 24½ weeks ...	640,255	5,35,873 0 0	54,51,354 0	3,97,349 0 0	1,095 0 0	9,36,317 0 0	296,094	197,198	493,293
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	20,372	19,679 13 0	2,74,617 0	20,608 10 0	80 11 9	40,390 2 9	11,408	5,509	16,961
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	121 3 5	.....	126 14 11	0 7 11	248 10 3	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 24½ weeks of previous year.	743,664	5,75,313 14 5	59,59,729 10	4,56,104 9 11	1,641 1 4	10,33,058 9 8	339,775	116,161	455,936

* Deducted No. of passengers 1,960 and
 † Added Mds. 94,252 and
 ‡ Added
 § Audited figures up to 31st October 1908.

Rs. 2,039 On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 31st October 1908.
 Rs. 6,498
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1908.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.
									Rs. A. P.
1907-08	First 11 days of July ...	40,758	31,392	2,42,517	22,537	78	55,905	244	24,619
1907-08	Week ended 18th ..	21,188	23,691	1,47,807	14,840	85	37,567	231	16,005
1907-08	" " 25th ..	29,531	21,315	2,04,299	13,135	75	34,445	218	16,085
1907-08	" " 1st Aug. ...	27,129	20,103	2,23,909	15,659	27	35,788	220	16,248
1907-08	" " 8th ..	31,133	23,023	2,30,471	17,153	31	39,807	245	16,794
1907-08	" " 15th ..	31,051	23,463	1,73,774	13,108	29	35,692	230	16,681
1907-08	" " 22nd ..	25,944	14,477	1,83,313	12,248	48	30,767	190	15,343
1907-08	" " 29th ..	28,545	18,890	2,47,367	15,760	39	34,689	214	16,318
1907-08	" " 5th Sept. ...	27,370	21,633	1,55,969	12,445	58	34,095	210	16,118
1907-08	" " 12th ..	28,701	19,232	1,54,737	14,929	39	34,179	211	16,918
1907-08	" " 19th ..	30,372	17,580	2,38,048	15,198	30	33,098	204	16,435
1907-08	" " 26th ..	30,910	17,428	2,29,810	16,250	73	33,746	208	16,947
1907-08	" " 3rd Oct. ...	23,645	22,376	2,66,788	18,344	61	40,781	215	16,448
1907-08	" " 10th ..	23,693	18,730	2,16,004	23,775	65	42,678	202	16,413
1907-08	" " 17th ..	24,453	21,800	2,03,371	19,748	78	41,324	225	17,269
1907-08	" " 24th ..	21,414	23,688	2,42,632	18,049	41	40,678	251	16,398
1907-08	" " 31st ..	22,135	20,623	2,38,537	23,101	53	43,776	270	17,073
1907-08	" " 7th Nov. ...	27,450	20,104	2,30,158	18,243	37	47,394	292	17,455
1907-08	" " 14th ..	26,965	27,899	2,15,766	16,919	36	44,846	276	16,926
1907-08	" " 21st ..	29,077	33,457	2,04,381	16,060	37	46,554	306	17,195
1907-08	" " 28th ..	24,743	23,748	1,03,036	15,333	46	39,119	241	16,323
1907-08	" " 5th Dec. ...	24,727	21,055	2,07,342	16,143	54	37,323	229	16,435
1907-08	" " 12th ..	24,700	21,598	1,46,336	14,530	41	36,189	225	16,336
1907-08	" " 19th ..	22,579	17,191	1,34,248	13,790	41	31,022	191	16,906
	Totals up to date ...	640,255	5,35,873	54,51,354	3,97,349	1,095	9,36,317	234	403,293

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1907.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rs. A. P.
1907-08	First 13 days of July ...	63,583	41,071	3,35,390	29,598	85	71,634	441	30,844	2 5 11
1907-08	Week ended 30th ..	32,043	23,680	2,71,408	18,075	47	41,783	247	17,083	2 5 1
1907-08	" " 27th ..	31,359	23,109	2,09,102	16,932	41	39,082	241	16,987	2 6 10
1907-08	" " 3rd August ...	31,445	23,440	1,75,107	13,384	43	39,866	237	16,030	2 6 10
1907-08	" " 10th ..	35,987	22,031	1,01,714	11,942	32	34,005	218	15,995	2 3 3
1907-08	" " 17th ..	24,365	22,593	1,78,175	13,819	34	35,146	216	16,313	2 3 6
1907-08	" " 24th ..	36,023	23,586	1,69,587	12,508	24	35,737	230	15,931	2 3 11
1907-08	" " 31st ..	29,432	20,302	1,80,510	12,868	35	33,365	205	15,610	2 2 6
1907-08	" " 7th Sept. ...	27,937	21,872	1,83,172	14,930	38	35,130	223	15,624	2 7 0
1907-08	" " 14th ..	26,045	20,153	2,02,091	15,122	154	35,420	226	16,726	2 9 4
1907-08	" " 21st ..	26,137	22,499	3,22,377	20,530	77	42,951	265	16,230	2 5 4
1907-08	" " 28th ..	24,851	19,616	2,75,091	18,994	45	38,653	238	16,878	2 6 11
1907-08	" " 5th Oct. ...	24,804	23,750	2,54,674	19,069	64	41,373	210	17,023	2 16 4
1907-08	" " 12th ..	61,413	33,748	2,33,362	19,378	64	53,698	321	16,222	2 4 11
1907-08	" " 19th ..	27,249	22,811	2,26,383	24,337	97	47,745	294	19,039	2 8 1
1907-08	" " 26th ..	31,881	24,569	2,72,387	24,101	49	45,719	300	18,255	2 10 8
1907-08	" " 2nd Nov. ...	27,160	26,054	5,69,903	24,870	61	69,985	349	18,693	2 9 9
1907-08	" " 9th ..	23,186	22,928	3,07,387	27,408	71	50,465	310	17,805	2 13 4
1907-08	" " 16th ..	25,923	27,085	1,94,567	21,849	104	55,018	339	16,948	2 3 11
1907-08	" " 23rd ..	29,807	21,037	1,08,339	9,853	106	30,758	189	11,079	2 23 5
1907-08	" " 30th ..	11,625	15,729	1,79,958	17,102	180	31,080	191	10,617	2 16 9
1907-08	" " 7th Dec. ...	20,171	26,823	2,69,693	16,944	84	43,840	270	17,077	2 8 3
1907-08	" " 14th ..	25,183	20,694	1,92,379	17,425	129	38,248	256	16,681	2 4 8
1907-08	" " 21st ..	26,572	19,680	2,74,617	20,608	81	40,390	249	16,961	2 6 1
	Totals up to date ...	705,664	5,75,313	59,59,729	4,56,104	1,641	10,33,058	266	405,936	2 5 9

* Audited figures.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 12 days of December 1908 on 2,392.38 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the period	601,410	Rs. 6,67,730 0 0	Mds. 1,19,17,711 0	Rs. 18,01,471 0 0	74,800 0 0	25,43,006 0 0	890,603	341,983	622,676
Or per mile of railway	251 4 7	281 4 7	500 12 3	755 12 3	31 10 0	1,109 11 7	...	...	...
For previous 26½ weeks of half-year	11,930,124	1,03,30,921 0 0	16,03,85,378 0 0	2,50,61,112 0 0	7,02,920 0 0	3,62,94,953 0 0	3,901,900	5,194,679	10,190,676
Total for 26½ weeks	12,611,534	1,10,98,650 0 0	18,13,03,089 0 0	2,68,62,583 0 0	7,77,816 0 0	3,88,38,859 0 0	4,272,593	5,540,669	9,813,262
COMPARISONS.									
Total for corresponding 10 days of previous year	574,104	Rs. 6,45,583 0 0	Mds. 1,07,05,473 10	Rs. 15,44,887 0 4	67,153 0 3	22,57,034 13 1	837,727	302,114	639,841
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year	...	282 4 5	...	675 7 11	29 5 10	997 2 2	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 26½ of previous year	12,392,104	1,19,34,326 15 11	16,94,20,414 30	2,57,08,325 0 2	8,32,450 2 4	3,84,75,102 2 5	3,907,635	5,055,789	8,963,424

Added No. of passengers 40,282 and Rs. 82,595 on account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 7th and 14th November 1908.

Do. " Mds. 6,000 and " 5,400 " of extra troop and special trains, etc., not included in previous returns.

Added " " 1,11,271 " of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 7th and 14th November 1908.

Deducted " " 8,27,000 " of rebate on coal.

Do. " " 80,000 " of traffic carried in excess over East Indian Railway route reserved for payment to Foreign Railways.

Added " " 479 " of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 7th and 14th November 1908.

Do. " " 61,950 " of rents of dwelling-houses, shunting charges, etc., not included in previous returns.

Deducted " " 4,00,000 " of hire of vehicles, and hire and demurrage of vehicles creditable to expenditure.

Audited figures up to 14th November 1908.

1908.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No. Rate.
2,392.38	First 11 days of July	506,800	7,04,625	1,08,88,320	16,67,408	55,750	24,27,792	1,053	597,554 4 1 0
2,392.38	Week ended 18th "	514,870	4,37,456	68,40,536	10,04,384	42,342	14,89,162	650	385,907 3 13 9
2,392.38	" " 25th "	500,317	4,45,341	76,08,098	10,44,843	46,403	15,45,632	674	377,627 4 1 6
2,392.38	" " 1st Aug.	447,530	4,13,416	69,17,570	10,02,347	45,072	15,48,435	678	390,887 4 1 1
2,392.38	" " 8th "	507,181	4,35,392	67,89,405	10,63,817	45,012	15,47,901	676	376,096 4 1 10
2,392.38	" " 15th "	549,098	4,35,571	69,40,850	9,92,334	41,222	14,69,127	641	378,559 3 14 1
2,392.38	" " 22nd "	401,402	3,81,030	81,40,450	10,40,807	41,727	14,80,954	643	374,681 3 15 3
2,392.38	" " 29th "	444,837	3,91,500	75,35,936	10,30,206	45,880	14,87,594	640	384,512 3 14 3
2,392.38	" " 5th Sept.	450,180	3,84,177	77,38,152	11,07,784	42,367	15,34,525	669	380,520 4 0 6
2,392.38	" " 12th "	530,581	4,34,080	69,17,452	9,99,004	39,054	14,02,187	638	375,639 3 14 3
2,392.38	" " 19th "	440,167	4,30,090	61,90,063	10,13,908	50,353	15,00,259	651	364,744 4 1 10
2,392.38	" " 26th "	448,824	4,71,378	69,54,953	10,47,908	46,683	15,65,389	693	374,546 4 2 11
2,392.38	" " 3rd Oct.	603,204	4,75,602	65,58,018	10,04,766	46,015	15,26,635	694	397,923 4 2 6
2,392.38	" " 10th "	459,959	4,54,390	64,88,989	9,81,622	36,457	14,01,433	678	368,412 4 1 7
2,392.38	" " 17th "	425,449	4,34,845	74,09,695	11,65,703	34,474	14,09,922	701	379,782 4 3 8
2,392.38	" " 24th "	424,112	3,97,844	64,98,000	10,04,423	44,134	14,40,400	672	374,267 4 1 10
2,392.38	" " 31st "	423,677	4,03,101	61,65,000	10,92,076	44,410	14,78,436	644	360,909 4 0 6
2,392.38	" " 7th Nov.	530,635	4,96,375	69,75,157	10,30,350	37,114	14,18,930	704	369,367 4 0 6
2,392.38	" " 14th "	520,330	5,01,123	67,07,670	10,04,868	52,415	16,59,383	721	356,090 4 9 8
2,392.38	" " 21st "	447,265	4,19,260	63,45,124	10,76,433	45,527	15,41,270	672	373,409 4 2 0
2,392.38	" " 28th "	460,423	4,00,288	63,30,016	10,86,468	44,508	16,30,294	698	374,972 4 1 6
2,392.38	" " 5th Dec.	469,246	4,32,383	64,44,871	10,73,430	40,265	16,06,037	670	375,748 4 1 6
2,392.38	" " 12th "	461,240	4,14,361	66,31,347	10,95,869	43,099	15,53,019	678	375,452 4 2 3
2,392.38	" " 19th "	420,374	4,21,036	63,71,390	10,42,891	43,649	15,07,066	684	372,983 4 0 0
2,392.38	" " 26th "	601,410	6,67,730	1,19,17,711	18,01,471	74,800	25,43,006	1,110	622,676 4 1 6
2,392.38	Suppl. for the half-year	6,000	5,400	.....	-9,07,000	-3,47,000	-12,43,260	-345	.....
Totals up to date		12,611,534	1,10,98,650	18,13,03,089	2,68,62,583	7,77,816	3,88,38,859	645	9,813,262 3 15 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded.

1907.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No. Rate.
2,392.38	First 13 days of July	1,034,009	9,19,173	1,23,50,363	19,17,941	72,089	29,09,188	1,273	653,521 4 7 0
2,392.38	Week ended 20th "	578,165	5,02,815	69,80,747	10,27,517	34,702	16,04,834	686	345,101 4 8 9
2,392.38	" " 27th "	510,084	4,66,040	69,04,830	10,14,350	40,325	15,10,724	661	344,651 4 5 4
2,392.38	" " 3rd Aug.	470,202	4,37,611	64,36,135	10,51,313	44,834	15,23,962	667	341,778 4 7 6
2,392.38	" " 10th "	470,922	4,20,183	66,78,076	8,92,152	36,953	13,49,297	590	345,607 4 4 5
2,392.38	" " 17th "	468,774	4,12,178	60,80,704	8,61,063	40,171	13,13,444	575	341,434 4 2 10
2,392.38	" " 24th "	467,001	4,17,339	56,32,623	8,61,167	52,502	13,50,998	601	337,823 4 0 0
2,392.38	" " 31st "	530,090	3,90,090	62,70,340	9,64,108	46,729	14,20,915	633	346,407 4 0 8
2,392.38	" " 7th Sept.	448,905	4,03,810	63,54,080	9,40,377	44,920	13,88,013	607	352,093 4 2 11
2,392.38	" " 14th "	447,010	3,72,114	60,66,178	10,40,900	40,900	14,27,512	623	348,723 4 1 1
2,392.38	" " 21st "	545,079	479,999	65,06,004	10,08,171	41,219	15,27,719	687	348,723 4 5 11
2,392.38	" " 28th "	507,439	454,899	73,76,708	10,36,832	44,477	15,08,577	644	344,934 4 8 3
2,392.38	" " 5th Oct.	468,905	452,972	62,44,393	10,71,217	34,621	16,20,003	713	335,221 4 9 4
2,392.38	" " 12th "	567,774	519,105	77,76,471	7,76,471	45,945	14,98,171	656	347,050 4 4 11
2,392.38	" " 19th "	461,426	450,673	67,88,186	9,83,981	40,067	16,51,129	724	373,420 4 5 11
2,392.38	" " 26th "	460,362	460,362	73,89,004	11,48,209	41,659	17,24,529	755	373,767 4 9 10
2,392.38	" " 2nd Nov.	460,362	460,362	67,25,612	12,31,079	41,659	17,24,529	755	373,767 4 9 10
2,392.38	" " 9th "	411,335	437,087	67,07,854	10,54,081	41,624	16,33,132	671	368,848 4 3 0
2,392.38	" " 16th "	532,896	570,013	65,60,307	10,54,081	43,614	16,89,271	780	356,548 4 10 11
2,392.38	" " 23rd "	530,436	519,484	38,07,847	5,06,000	44,449	9,31,883	408	173,266 5 6 1
2,392.38	" " 30th "	310,112	369,823	37,17,017	6,68,005	39,760	10,55,313	462	231,410 4 9 0
2,392.38	" " 7th Dec.	431,651	505,398	69,47,328	12,13,960	44,768	17,04,046	772	364,081 4 13 5
2,392.38	" " 14th "	468,904	485,934	67,28,796	11,50,064	54,153	16,00,163	740	377,220 4 7 8
2,392.38	" " 21st "	468,094	462,298	75,04,327	12,11,727	45,705	17,40,720	766	367,201 4 12 3
2,392.38	" " 28th "	674,174	645,584	1,07,75,473	18,44,898	67,153	25,57,625	987	639,841 4 2 11
2,392.38	Suppl. for the half-year	6,109	6,646	-19,31,704	-8,47,344	-3,09,391	-10,56,089	-474	.....
Totals up to date		12,392,104	1,19,34,327	16,94,20,414	2,57,08,325	8,32,450	3,84,75,102	640	8,963,424 4 4 8

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 12 days of December 1908 on 22.21 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. c.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	27,383	6,037 0 0	22,236 0	907 0 0	10 0 0	7,944 0 0	2,193	309	2,502
Or per mile of railway ...	271 13 0	271 13 0	44 14 3	41 14 3	0 7 3	317 2 6	...	...	...
For previous 24 weeks of half-year	558,727	1,37,012 0 0	18,90,847 0	716,237 0 0	3,917 0 0	1,44,606 0 0	55,118	5,973	61,091
Total for 24 weeks ...	586,110	1,38,049 0 0	19,02,983 0	717,234 0 0	3,927 0 0	1,51,710 0 0	57,311	6,282	63,593
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 10 days of previous year ...	25,304	5,718 10 2	18,237 30	652 11 0	4 11 3	6,376 0 5	1,921	215	2,136
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year ...	...	257 4 0	...	29 5 9	0 3 5	296 13 2	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 24 weeks of previous year ...	558,584	1,35,743 11 4	18,18,376 0	712,084 12 0	3,920 13 3	1,49,349 5 0	55,801	6,165	61,966

* Added No. of passengers 1,714 and deducted

† Do. Mds. 59,883 and

‡ Do. ...

§ Audited figures up to 14th November 1908.

Rs. 1,901 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 7th and 14th November 1908.

659 } On account of rents of dwelling-houses, &c., not included in previous returns.

1908.

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Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rs. A. P.
1907	First 11 days of July	49,033	11,691	27,434	993	11	12,395	554	2,420	5 1 3
1907	Week ended 18th "	51,834	11,104	24,764	798	11	7,911	353	1,401	5 4 7
1907	" " 25th "	50,777	4,527	30,025	396	9	4,911	222	1,401	5 4 9
1907	" " 1st Aug.	19,748	4,492	14,060	358	3	4,843	218	1,496	5 10
1907	" " 8th "	21,598	5,734	54,750	316	4	6,058	274	1,494	4 0 10
1907	" " 15th "	23,838	5,600	44,492	314	16	5,930	247	1,432	4 1 4
1907	" " 22nd "	16,105	3,739	6,249	269	9	4,007	180	1,494	2 10 11
1907	" " 29th "	17,754	3,524	9,701	278	4	4,106	185	1,701	2 6 7
1907	" " 5th Sept.	18,600	4,855	46,891	532	5	5,412	241	1,678	3 3 7
1907	" " 12th "	21,717	4,616	41,750	477	8	5,101	230	1,522	3 5 8
1907	" " 19th "	19,836	4,013	1,48,253	1,114	4	5,133	231	1,496	3 6 11
1907	" " 26th "	20,298	4,480	48,487	710	4	6,194	234	1,434	5 7 7
1907	" " 3rd Oct.	23,012	6,333	15,765	602	6	6,941	313	1,474	4 10 4
1907	" " 10th "	23,186	5,130	1,19,308	1,112	12	6,254	292	1,498	4 2 10
1907	" " 17th "	21,706	4,611	36,971	870	2	5,439	247	1,493	3 10 6
1907	" " 24th "	21,278	5,013	21,097	944	6	5,961	268	1,494	3 15 10
1907	" " 31st "	21,981	5,051	23,934	786	19	5,827	264	1,474	3 14 5
1907	" " 7th Nov.	24,453	7,153	98,155	831	9	8,093	364	1,494	5 6 8
1907	" " 14th "	29,062	6,039	36,155	1,214	7	7,990	323	1,494	6 18 9
1907	" " 21st "	21,087	4,715	25,435	982	5	5,702	257	1,476	3 18 10
1907	" " 28th "	21,877	4,744	21,639	981	7	5,679	256	1,476	3 13 7
1907	" " 5th Dec.	20,734	6,095	14,295	593	6	6,684	301	1,476	4 5 5
1907	" " 12th "	20,190	4,371	13,119	567	6	4,944	221	1,476	3 5 7
1907	" " 19th "	19,217	3,702	11,603	531	6	4,233	191	1,476	2 13 11
1907	" " 26th "	18,217	3,702	11,603	531	6	4,233	191	1,476	2 13 11
1907	Suppl. for the half-year	87,349	6,037	22,333	997	10	7,044	317	2,463	2 13 9
1907	Totals up to date	586,116	1,38,049	19,02,983	717,234	327	1,51,710	260	59,563	3 13 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded

1907.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rs. A. P.
1908	First 13 days of July	47,106	11,190	22,815	993	0	12,192	518	2,312	5 6 11
1908	Week ended 20th "	54,007	7,120	12,339	510	6	7,680	348	1,314	6 3 0
1908	" " 27th "	33,301	7,535	10,432	426	8	7,979	359	1,190	6 11 0
1908	" " 3rd Aug.	30,637	6,333	11,891	481	5	5,780	261	1,322	4 6 2
1908	" " 10th "	20,503	4,591	10,233	407	4	4,972	225	1,580	3 9 5
1908	" " 17th "	23,745	5,311	8,175	362	13	5,703	287	1,408	3 8 7
1908	" " 24th "	20,275	4,741	7,093	270	4	5,023	204	1,498	5 5 8
1908	" " 31st "	18,601	3,901	7,784	338	13	4,352	191	1,494	2 13 6
1908	" " 7th Sept.	14,794	4,718	6,598	242	5	4,965	223	1,408	3 5 0
1908	" " 14th "	24,494	5,023	9,595	411	14	5,488	245	1,408	3 10 2
1908	" " 21st "	20,351	4,864	11,241	393	13	4,943	209	1,498	3 1 7
1908	" " 28th "	20,061	4,412	9,315	372	11	4,793	215	1,408	3 3 2
1908	" " 5th Oct.	20,616	5,010	10,884	404	5	5,479	245	1,408	3 10 6
1908	" " 12th "	22,194	5,738	16,310	657	10	6,425	239	1,408	4 4 3
1908	" " 19th "	20,036	5,837	9,991	498	8	6,333	294	1,408	4 3 4
1908	" " 26th "	23,829	5,503	18,578	607	12	6,122	262	1,408	4 1 5
1908	" " 2nd Nov.	23,225	5,363	14,316	564	5	5,932	262	1,408	3 14 2
1908	" " 9th "	23,427	5,977	16,370	629	3	6,609	207	1,408	4 6 7
1908	" " 16th "	27,463	6,793	17,517	637	5	7,434	340	1,408	5 1 5
1908	" " 23rd "	20,861	4,449	12,056	528	23	5,391	243	1,408	4 15 10
1908	" " 30th "	18,555	3,673	6,873	388	16	3,976	179	814	4 14 2
1908	" " 7th Dec.	18,702	5,054	8,543	505	11	5,570	251	1,404	3 11 8
1908	" " 14th "	18,978	4,281	11,991	430	5	4,715	213	1,404	5 2 6
1908	" " 21st "	17,385	3,837	14,192	620	8	4,464	208	1,408	2 15 11
1908	Suppl. for the half-year	86,304	5,718	12,339	653	5	6,376	267	2,136	2 15 9
1908	Totals up to date	588,584	1,35,743	18,18,377	712,084	921	1,49,349	256	36,966	4 0 8

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 12 days of December 1908 on 162.36 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coachings receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the period	38,230	Rs. 33,761 0 0	Mds. 4,18,603 0	Rs. 26,409 0 0	70 0 0	60,300 0 0	21,452	6,824	28,276
Or per mile of railway	207 15 0	207 15 0	183 0 5	183 0 5	0 6 11	371 0 4	...	...	...
For previous 24 weeks of half-year.	630,845	5,34,915 0 0	50,37,925 0 0	8,85,033 0 0	6,153 0 0	9,26,134 0 0	296,705	100,560	407,265
Total for 24 weeks	669,075	5,68,704 0 0	54,56,823 0 0	4,11,507 0 0	6,223 0 0	9,86,434 0 0	317,917	113,374	431,291
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding 10 days of previous year	31,370	25,525 10 1	3,02,276 10	26,407 13 0	119 3 9	52,052 10 10	17,143	7,390	24,533
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year	...	157 3 5	...	182 10 5	0 11 9	320 9 7	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 24 weeks of previous year	797,730	6,00,191 12 2	54,54,848 20	4,44,404 14 11	5,958 8 1	10,09,553 3 2	307,918	123,531	431,449

Deducted No. of passengers 2,410 and Rs. 4,530 on account of difference between the Approximate and Audited figures for the weeks ended 7th and 14th November 1908.

Added " " 2,000 " " 3,000 on account of extra troop and special trains, &c., not included in previous returns.

Mds. " 1,00,571 " " 7,089 on account of difference between the Approximate and Audited figures for the weeks ended 7th and 14th November 1908.

Deducted " 5,14,000 " " 23,000 on account of revenue coal and stores for the half-year.

Added " " 5 " " 5 " on account of difference between the Approximate and Audited figures for the weeks ended 7th and 14th November 1908.

Do " " 2,000 " " 2,000 on account of rents of dwelling-houses, &c., not included in previous returns.

Audited figures up to 14th November 1908.

1908.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
*1907-08	First 11 days of July	40,784	33,292	3,42,317	22,637	76	55,905	344	25,619	2 3 11
*1907-08	Week ended 18th "	31,184	22,691	2,47,607	13,840	56	37,667	251	16,095	2 5 7
*1907-08	" " 26th "	29,551	21,315	2,04,209	13,135	56	34,455	212	16,095	2 2 4
*1907-08	" " 1st August	27,129	20,102	2,28,809	15,619	27	35,788	220	16,248	2 3 3
*1907-08	" " 8th "	31,153	22,053	2,30,471	17,153	31	39,807	245	16,764	2 5 4
*1907-08	" " 16th "	31,051	22,452	1,73,774	13,109	32	35,672	230	16,581	2 4 8
*1907-08	" " 22nd "	33,644	18,477	1,69,313	12,245	42	32,707	190	15,343	2 0 1
*1907-08	" " 29th "	26,843	18,840	2,47,267	15,740	39	34,689	211	16,219	2 2 3
*1907-08	" " 5th Sept.	27,370	21,032	1,66,009	12,405	58	34,005	210	16,118	2 1 10
*1907-08	" " 12th "	24,701	19,221	1,04,727	14,020	29	34,179	211	15,918	2 2 4
*1907-08	" " 19th "	20,571	17,380	2,36,042	15,188	30	33,048	204	14,435	2 0 3
*1907-08	" " 26th "	20,910	17,423	2,34,410	14,550	73	33,746	208	15,947	2 1 10
*1907-08	" " 3rd Oct.	23,945	22,374	2,60,758	18,341	61	40,781	241	16,442	2 6 9
*1907-08	" " 10th "	23,699	18,786	3,16,004	23,775	65	42,576	262	16,315	2 9 6
*1907-08	" " 17th "	24,453	21,500	3,02,571	19,749	76	41,324	255	17,309	2 6 3
*1907-08	" " 24th "	21,424	22,548	2,42,632	18,049	41	40,678	251	16,398	2 7 8
*1907-08	" " 31st "	22,186	20,623	3,28,527	23,101	52	43,776	270	17,073	2 9 0
*1907-08	" " 7th Nov.	25,905	25,411	2,80,688	23,505	56	48,072	300	18,781	2 14 5
*1907-08	" " 14th "	25,199	26,652	2,45,467	20,046	75	46,773	298	17,252	2 11 5
*1907-08	" " 21st "	24,077	23,457	2,01,381	16,080	37	40,584	305	17,195	2 14 1
*1907-08	" " 28th "	24,743	23,744	1,94,351	15,325	46	39,119	241	16,332	2 6 7
*1907-08	" " 5th Dec.	21,737	21,055	2,07,382	16,143	54	37,252	229	16,425	2 4 3
*1907-08	" " 12th "	24,700	21,598	1,48,336	14,550	41	36,185	223	16,336	2 3 5
*1907-08	" " 19th "	22,579	17,191	1,31,248	18,790	41	31,022	191	16,596	1 14 3
*1907-08	" " 26th "	34,230	33,761	4,18,603	20,461	70	60,300	371	28,276	2 3 1
*1907-08	Suppl. for the half-year	2,000	3,600	5,14,000	20,000	5,000	11,400	70	28,276	2 3 1
	Totals up to date	678,075	5,68,704	54,56,823	4,11,507	6,223	9,86,434	251	431,101	2 4 7

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded.

1907.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
*1907-08	First 13 days of July	63,583	41,971	3,35,389	20,568	85	71,624	441	39,244	2 5 11
*1907-08	Week ended 20th "	32,043	23,660	2,71,498	18,075	47	41,782	257	17,623	2 5 11
*1907-08	" " 27th "	31,359	23,109	2,08,109	16,932	41	39,082	241	16,997	2 4 10
*1907-08	" " 3rd August	31,445	22,440	1,76,107	13,384	42	36,866	237	16,030	2 4 10
*1907-08	" " 10th "	32,087	22,031	1,61,714	11,942	32	34,005	213	15,945	2 2 8
*1907-08	" " 17th "	34,355	23,803	1,78,175	12,219	34	35,140	216	16,313	2 2 6
*1907-08	" " 24th "	35,032	23,325	1,68,587	12,508	34	35,757	230	15,731	2 3 11
*1907-08	" " 31st "	39,482	20,042	1,66,810	12,359	35	33,355	205	16,019	2 3 2
*1907-08	" " 7th Sept.	27,957	21,272	1,93,177	14,830	24	30,130	223	14,624	2 7 0
*1907-08	" " 14th "	20,463	20,463	2,02,091	15,122	154	35,439	218	13,756	2 9 4
*1907-08	" " 21st "	26,187	22,438	3,22,377	20,530	77	42,081	253	18,340	2 5 4
*1907-08	" " 28th "	23,851	19,610	2,76,911	18,992	40	34,063	239	15,476	2 6 11
*1907-08	" " 5th Oct.	21,854	22,760	2,91,074	19,069	54	31,873	219	17,053	2 14 4
*1907-08	" " 12th "	21,418	23,746	2,35,332	19,775	64	35,084	241	16,242	2 4 11
*1907-08	" " 19th "	27,249	22,411	3,20,343	24,357	97	47,743	271	19,030	2 8 1
*1907-08	" " 26th "	31,821	24,609	2,7,387	24,101	49	45,719	300	18,255	2 10 8
*1907-08	" " 2nd Nov.	27,183	25,054	6,69,003	34,870	61	60,085	300	19,693	2 10 8
*1907-08	" " 9th "	23,180	22,026	3,97,287	27,408	71	50,403	310	17,505	2 13 4
*1907-08	" " 16th "	33,063	27,365	1,64,667	14,553	104	55,013	330	16,943	2 3 11
*1907-08	" " 23rd "	30,403	31,057	1,94,529	17,102	189	51,080	189	11,079	2 12 3
*1907-08	" " 30th "	11,635	18,780	1,70,352	14,444	84	43,050	191	10,617	2 14 0
*1907-08	" " 7th Dec.	30,171	20,422	2,62,693	17,425	129	39,248	270	17,470	2 8 2
*1907-08	" " 14th "	26,123	20,694	1,92,379	14,444	81	40,360	249	16,661	2 4 8
*1907-08	" " 21st "	20,572	17,080	1,74,417	20,683	140	32,063	221	16,901	2 6 1
*1907-08	Suppl. for the half-year	21,370	21,370	3,32,376	26,408	140	52,063	321	24,583	2 1 11
	Totals up to date	797,730	6,00,192	54,54,848	4,44,405	5,958	10,09,553	258	430,469	2 8 10

* Audited figures.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the last 12 days of December 1908 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the last 12 days	63,500	Rs. 65,500 0 0	Mds. 7,35,000 0	Rs. 70,500 0 0	Rs. 7,500 0 0	Rs. 1,49,500 0 0	23,328	37,803	60,731
Or per mile of railway	121.74	85.29	940.34	90.22	9.73	194.34	30.24	48.64	78.88
For previous 26 weeks of half-year	1,367,043	8,27,420 0 0	80,38,404 0	12,31,869 0 0	1,37,170 0 0	21,96,469 0 0	359,107	490,631	855,968
Total for 26 weeks	1,480,542	8,92,920 0 0	87,63,404 0	13,08,369 0 0	1,44,670 0 0	23,45,950 0 0	362,335	534,384	916,719
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 10 days of previous year	73,412	Rs. 56,780 0 0	Mds. 4,35,232 0	Rs. 48,088 0 0	Rs. 10,232 0 0	Rs. 1,15,100 0 0	26,703	20,777	53,477
For previous 26 weeks of half-year	95.59	73.93	584.50	62.37	13.27	149.67	34.77	34.73	69.50
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,451,467	8,78,989 0 0	95,90,835 0	15,02,303 0 0	1,02,680 0 0	25,43,973 0 0	372,677	535,510	908,217

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

RECEIPTS FOR THE LAST 12 DAYS OF DECEMBER 1908.			RECEIPTS FOR THE LAST 10 DAYS OF DECEMBER 1907.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1st APRIL 1908 TO 31st DECEMBER 1908.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1st APRIL 1907 TO 31st DECEMBER 1907.			Total increase in 1908.	Total decrease in 1908.
Mean-mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean-mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean-mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean-mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
771	Rs. 1,40,800	Rs. 194.34	771	Rs. 1,15,100	Rs. 149.37	771	Rs. 34,50,815	...	771	Rs. 36,50,438	...	...	Rs. 2,03,623

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for last 12 days of December 1908 on 1,791 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the period (12 days) on 1,791 miles open	434,960	Rs. 2,11,070	Mds. 18,64,080	Rs. 3,81,030	Rs. 41,500	Rs. 5,30,600	98,187	63,883	162,060
Or per mile of railway	242.86	117.83	1,040.80	156.91	23.02	299.78	...	...	...
For previous 26 weeks of half-year	7,832,204	32,36,324	2,21,74,819	28,84,162	5,43,969	60,63,465	1,471,070	1,017,769	2,488,779
Total for the half-year	8,267,164	34,47,294	2,40,38,889	31,05,212	5,87,750	73,00,365	1,569,237	1,101,592	2,670,829
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period (10 days) of previous year	352,253	Rs. 1,80,347	Mds. 20,43,240	Rs. 2,40,834	Rs. 50,420	Rs. 4,80,101	78,813	77,349	156,162
For previous 26 weeks of half-year	198.12	101.43	1,140.18	137.17	33.42	270.02	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	7,714,635	32,97,324	2,62,03,000	34,11,405	5,63,666	72,72,385	1,454,064	1,143,445	2,597,509
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week		2.15		3.35	.25	2.95			
Idto for corresponding week of previous year		2.29		3.11	.28	3.08			

(a) Increase chiefly under local and foreign outward.

(b) Decrease in weight with increase in amount due to long lead traffic under foreign inward and outward.

(c) Decrease principally under sundries.

(d) Twelve days earnings this year against ten days last year.

(e) Includes 3,578 miles of ballast trains.

(f) Includes audited figures up to week ending 21st November 1908.

(g) Includes 12,946 miles of ballast trains.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY.

(ORIGINAL LINE).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the 1st 9 days of January 1909, on 36 1/4 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipt.	Weight carried.	Receipt.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for 9 days ...	7,744	Rs. 2,277 0 0	Mds. 41,546 0	Rs. 7,606 0 0	Rs. 389 0 0	Rs. 10,272 0 0	607	673	1,280
Or per mile of railway ...	213	63 0 0	1,141 0	209 0 0	(a) ...	(a) 273 0 0	...	...	...
For previous nil weeks of half-year ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for the period ...	7,744	2,277 0 0	41,546 0	7,606 0 0	389 0 0	10,272 0 0	607	673	1,280
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 11 days of previous year ...	8,072	2,732 0 0	46,498 0	7,717 0 0	639 0 0	11,088 0 0	856	729	1,584
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	223	75 0 0	3,277 0	213 0 0	1 0 0	288 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	8,072	2,732 0 0	46,498 0	7,717 0 0	639 0 0	11,088 0 0	856	729	1,584

(a) Excludes Ferry earnings, Rs. 379.

BENGAL DOOARS RAILWAY.

(EXTENSION LINE).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the 1st 9 days of January 1909, on 117 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipt.	Weight carried.	Receipt.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for 9 days ...	11,466	Rs. 4,585 0 0	Mds. 78,014 0	Rs. 9,926 0 0	Rs. 84 0 0	Rs. 14,545 0 0	1,952	2,534	4,486
Or per mile of railway ...	98	39 0 0	667 0	84 0 0	1 0 0	124 0 0	...	...	...
For previous nil weeks of half-year ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for the period ...	11,466	4,585 0 0	78,014 0	9,926 0 0	84 0 0	14,545 0 0	1,952	2,534	4,486
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 11 days of previous year ...	13,210	5,876 0 0	81,098 0	12,374 0 0	188 0 0	18,438 0 0	1,923	2,514	4,442
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	113	50 0 0	693 0	106 0 0	2 0 0	158 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	13,210	5,876 0 0	81,098 0	12,374 0 0	188 0 0	18,438 0 0	1,923	2,514	4,442

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the first 9 days of January 1909	Coaching	6,339	0	0	{	14,253	0	0
	Goods	7,101	0	0				
	Other earnings	63	0	0				
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1908	Coaching	8,732	0	0	{	17,219	0	0
	Goods	8,419	0	0				
	Other earnings	68	0	0				
	Decrease					2,966	0	0
Receipts per mile for the first 9 days of January 1909						279	7	6
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908						337	10	0
	Decrease					68	2	6
Receipts from 1st January to 9th January 1909						14,253	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908						17,219	0	0
	Decrease					2,966	0	0

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WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 25th January 1909.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	9½	9	Slight rain during the week. Some good done by it. Threshing of winter paddy going on. Prospects of sugarcane improving a little. No scarcity apprehended. Stocks of food-grains sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	0·63	9	·9	Rainfall at Rampur Hât 0·34 inch. Weather seasonable. Threshing of paddy going on. Common rice selling at 8½ seers a rupee at Rampur Hât. Condition of sugarcane and rabi crops not good. Fodder and water sufficient. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of scarcity. No cattle disease.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	9½	·9½	Weather seasonable. Condition of rabi crops good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MDNAPORE ..	Nil	10½	10	Weather seasonable. Threshing of winter rice going on. Transplantation of summer rice continuing in the Ghatal subdivision. Planting of sugarcane commenced in the Contai subdivision: Its prospects good except in the Contai and Sadar subdivisions. Prospects of rapeseed and mustard fair except in the Sadar subdivision and that of linseed good in the Sadar subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from Jhargaoon, Khargpore, Naraingarh and Kestari. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 11 seers per rupee at Contai, 8 seers at Tamluk and at 10 seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	8½	9	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Sugarcane, potatoes and rabi crops doing well. Harvesting of winter paddy nearly finished. Prices of food-grains stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing fairly well. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. No cattle-disease reported.
7	24-PARGANAS	Nil	9½	9	Weather seasonable. Common rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 9½ seers at Diamond Harbour and at 8 seers at Barrackpore. Report from Basirhat not received.
8	NADIA ...	0·30	9	9	Rainfall at Meherpur 0·53 inch, Chuadanga 0·59 inch, Kushtia 0·63 inch and at Ranaghat nil. Rain done good to standing crops. Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of arhar and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Ploughing of lands commenced. Price of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food grains barely sufficient. Cattle-pox reported from thana Tehatta. Fodder and water sufficient.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in sacs, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
9	MURSHIDABAD	Inches. 0.25	9	9	Rainfall at Jangipur 0.35, Lalbagh 0.24, and at Kandi 0.57 inch. Weather cloudy. Harvesting of <i>aman</i> paddy still continuing in Lalbagh and Kandi. Out-turn fair. <i>Rabi</i> and other standing crops—especially wheat and barley—benefited by the recent rain. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JESROUR	Nil	9½	9½	Rainfall at Jhonidah 0.23 inch and at Magura 0.12 inch. Weather cloudy. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Condition of standing crops poor. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good.
11	KHULNA	Nil	9½	9½	Rainfall at Bagerhat <i>nil</i> and at Satkhira 0.03 inch. Weather foggy and cloudy. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Harvesting of winter rice continuing. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops not very favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA	0.10	{ 8½ 15½ }	{ 8½ 14½ }	Weather cool and cloudy. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops improved to some extent by recent rain. More rain still wanted. Sugarcane pressing still continuing. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water available. No cattle-disease.
13	GAYA	0.75	{ 9½ 13½ }	{ 9½ 13½ }	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of sugarcane continuing. Harvesting of paddy nearly finished. Rainfall during the week almost general and beneficial to the <i>rabi</i> crops. Prices stationary. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Cattle-disease in a few villages in Wazirganj.
14	SHAHABAD	0.02	{ 9 13 }	{ 9 13 }	Rainfall at Buxar 0.03, Bhabua 0.21, Sasaram 0.53 and Dehri 0.55 inch. Standing <i>rabi</i> crops much benefited by the recent rain. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing well. Pressing of sugarcane in progress. Poppy doing well. Some more rain wanted. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks below the normal. Agricultural stock in normal condition. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from one thana.
15	SARAN	Nil	{ 10 15 }	{ 10 14½ }	Rainfall at Siwan 0.13 and Gopalganj 0.26 inch. Weather seasonable. More rain wanted for <i>rabi</i> crops. Pressing of sugarcane going on. Fields being prepared for sugarcane-planting. Poppy being weeded. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Food-stock resources external. Agricultural stock in good condition. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in sacs per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, &c.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	0·01	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Rainfall at Bettiah 0·13 inch. Weather less cold than usual for the time of the year. Threshing of paddy approaching completion. More rain wanted. Harvesting of sugarcane going on. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water yet sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9 \\ 14\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 14 \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Rabi crops suffering for want of moisture. Common rice selling at 9 and 14½ seers a rupee respectively at Hajipur and 8½ and 13½ seers a rupee respectively at Sitamarhi. Cattle-disease reported from three villages in the Pupri thana and from one village in the Sadar thana. Fodder and water sufficient at present but sources of water-supply running short in many parts of the district.
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	No rain during the week. Weather cloudy at times. Prospects of rabi crops continuing bad for want of rain. Food-stocks sufficient. Cattle-disease reported in one village in the Banipatta thana and in two villages in the Roserha thana. Number of persons on test-works on the 23rd instant—Men 13,185, women 14,276 and children 917—total 28,378. Number on gratuitous relief—men 196, women 382 and children 448—total 1,026.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 13 \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 13 \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable and occasionally cloudy. Rain badly wanted for the standing rabi crops. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Cattle-disease reported from Khaguria thana. Scarcity of water and fodder apprehended in the Jamui subdivision.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Threshing of paddy finished. Present condition and prospects of rabi crops bad for want of rain. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. No immediate apprehension of famine, but the situation continuing critical. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Condition of agricultural stock good. Rain urgently wanted for the standing rabi crops. 12 men, 37 women and 9 children relieved gratuitously in the Supaul subdivision, and 131 men, 343 women and 338 children in the Madhipura subdivision. 161 men, 113 women and 15 children on works in the Supaul subdivision, and 123 men, 111 women and 48 children in the Madhipura subdivision.
21	PURNA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 11 \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7 \\ 12 \end{array} \right.$	Weather cold and cloudy with occasional west winds and sunshine. Harvesting of mustard going on. Prospects of rabi crops generally bad. Fields being ploughed for bhadoi crops. Stocks of food-grains sufficient on account of imports. Condition of poor agriculturists and labourers affected in several thanas on account of distress. Steps being taken to relieve distress. Cattle-disease reported from Forbesganj thana. Fodder and water reported to be insufficient in many localities. Common rice selling at 7½ seers a rupee at Araria and Kishanganj.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	DARJEELING ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7 \\ 13^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7 \\ 13^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Hills—Barley and wheat growing. Oilseeds being harvested. Terai—Harvesting of winter rice still going on in some places. Pressing of sugarcane in progress. Prospects fair. Prices stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient.
23	SOUTHAL PARAGANAS.	0.68	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 11^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 11^* \end{array} \right.$	Rainfall at Deoghur 1.00 inch, Godda 0.53 inch, Jamtara 0.73 inch, Pakour 0.34 inch and at Rajmahal 0.19 inch. <i>Rabi</i> crops much benefited by the recent rain. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water not sufficient in the Godda, Pakour and Rajmahal subdivisions.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10½	10½	<i>Saradh</i> paddy, <i>arhar</i> , <i>birhi</i> and <i>kulthi</i> being harvested. Cotton being transplanted. Tobacco growing. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Threshing of <i>saradh</i> paddy, pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. <i>Dalua</i> paddy and vegetables doing well. Food-stocks sufficient. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 13 seers a rupee, at Bhadrak, 31 men, 189 women and 288 children—total 508—receiving gratuitous relief in Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	15	14	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops nearly finished; that of oilseeds in progress. Pressing of sugarcane continuing. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 12 seers a rupee in the Khondmals. Fodder and water available. Cattle-disease reported from the Khondmals.
27	PURI ...	Nil	9½	9½	<i>Dalua</i> paddy and <i>kulthi</i> promising well. Cattle-disease reported from Balipatna Chakla. Common rice selling at 10½ seers per rupee at Khurda. 8 men, 104 women and 2 children—total 114 receiving gratuitous relief. 41 men, 116 women and 239 children—Total 396—attending kitchens.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	Nil	12	12	Threshing of winter rice and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Fields being ploughed for the next harvest. Condition of standing crops—sugarcane and vegetables good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water-supply sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Rinderpest in Bargarh Tahsil. Common rice selling at 13½ seers a rupee at Bargarh.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
29	HAZARIBAGH...	2 27	{ 8½ 12*	{ 8½ 12*	Weather cloudy but clearing up. Standing crops benefited by rain. Pressing of sugarcane continuing. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas.
30	RANCHI ...	0·85	9	9	Weather cloudy. Ploughing continuing. Standing crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from seven thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	1 37	9	9	Weather cloudy. Rainfall beneficial to standing crops. Fields being prepared for sugarcane. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water available. Some cattle-disease.
32	MANRHUM ...	0·16	11.	11	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Tobacco being reaped. Sugarcane-pressing commenced. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Nirsha. Condition of agricultural stock good. Prices of staple food-grains gradually going down. Common rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	Nil	9	9½	Weather seasonable. Cutting and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 10 and 12 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy finished. The outturn estimated at 6 annas. Prospects and condition of standing crops fair. Price of staple food-grains stationary. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water sufficient.
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.†	Weather generally cold in all the States. <i>Sun-mug</i> being sown in Athgarh. Pressing of sugarcane in progress in Sonpur, Bal Lahora, Khandpara, Daspalla, Dhenkanal, Keonjhar, Baramba, Ranpur, Bonai, Kalahandi, Boad, Patna and Nayagarh. Prospects of standing crops good in Daspalla, Boad and Gangpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 9 seers in Keonjhar and 11 seers in Mayurbhanj to 16½ seers in Boad and 18 seers in Patna.

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† The report is for the week ending the 16th January 1909.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—Some rain fell in the Presidency, Patna and Chota Nagpur Divisions and also in Birbhum, Saran, Ohamparan and the Sonthal Parganas. The standing *rabi* crops have been benefited and prospects have improved in these districts. But the crops are still suffering for want of moisture in North Bihar and in Jessore and Khulna. Early oilseeds and pulses are being harvested in Nadia, Darjeeling, Purnea, Cuttaok, Balasore and Angul. Sugarcane pressing is in progress in Bihar, Orissa and Chota Nagpur. Preparation of lands for the next season's crops is going on in Nadia, Saran, Purnea, Sambalpur, Ranchi and Palamau. Famine has been declared in portions of the Darbhanga district. The price of common rice has risen in Hooghly and Singhbhum and has fallen in Burdwan, Bankura, Midnapore, the 24-Parganas, Gaya, Muzaffarpur, Purnea, Angul and Hazaribagh. Cattle-disease is reported from Midnapore, Nadia, Gaya, Shahabad, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Purnea, Angul, Sambalpur and from Chota Nagpur, Singhbhum excepted. Fodder is insufficient in parts of Monghyr, Purnea and the Sonthal Parganas. The water-supply is running short in parts of Muzaffarpur, Monghyr, Purnea and the Sonthal Parganas. The number of persons on test-works in Darbhanga and Bhagalpur was 28,949. Gratuitous relief was given to 1,886 persons in Darbhanga and Bhagalpur and to 1,018 persons in Balasore and Puri.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 26th January 1909.

W. R. GOURLAY,
Offy. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

		QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN																		
DIVISION.	Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			COMMON RICE.						JOWAR OR CHOLU (<i>Andropogon forghum</i>).			BAJRA OR CUMBU. (<i>Pennisetum typhoid- esum</i>).		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Average.			Cheapest.			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
									Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.						
BENGAL.			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BUREWAN DIVISION.	1	Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	7 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Birbhum	7 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	7 8	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Bankura	7 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	9 0	8 4	7 4	9 8	8 12	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4	Midnapore	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5	Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	6 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	6 12	8 0	8 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7	24 Parganas	7 4	7 8	8 12	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	6 12	8 8	9 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Calcutta	7 0	7 0	6 8	11 0	11 0	8 0	6 12	6 12	5 14	9 0	9 0	7 10	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	6 10
	9	Nadia	6 7	6 7	10 0	10 12	...	13 5	7 0	...	6 10	8 0	9 0	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	10	Murshidabad	7 8	7 12	8 12	12 0	12 0	11 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	9 0	8 12	7 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11	Jessore	6 8	6 6	6 8	7 4	7 8	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	9 6	9 2	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	12	Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
BIHAR.																				
PATNA DIVISION.	13	Patna	8 8	8 8	8 0	16 0	15 4	11 0	8 12	8 8	7 8	9 8	9 8	7 12	Not sold	9 0	...	...	...	...
	14	Gaya	7 8	7 12	6 10	14 0	13 0	8 0	8 8	8 12	6 12	9 8	9 0	7 2	13 8	14 0	8 0	...	...	...
	15	Shahabad	8 0	8 8	6 12	14 0	13 0	Not sold.	8 0	7 8	7 6	9 0	8 12	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	16	Saran	9 0	9 0	7 0	16 0	13 0	10 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	10 0	9 2	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	17	Champaran	8 0	7 12	7 0	15 0	14 0	12 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	9 8	9 8	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	18	Munshipur	8 0	9 0	6 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Darbhanga	8 12	8 8	6 9	16 6	14 4	11 0	7 0	5 8	8 4	8 0	7 2	8 13	...	...	...	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 22 seers Asansol 21 seers; Kalna 22½ seers; Raniganj 21 seers.

B. At Rampur Hat the retail price of salt is 21½ seers per rupee.

C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 22 seers per rupee (karkatch).

D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contal 20 seers; Tamluk 20 seers; Ghatal 22½ seers.

E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 20 seers; Arambagh 16 seers.

F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 20 seers per rupee (panga).

G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 22½ seers (karkatch); Barasat 16 seers; Naduria 21½ seers; Mograhat report not received; Baraackpore 16 seers.

H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 20 seers (panga); Chudanga 16 seers (karkatch); Meherpur 20 seers (karkatch); Nanaghat 17 seers (crushed).

Station Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 15th January 1909.

PEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

WHOLESALE PRICES
PER MAUND OF FORTY
SEERS.

MARUA OR RAGI (Eleusine Corocana)			KANOHI OR KARUN (Italian Millet (Setaria italica).			GRAM, UHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNA (Cicer arietinum).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (Zea mays).			ARHAR (dal) OR TEHUR, CADJAN PEA (Cajanus indicus)			SALT.			SALT.			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 14	21 0	20 0	20 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1
...	7 8	7 8	6 0	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	6 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 6	2 0 0	2
...	8 8	8 0	8 4	...	...	...	7 8	7 0	6 10	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 14 0	3
...	7 0	7 8	6 0	...	...	...	6 0	6 8	6 0	D Bombay A 19 0	19 0	...	1 14 0	1 14 0	...	4
...	8 0	8 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	
...	7 0	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 0	E 10 0	20 0	17 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 3 0	5
...	8 8	8 8	8 12	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	F 16 0	16 0	6 0	1 14 0	1 14 6	2 0 0	6
...	8 0	8 8	8 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 8	G 21 0	24 0	25 0	1 9 0	1 9 6	1 9 6	7
...	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	11 0	11 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 14	18 0	18 0	19 0	1 15 0	1 15 0	1 10 0	8
...	8 0	9 12	10 0	...	...	...	6 7	8 0	Not sold.	H 16 0	13 0	...	1 13 0	2 8 0	1 12 0	9
...	8 8	9 8	10 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 0	7 0	I 21 0	21 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 6	2 0 0	10
...	8 0	8 0	10 0	...	...	...	11 8	10 0	10 8	J 21 0	21 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 6	2 0 0	11
...	8 0	8 0	7 8	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 8	K 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 6 0	12
...	Not sold.	9 8	12 0	10 12	10 0	9 8	11 8	15 4	9 8	8 8	8 4	8 0	L 19 0	19 0	18 4	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	13
...	...	18 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	10 0	9 8	8 0	13 0	13 8	8 4	7 8	7 8	6 8	M 20 0	0 0	19 6	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 0	14
...	9 0	10 0	8 8	13 0	14 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	N 20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	15
...	13 0	...	...	13 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 12	14 12	15 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	7 8	O 21 0	20 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 15 0	16
5 0	15 7	12 0	10 0	9 12	10 9	15 0	11 8	9 8	8 0	7 12	6 0	P 17 0	17 0	17 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	17
2 0	12 6	11 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	11 0	11 8	10 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	Q 19 0	19 0	18 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 0	18
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L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 20 seers; Lalbagh 20 seers; and Karni 20 seers.

J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhainda 15½ seers; Magura 15 seers; Bangaon 18 seers; and Narail 11½ seers (panga).

K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 16 seers (panga); Dakshin 20 seers.

L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bani 20 seers; Dinapore 16 seers; and Bihar 1½ seers.

M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Aurangabad 20 seers; Jhannabad 20 seers; and Nawalpur 20 seers.

N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 20 seers; Bhaduna 19 seers; and Saharanpur 20 seers.

O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 20½ seers (panga); Gopalganj 19½ seers (panga).

P. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 19 seers per rupee.

Q. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sitamarhi 20 seers; Hajipur 18½ seers.

R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 20 seers; Madhubani 19 seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarter.

DIVISION.		No. of.	DISTRICTS	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN																	
				WHEAT.			BARLEY			COMMON RICE.						JOWAR OR CHOLU (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>)			BAJRA OR CUMBU (<i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> sum).		
										Average.			Cheapest.								
				Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
BIHAR--concluded.				8 Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	4. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
BRABALPUR DIVISION	20	Monghyr ..	8 12	9 4	6 12	11 0	10 8	9 8	7 11	7 11	7 4	8 0	8 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...
	21	Bhagalpur ..	8 3	8 3	3 15	13 4	13 4	10 11	7 4	7 4	6 15	8 14	8 14	7 4	...	...	...	...	...
	22	Fauces ..	7 12	7 8	9 0	...	...	...	6 14	6 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	8 0	...	...	...	...	...
	23	Darjeeling ..	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...
	24	Southal Parganas.	7 0	7 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	7 0	9 10	9 8	8 0	...	...	...	...	...
ORISSA.																					
ORISSA DIVISION	25	Cuttack ..	6 14	6 14	7 14	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	7 10	10 8	10 8	7 14	...	...	...	...	...
	26	Balasore ..	7 8	7 8	7 0	...	...	...	10 0	11 0	7 8	11 0	12 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...
	27	Angul ..	5 0	5 0	5 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	8 0	14 0	14 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...
	28	Puri ..	6 9	6 9	7 14	...	...	...	9 3	9 13	7 3	10 8	10 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR	29	Sambalpur...	7 4	7 0	7 8	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	8 8	12 0	12 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPUR																				
	CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION	30	Bazaribagh ..	6 12	6 12	6 8	9 0	10 0	Not sold.	8 4	8 8	6 12	8 12	9 0	6 12	
31		Ranchi ..	6 12	7 0	6 8	10 0	10 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	6 12	9 12	10 0	6 8	...	...	...	...	...
32		Palamu ..	7 5	7 5	7 5	...	10 11	Not sold.	7 14	6 12	6 7	9 0	7 14	7 5	...	...	...	...	...
33		Manbhum ..	7 0	7 0	7 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 8	9 0	7 0	11 0	10 8	8 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 0
CHOTA NAGPUR	34	Singbhum ..	6 8	6 8	7 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 8	6 8	8 0	10 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...

B. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begumra 20 seers ; Jamni 20 seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 17½ seers ; Madhupura 13 seers ; Supaul 20 seers.
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 16 seers ; Basantpur 18 seers.
V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 14 seers ; Siliguri 16 seers.
W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jamtara 18 seers ; Godda 16 seers ; Deoghur 20 seers ; Pakour and Rajmahal report not received.

Station Bazaar of the districts of Bengal on the 15th January 1909—concl'd.

SEEDS OF EIGHTY TOLAHS.																		WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS.						Number.
MARUA OR BARI (Eleusine Coracana).			KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Sesaria italica).			GRAM, URANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (Pisum arvense).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (Zea mays).			ARHAR (adl) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (Cajanus indicus).			SALT.			SALT						
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.				
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.				
...	10 0	10 8	8 12	13 0	13 0	9 6	7 4	7 4	6 12	20 0	20 0	19 12	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 3 0				
...	9 7	8 6	8 13	13 14	13 14	8 13	7 8	7 8	6 5	20 0	20 0	0 0	1 14 3	1 14 3	1 14 7 1/2				
...	7 6	7 8	8 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	6 8	6 8	7 0	16 0	13 0	14 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 9				
11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	8 0	14 0	14 0	11 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	13 0	11 0	13 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	
...	8 8	8 8	7 0	11 0	10 8	10 0	8 8	8 0	6 8	16 0	16 0	7 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 4 0				
...				
...	8 3	9 3	9 3	...	...	...	19 8	10 8	11 2 1/2	2 0	2 0	22 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0				
...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 0	21 0	21 0	29 0	1 21 0	1 13 0	1 14 0				
...	8 8	9 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	10 8	10 8	8 0	...	...	...	13 0	8 0	10 8	16 0	16 0	13 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	2 4 0				
...	9 3	8 8	9 3	...	...	...	6 3	6 9	6 1	15 0	6 0	25 0	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 8 5				
...	7 4	7 0	7 8	...	...	...	5 5	5 5	6 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0				
...				
12 8	12 0	8 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	8 4	12 0	11 8	8 0	6 0	6 0	6 4	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	
14 0	14 0	9 8	...	...	...	8 8	8 4	7 8	1 0	11 8	8 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	
...	10 2	9 9	8 7	12 6	12 0	3 7	7 5	7 5	6 7	18 9	18 9	18 9	...	...	...	
...	8 0	8 0	8 8	Not sold.	10 0	10 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	18 0	18 0	18 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 2 0				
...	7 0	7 8	7 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 4 0				

X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 18 seers (panga); Jaipur 16 seers.

Y. The retail price of salt at Bhadrak is 19 seers.

Z. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bantla 16 seers (karkatch); Phulbani 10½ seers.

a. The retail price of salt at Khurda is 24 seers.

b. The retail price of salt at Bargarh is 13 seers (Bombay).

c. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Dhanbaid 16 seers; Jhalda 16 seers.

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., in

Number.	MARKS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF											
		RICE (BEST SORT).			COMMON RICE.						WHEAT (<i>Triticum sativum</i>).		
					Average.			Cheapest.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	5 10 0	5 10 0	...	4 2 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0
2	Burdwan ...	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	...	4 4 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ...	6 12 0	6 12 0	6 4 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	...	3 11 0	3 12 0	5 2 0	...	...	...
4	Patna ...	7 6 0	7 6 0	7 8 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	...	4 2 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	5 0 0
5	Muzaffarpur ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 14 0	6 10 6	6 10 6	...	4 10 6	4 10 6	4 10 6	5 0 0	4 7 0	5 11 6
6	Bhagalpur ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 9 6	5 9 6	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 8 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	5 12 0
7	Cuttack ...	7 3 0	7 3 0	7 3 0	3 12 11	3 12 11	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	5 1 8	5 13 9	5 13 9	5 1 3
8	Sambalpur ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 11 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	...	3 1 6	3 1 6	4 7 0	5 5 6	5 7 0	5 0 0
9	Ranchi ...	5 12 0 to 6 10 0	5 11 0 to 6 11 0	7 4 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 11 0	5 12 0 to 6 0 0	5 8 0 to 5 11 0	5 12 0 to 6 3 0

No.	MARKS.	INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (<i>Zea mays</i>).			ARHAR DAL OR TURP - CADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).			LINSEED.			MUSTARD AND RAPESEED.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	3 4 0	3 4 0	4 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	7 0 0
2	Burdwan ...	...	...	...	6 12 0	6 15 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 12 0
3	Midnapore ...	...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	6 14 0	6 12 0	8 0 0
4	Patna ...	2 11 0	2 9 0	4 0 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	6 8 0
5	Muzaffarpur ...	2 13 9	2 12 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 10 6	...	...	...	5 6 0	5 0 0	7 0 0
6	Bhagalpur ...	2 13 5	2 13 0	4 8 6	5 4 0	5 4 0	6 6 6	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	6 4 0
7	Cuttack ...	...	...	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 9 3	...	...	...	4 8 0	5 0 0	7 4 0
8	Sambalpur ...	...	...	...	6 10 0	6 10 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	6 13 0	6 13 0	6 13 0
9	Ranchi ...	...	...	...	5 5 0 to 8 0 0	5 5 0 to 8 0 0	5 12 0 to 8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	9 12 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0
											8 0 0	8 0 0	9 0 0

the undermentioned Mats of Bengal on the 15th January 1909.

FORTY STANDARD SEEDS.

BARLEY (<i>Hordeum vulgare</i>).			JWAR OR CHOLU (<i>Andropogon Soryhum</i>).			BAJRA OR CUMBU (<i>Pennisetum typhoides</i>).			MARUA OR RAGI (<i>Eleusine coracana</i>).			GRAM, CHANA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer arisatum</i>).			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
3 4 0	3 6 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 2 0	5 12 0	...	-	-	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	1
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 14 0 to 5 4 0	4 13 0 to 5 3 0	5 0 0 to 5 8 0	3
2 7 0	2 9 0	3 10 0	...	...	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 11 0	3 15 0	4 0 0	4
3 5 3	3 5 3	3 10 0	-	-	-	-	-	-	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 10 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5
3 4 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	4 3 9	4 8 0	4 8 6	6
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Biri or kalai.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 5 7	4 5 7	4 5 4	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 5 6	5 7 0	5 0 0	8
4 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	9

TIL OR JINJILI SEED.			SUGAR (RAW.).			COTTON (CLEANED).			JUTE.			No.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
5 4 0	5 4 0	7 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	19 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	1
...	-	-	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
...	-	...	7 0 0	7 4 0	5 4 0	20 0 0 to 21 0 0	20 0 0 to 21 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	...	...	...	3
6 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	4 4 0 to 4 8 0 3 10 0	4 4 0 to 4 8 0 3 10 0	4 8 0	18 8 0	18 8 0	18 0 0	...	...	5 8 0	4
...	...	...	...	...	3 10 0	-	-	-	...	...	...	5
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 4 0	4 2 0	19 0 0	19 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...	6
6 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 3 9	5 3 9	5 3 9	20 5 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	7
4 8 0	4 8 0	7 0 0	6 6 6	6 10 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 4 0	8
...	8 5 0	5 11 0	5 5 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	-	9

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., in

Number.	MARKS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.						HIDES (COW)			GRASS.		
		GHI (CLARIFIED BUTTER).			TOBACCO LEAF.								
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta	41 0 0	41 0 0	43 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	380 0 0	400 0 0	400 0 0	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 12 0
2	Burdwan	35 0 0	35 0 0	40 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Midnapore	37 0 0	7 0 0	43 0 0	13 8 0	12 4 0	9 0 0	Uncleaned per pieces			...	-	-
		to 40 0 0	to 41 0 0	to 47 0 0				3 4 0	3 4 0	2 4 0			
4	Patna	30 0 0	30 0 0	36 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 8 0	Cleaned per piece.			...	-	0 6 0
		to 32 0 0	to 32 0 0	to 36 0 0				3 8 0	3 4 0	2 8 0			
5	Muzaffarpur	30 7 6	30 7 6	40 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur	34 0 0	34 4 0	42 4 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	12 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Cuttack	47 9 0	47 9 0	47 9 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
8	Sambalpur	34 8 0	34 4 0	40 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	30 0 0	...	...	...
9	Ranchi	32 0 0	33 8 0	40 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	Per piece.			0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
		to 13 0 0	to 13 0 0	to 16 0 0				3 0 0	2 8 0	2 8 0			

Number.	MARKS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF											
		FIREWOOD.			SALT.			BHOOSA.			BRAN.		
1	Calcutta	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	Panga.	1 15 0	1 15 0	1 10 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	2 11 0	2 11 0
2	Burdwan	0 8 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	Panga.	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	Not sold	...	3 8 0	3 8 0	...
3	Midnapore	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 6 0	Bombay.	1 14 0	1 14 0	...	Not available	...	0 6 0	0 6 0	...
					Crushed.	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0					
4	Patna	0 8 0	0 7 0	0 6 6	Panga.	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 2 0	1 2 0	...	1 14 0	1 14 0
5	Muzaffarpur	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	Panga.	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 6	0 8 0	0 8 0	...	3 10 0	3 10 0
6	Bhagalpur	0 6 3	0 6 3	0 6 0	Panga.	1 14 3	1 14 6	1 14 7 1/2	0 8 0	0 8 0	...	2 4 0	2 4 0
7	Cuttack	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	Karkatch.	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	...	...	...	0 10 0	0 10 0
8	Sambalpur	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 6	Karkatch.	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 1 0	Not sold	...	Not available	...	...
9	Ranchi	0 5 0	0 5 3	0 5 3	Panga.	2 6 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0
												to 3 4 0	to 3 4 0

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 15th January 1909—concl'd.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.			MARTS.	Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
0 12 0	0 12 0	0 14 0	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	Calcutta	1
0 6 0	0 6 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	Burdwan	2
0 5 0	0 5 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 12 0	Midnapore	3
0 10 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	...	...	...	2 4 0 to 4 12 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	4 12 0	Patna	4
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	Muzaffarpur	5
0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	Bhagalpur	6
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	Cuttack	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sambalpur	8
0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	...	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	Ranchi	9

FORTY STANDARD SEERS.

OATS.			KEROSENE OIL.			PRICE PER ANIMAL.			MARTS.	Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
5 0 0	5 2 0	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	...	44 0 0 Calf.	44 0 0 Calf.	...	Calcutta	1
Not sold	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	6 8 0	6 8 0	...	Burdwan	2
4 14 0	4 14 0	...	4 9 0 to 4 14 0	4 9 0 to 4 14 0	...	8 0 0 to 12 0 0	8 0 0 to 12 0 0	...	Midnapore	3
Not sold	...	...	4 3 0	4 3 0	...	Calf not available. Goat and sheep. 3 0 0 to 5 0 0	3 0 0 to 5 0 0	...	Patna	4
4 7 0	4 7 0	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	Not sold	...	...	Muzaffarpur	5
4 5 0	4 5 0	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	15 0 0 Calf.	15 0 0 Calf.	...	Bhagalpur	6
5 1 4	5 1 4	...	7 8 0	7 8 0	...	0 0 0 Calf.	0 0 0 Calf.	...	Cuttack	7
Not available	4 3 0 to 6 14 0	4 3 0 to 6 14 0	...	5 0 0 Calf.	5 0 0 Calf.	...	Sambalpur	8
5 8 0	5 8 0	...	5 0 0 to 7 4 0	5 0 0 to 7 4 0	...	7 0 0 to 15 0 0	7 0 0 to 15 0 0	...	Ranchi	9

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Major Works for the month of November 1908, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

CANALS.	1908-9.						1907-08.					
	WEIGHT OF CARGO.			TOLLAGE.			WEIGHT OF CARGO.			TOLLAGE.		
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
<i>Orissa Canals.</i>												
Taldanda Canal System ...	2,432	22,261	3,618	97,959	510	6,686	2,652	16,469	15,577	50,128	581	6,036
Kendrapara ditto ...	2,716	23,608	...	39,567	2,157	16,802	4,270	21,164	2,288	97,624	3,175	16,779
High Level, Range { I	552	7,681	150	25,044	347	4,509	1,488	6,999	750	18,449	812	4,429
II	341	2,074	636	6,594	74	484	502	3,307	888	19,056	107	832
III	31	180	5,364	12,807	71	192	16	463	810	8,643	11	133
Jeipur Canal ...	335	2,002	1,122	3,768	44	280	343	1,554	4,584	30,718	55	343
Total Orissa Canals	6,407	57,806	10,890	185,749	3,203	28,957	9,271	49,956	24,897	224,618	4,741	28,552
Midnapore Canal ...	5,471	60,545	11,925	30,416	2,750	24,315	4,039	59,440	14,277	29,364	1,948	25,098
Hijuli Tidal Canal ...	2,519	37,488	12,978	28,930	1,844	27,929	3,189	62,082	3,050	18,321	2,375	44,122
<i>Sone Canals.</i>												
Patna Canal System ...	377	3,843	13,870	356,072	515	4,133	410	9,465	24,451	575,139	540	10,350
Arrah ditto ...	72	1,411	39,394	669,964	232	2,973	126	1,628	34,997	872,712	270	4,002
Buxar ditto ...	62	859	...	99,509	57	865	169	6,968	600	233,625	93	6,072
Total Sone Canals ...	511	6,113	53,264	1,125,545	804	7,971	705	18,061	60,048	1,681,476	903	20,424
GRAND TOTAL ...	14,908	161,952	89,057	1,370,540	8,601	89,172	17,203	189,579	102,272	1,953,779	9,967	118,196

CALCUTTA,
The 25th January 1909.

A. N. DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

the undermentioned Mats of Bengal on the 15th January 1909.

FORTY STANDARD SEERS.

BARLEY (<i>Hordeum vulgare</i>).			JUAR OR CHOLU (<i>Andropogon Roratum</i>).			RAJRA OR COMBU (<i>Pennisetum typhoides</i>).			MARUA OR RAGI (<i>Echinochloa crusgalli</i>).			GRAM, CHANA, CHOLA, KADALAT, OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer arisatum</i>).			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
3 4 0	3 6 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 2 0	5 12 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 14 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 8 0	
2 7 0	2 9 0	3 10 0	...	...	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 11 0	3 15 0	4 0 0	4
3 5 3	3 5 3	3 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 10 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5
3 4 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 3 9	4 8 0	4 8 6	6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Biri or kalai.		4 5 4	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 5 7	4 5 7	4 5 4	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 5 6	5 7 0	5 0 0	8
4 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	9

TIL OR JINJILI SEED.			SUGAR (RAW).			COTTON (CLEANED).			JUTE.			No.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
5 4 0	5 4 0	7 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	19 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	1
...	...	...	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
...	...	...	7 0 0	7 4 0	5 4 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...	3
...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	21 0 0	21 0 0	24 0 0	...	...	...
6 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 19 0	18 8 0	18 8 0	18 0 0	...	...	5 8 0	4
...	...	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 4 0	4 2 0	19 0 0	19 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...	6
6 3 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 3 9	5 3 9	5 3 9	20 5 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	7
4 8 0	4 8 0	7 0 0	6 6 6	6 10 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 4 0	8
...	5 5 0	5 11 0	5 5 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	9

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., in

Number.	MARKS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.						HIDES (COW).			GRASS.		
		GHI (CLARIFIED BUTTER).			TOBACCO LEAF.								
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	Calcutta	Rs. A. P. 41 0 0	Rs. A. P. 41 0 0	Rs. A. P. 43 0 0	Rs. A. P. 8 0 0	Rs. A. P. 8 0 0	Rs. A. P. 8 0 0	Rs. A. P. 380 0 0	Rs. A. P. 400 0 0	Rs. A. P. 400 0 0	Rs. A. P. 1 8 0	Rs. A. P. 1 8 0	Rs. A. P. 1 12 0
2	Burdwan	35 0 0	35 0 0	40 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Midnapore	37 0 0	47 0 0	43 0 0	13 8 0	12 4 0	10 0 0	Uncleaned per pieces	3 4 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	...	...
		to 40 0 0	to 41 0 0	to 47 0 0				Per 100 pieces.	to 4 0 0	to 3 12 0	to 3 0 0	...	...
								Cleaned per piece.	3 8 0	3 4 0	2 8 0	...	...
									to 4 4 0	to 4 0 0	to 3 4 0	...	...
4	Patna	30 0 0	30 0 0	36 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 8 0	...	...	32 12 0	...	...	0 6 0
		to 32 0 0	to 32 0 0		4 0 0	4 0 0							
5	Muzaffarpur	30 7 6	30 7 6	40 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur	34 0 0	33 4 0	42 4 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	12 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Cuttack	47 9 0	47 9 0	47 9 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	Permaund.	30 0 0	30 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
8	Sambalpur	34 8 0	34 4 0	40 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	Permaund.	40 0 0	40 0 0	30 0 0	...	...
		to 35 8 0	to 35 8 0										
9	Ranchi	32 0 0	33 8 0	40 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	16 0 0	Per piece.	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	0 8 0	0 5 0
					to 13 0 0	to 13 0 0	to 16 0 0		to 4 8 0	to 3 0 0	to 3 0 0		

Number.	MARKS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF										
		FIREWOOD.			SALT.			BHOONA.			BRAN.	
1	Calcutta	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	Panga.	1 15 0	1 15 0	1 10 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 11 0	2 11 0
2	Burdwan	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	Panga.	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	Not sold	...	3 8 0	3 8 0
3	Midnapore	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 6 0	Bombay.	1 14 0	1 14 0	...	Not available	...	0 6 0	0 6 0
					Crushed.	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0				
4	Patna	0 8 0	0 7 0	0 6 6	Panga.	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 2 0	1 2 0	1 14 0	1 14 0
5	Muzaffarpur	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	Panga.	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 6	0 8 0	0 8 0	3 10 0	3 10 0
6	Bhagalpur	0 6 3	0 6 3	0 6 0	Panga.	1 14 3	1 14 6	1 11 7 1/2	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 4 0	2 4 0
7	Cuttack	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	Karkatch.	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	...	...	0 10 0	0 10 0
					Karkatch.							
8	Sambalpur	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 6		2 4 0	2 4 0	2 1 0	Not sold	...	Not available	...
9	Ranchi	0 5 0	0 5 3	0 5 3	Panga.	2 6 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	3 0 0
											to 3 4 0	to 3 4 0

CALCUTTA,

The 25th January 1909.

the undermentioned *Marts* of Bengal on the 15th January 1909—concl'd.

STRAW.			JUAR STRALS.			PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.			MARTS.	Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
0 12 0	0 12 0	0 14 0	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	Calcutta	1
0 6 0	0 6 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bardwan	2
0 5 0	0 5 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 12 0	Midnapore	3
0 10 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	...	...	...	2 4 0 to 4 12 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	4 12 0	Patna	4
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	Muzaffarpur	5
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	Bhagalpur	6
0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	Cuttack	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sambalpur	8
0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	...	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	Ranchi	9

FORTY STANDARD SEERS.

PRICE PER ANIMAL.

OATS.			KEROSENE OIL.			SLAUGHTER CATTLE.			MARTS.	Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
5 0 0	5 2 0	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	...	Cow. 44 0 0 Calf. 6 8 0	44 0 0 6 8 0	...	Calcutta	1
Not sold	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Not sold.	...	...	Bardwan	2
4 14 0	4 14 0	...	1 9 0 to 4 11 0	4 9 0 to 4 11 0	...	Full grown. 8 0 0 to 12 0 0	8 0 0 to 12 0 0	...	Midnapore	3
Not sold	...	...	4 3 0	4 3 0	...	Calf not available. Goat and sheep. 3 0 0 to 5 0 0	3 0 0 to 5 0 0	...	Patna	4
4 7 0	4 7 0	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	Buffalo. Not sold	...	...	Muzaffarpur	5
4 5 0	4 5 0	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Calf. Not sold	...	...	Bhagalpur	6
5 1 4	5 1 4	...	7 8 0	7 8 0	...	Full grown. 15 0 0 to 20 0 0	15 0 0 to 20 0 0	...	Cuttack	7
Not available	...	...	4 3 0 to 6 14 0	4 3 0 to 6 14 0	...	Cow. Rs. 10 to Rs. 20	Cow. Rs. 10 to Rs. 20	...	Sambalpur	8
5 8 0	5 8 0	...	5 0 0 to 7 4 0	5 0 0 to 7 4 0	...	Full grown. 3 8 0 to 7 0 0	3 8 0 to 7 0 0	...	Ranchi	9

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Major Works for the month of November 1908, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

CANALS.	1908-9.						1907-08.					
	WEIGHT OF CARGO.			RAFFS.			WEIGHT OF CARGO.			RAFFS.		
	During the month.	To end of the month.		During the month.	To end of the month.		During the month.	To end of the month.		During the month.	To end of the month.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
<i>Orissa Canals.</i>												
Taldanda Canal System ...	2,432	22,261	3,618	97,969	510	6,686	2,052	16,469	15,577	50,128	581	6,036
Kendrapara ditto ...	2,716	23,608	.....	39,567	2,157	16,802	4,270	21,164	2,288	97,624	3,175	16,779
High Level, Range { I II III	552	7,681	150	2,044	347	4,509	1,488	6,999	750	18,449	812	4,429
	341	2,074	636	6,594	74	488	502	3,307	888	19,056	107	832
	31	180	5,364	12,807	71	192	16	463	810	8,643	11	133
Jajpur Canal ...	335	2,002	1,122	3,768	44	280	343	1,554	4,584	30,718	55	343
Total Orissa Canals	6,407	57,806	10,890	185,749	3,203	28,957	9,271	49,956	24,897	224,618	4,741	28,552
Midnapore Canal ...	5,471	60,545	11,925	30,416	2,750	24,315	4,039	59,450	14,277	29,364	1,948	25,098
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	2,519	37,488	12,978	28,830	1,844	27,929	3,188	62,082	3,050	18,321	2,375	44,122
<i>Sone Canals.</i>												
Patna Canal System ...	377	3,843	13,870	356,072	515	4,133	410	9,465	24,451	575,139	540	10,350
Arrah ditto ...	72	1,411	39,394	669,964	232	2,973	126	1,628	34,997	872,712	270	4,002
Buxar ditto ...	62	859	.....	99,509	57	865	169	6,968	600	233,625	93	6,072
Total Sone Canals ...	511	6,113	53,264	1,125,545	804	7,971	705	18,061	60,048	1,681,476	903	20,424
GRAND TOTAL ...	14,908	161,952	89,057	1,370,540	8,601	89,172	17,203	189,579	102,272	1,953,779	9,967	118,196

CALCUTTA,
The 25th January 1909.

A. N. DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Minor Works and Navigation for the month of November 1908, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous years.

CANALS.	1908-09.										1907-08.			
	WEIGHT OF CARGO.		RAFFS.		TOLLAGE.		WEIGHT OF CARGO.		RAFFS.		TOLLAGE.			
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.		
Calcutta and Eastern Canals	45,446	274,573	1,733	16,045	31,689	1,84,804	58,289	295,812	2,176	22,237	38,234	1,97,585		
Tolly's Nala ...	15,248	155,773	12,001	19,537	5,879	51,452	15,449	153,824	6,383	18,867	5,296	47,867		
Madaripur Bhil Route ...	2,634	91,315	1,410	10,269	1,196	33,980	2,691	174,326	1,708	4,993	1,211	59,306		
Total	63,328	521,661	15,144	45,851	38,744	2,70,236	76,429	623,962	10,267	46,097	44,741	3,04,758		
Orissa Coast Canal	2,263	19,193	36,691	111,055	1,517	10,424	2,926	37,451	21,082	77,628	1,657	16,913		
Nadia Rivers	7,794	75,406	3,464	201,261	6,777	19,339	9,395	117,786	1,978	181,003	5,367	22,291		
GRAND TOTAL	73,385	616,265	55,299	358,167	47,038	2,99,999	88,750	779,199	33,327	304,728	51,765	3,43,962		

CALCUTTA,

The 25th January 1909.

A. N. Das,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 17th to 23rd January 1909.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	TEMPERATURE.				HYGROMETRY.				WIND.		Rain s.	WEATHER.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1909.				Inches.						Inches.					Inches.	
Jan.	17th	132.8	6.7	29.889	71.0	85.0	26.1	58.9	63.1	0.435	58.0	67	WNW, WSW and SSW.	105	Nil	Partially cloudy, P.
"	18th	126.7	7.9	.882	71.4	84.1	23.5	60.6	64.1	.510	59.5	69	NW by W and WNW.	80	Nil	Partially cloudy, P.
"	19th	125.3	6.9	.954	73.0	83.1	18.2	64.9	65.8	.556	62.0	72	WNW and calm	39	Nil	Partially cloudy, P., III.
"	20th	128.2	7.7	.997	70.6	83.9	24.6	59.3	63.3	.480	57.8	65	NNW and W by S	62	Nil	Chiefly clear, P.
"	21st	129.7	6.8	30.016	73.9	84.5	19.8	65.2	66.6	.584	68.3	75	W by S and NE by N.	67	Nil	Partially cloudy, P.
"	22nd	130.7	7.8	.035	70.6	82.1	21.1	61.0	63.4	.496	58.7	67	SSW and variable	82	Nil	Partially cloudy, P.
"	23rd	131.2	7.2	29.973	71.9	83.8	20.8	62.5	67.4	.614	61.8	70	SSW and SW ...	111	Nil	Partially cloudy, P.

The mean pressure of the seven days 29.964
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 30.011

The total number of hours of bright sunshine 50.5
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine 76.4

The mean temperature of the seven days 71.8
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 68.1
The extreme variation of temperature 26.1
The maximum temperature 85.0

The highest velocity of the wind in one hour 16 Miles.
The mean relative humidity 70 %
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 70

The total fall of rain from 17th to 23rd January 1909 Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 0.04
The total fall from 1st January to 23rd January 1909 Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 0.17

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Kundsén's Barograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

☁, dew; ≡ fog.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Statement of Goods Traffic in Staples carried during the five weeks ending 31st October 1908
as compared with the same period of 1907.

STAPLES.	1907.		1908.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes	5,547	7,501	9,655	10,837	5,108	3,336	.....	.....
Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways	1,43,64,716	17,06,399	2,01,87,189	24,30,672	58,22,403	7,24,273	.....	.....
Ootton—								
(1) Raw	39,833	12,273	65,887	17,993	26,554	5,720	.....	.....
(2) Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and Yarn, European	9,250	1,908	2,232	2,349	.....	381	15	.....
(b) Ditto, Indian	36,342	16,110	31,263	14,113	.....	.....	3,079	1,697
(c) Piece-goods, European	1,47,820	1,39,220	2,01,822	1,50,105	53,933	54,375	.....	.....
(d) Ditto, Indian	12,111	6,475	13,442	9,809	1,731	3,394	.....	.....
(e) Others	8,439	6,042	13,234	12,716	4,855	5,774	.....	.....
Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	10,851	5,808	11,541	13,203	1,110	7,455	.....	.....
Drugs—								
1.—Intoxicating, other than opium	.....	.....	51	62	51	62	.....	.....
2.—Non-intoxicating	3,342	3,030	5,030	5,048	1,688	2,018	.....	.....
Dyes and Tans—								
1.—Alizarine and aniline dyes	184	198	429	424	245	226	.....	.....
2.—Cutch	2,089	837	1,113	491	.....	.....	956	344
3.—Indigo	366	590	123	202	.....	.....	273	386
4.—Myrabolanis	4,154	877	3,632	1,527	.....	650	522	.....
5.—Tanning barks	766	145	230	118	.....	.....	536	27
6.—Turmeric	10,169	8,364	10,488	7,710	229	.....	.....	650
7.—Others	7,390	2,047	7,437	5,029	47	2,982	.....	.....
Feeder—								
1.—Oilcake	51,138	9,373	47,719	12,133	.....	2,700	3,370	.....
2.—Hay, straw and grass	36,389	4,635	17,712	2,952	.....	.....	18,477	2,607
Fruits and vegetables, fresh	3,511	838	5,084	2,188	1,573	1,350	.....	.....
Grain and Pulse—								
1.—Gram and pulses	4,97,709	96,742	4,14,335	89,087	.....	.....	83,174	8,655
2.—Jowar and bajra	2,10,942	36,045	41,435	6,585	.....	.....	1,09,511	32,096
3.—Rice in the husk	1,68,378	10,341	1,63,485	23,653	.....	7,422	1,293	.....
4.—Rice not in the husk	6,34,285	2,01,773	4,79,160	1,11,296	.....	.....	1,55,125	90,482
5.—Wheat	4,06,504	1,32,051	7,13,292	2,27,042	3,06,718	1,04,091	.....	.....
6.—Wheat flour	1,21,186	32,369	1,14,486	41,169	.....	8,800	.....	.....
7.—Others	5,49,631	65,200	5,57,281	60,941	12,631	1,731	.....	.....
Hides and Skins—								
1.—Hides of cattle	23,858	9,643	37,906	18,205	14,250	8,662	.....	.....
2.—Skins of sheep, &c.	12,772	6,145	28,414	13,873	15,642	7,685	.....	.....
Horns	840	464	1,115	485	.....	21	.....	.....
Hemp (Indian) and other fibres (excluding jute)	20,413	5,404	37,253	8,062	16,840	3,108	.....	.....
Jute—								
1.—Raw	6,58,331	1,07,789	7,70,414	1,06,916	1,24,083	.....	.....	873
2.—Gunny-bags and cloth	98,146	57,067	82,626	41,734	.....	.....	13,640	10,213
Lac	72,598	34,011	54,613	24,707	.....	.....	18,152	9,304
Leather—								
1.—Unwrought	2,038	3,537	345	401	.....	.....	1,693	3,136
2.—Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	362	274	589	482	292	208	.....	.....
Liquors—								
1.—Ale and Beer	11,837	4,161	9,394	4,841	.....	630	2,443	.....
2.—Wines and spirits of all kinds, including country spirit	6,390	6,904	8,317	10,306	1,957	3,402	.....	.....
3.—All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer	50	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	56	10
Metals—								
1.—Brass, unwrought	1,338	924	718	234	.....	.....	618	690
2.—Do., manufactured	12,010	7,499	11,060	6,051	.....	.....	614	1,445
3.—Copper, unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4.—Do., manufactured	792	460	1,118	850	326	393	.....	.....
5.—Iron and steel—								
(1) Unwrought (dust, slag, pig and old for remanufacture)	49,819	8,162	39,467	7,906	.....	.....	10,432	246
(2) Wrought—								
(a) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel	1,21,848	57,254	1,88,438	47,787	10,590	.....	.....	9,467
(b) Machinery and mill work	20,158	6,847	20,598	8,629	440	1,783	.....	.....
(c) Other manufactures, including hardware and cutlery	39,697	10,017	49,214	20,119	9,517	1,102	.....	.....
6.—Metallic ores	29	32	64,360	2,219	64,337	2,207	.....	.....
7.—Zinc and spelter	1,264	663	131	89	.....	.....	1,123	674
8.—Others	5,420	6,759	20,143	8,919	14,723	4,163	.....	.....
Mineral substances—								
1.—Marble and stone	4,02,636	39,318	3,33,073	30,594	.....	69,564	7,721	.....
2.—Chalk and lime	1,89,910	30,690	3,41,605	48,065	1,54,695	48,299	.....	2,705
3.—Others	3,988	3,891	1,164	1,189	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oils—								
1.—Kerosine	1,76,086	55,531	1,77,587	60,785	1,001	5,351	.....	.....
2.—Castor	19,496	1,088	7,071	2,064	.....	370	12,425	.....
3.—Coconut	4,486	1,554	5,998	1,539	1,543	.....	.....	15
4.—Mustard and rape	10,866	2,943	14,886	4,494	4,020	1,651	.....	.....
5.—Others	9,403	4,403	8,176	3,453	.....	.....	327	950
Oilseeds—								
1.—Castor	71,253	16,080	88,955	17,185	17,702	1,400	.....	.....
2.—Mearhnut	1,033	248	1,032	225	.....	.....	1	.....
3.—Linseed	3,25,165	74,220	1,29,049	30,922	.....	.....	1,95,516	43,398
4.—Poppy	9,554	2,023	8,237	1,840	.....	.....	1,327	182
5.—Rape and mustard	1,35,318	34,435	1,27,632	30,104	.....	.....	7,660	4,331
6.—Til or linjili	9,163	2,044	31,105	8,355	21,942	6,311	.....	.....
7.—Others	1,14,190	23,393	85,604	10,110	.....	.....	28,520	6,976
Opium	2,066	1,962	2,410	1,898	344	.....	.....	69
Paper and pasteboard	18,552	7,473	17,301	7,007	.....	3,839	.....	465
Provisions—								
1.—Dried fruits and nuts	30,737	7,784	23,861	11,675	3,334	3,891	.....	.....
2.—Ghee	27,326	23,678	39,393	33,335	12,006	9,557	.....	.....
3.—Potatoes	1,20,909	64,798	1,27,738	82,610	6,829	.....	.....	2,273
4.—Others	40,957	30,394	30,811	34,942	.....	1,548	10,146	.....

STAPLES.	1907.		1908.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
<i>Railway plant & rolling-stock carried for the public & foreign railways—</i>								
1.—Locomotives, engines and tenders and parts thereof	1,025	576	120	100	.....	.....	1,505	476
2.—Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	81	23	191	277	110	254	.....	.....
3.—Materials—	267	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	247	14
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Others	2,58,680	43,514	1,57,238	29,599	.....	.....	1,01,442	13,535
Salt	2,02,525	62,558	7,88,073	1,06,364	495,548	43,806	.....	.....
<i>Saltpetre and other saline substances—</i>								
1.—Saltpetre	90,279	14,903	44,361	12,095	14,072	.....	.....	3,803
2.—Other saline substances	29,493	6,765	41,765	13,733	12,303	6,967	.....	.....
<i>Silk—</i>								
1.—Raw—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Peece-goods—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<i>Spices—</i>								
1.—Nuts—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Cardamoms	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3.—Chillies	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4.—Ginger	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5.—Pepper	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6.—Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<i>Sugar—</i>								
1.—Refined	1,14,001	43,040	4,37,315	2,20,135	3,13,314	1,77,095	.....	.....
2.—Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	1,12,758	42,037	1,93,266	94,538	80,508	51,651	.....	.....
(b) Gur, rab, jaggree, molasses and other saccharine produce	1,69,068	16,167	1,68,436	25,580	69,328	9,383	.....	.....
<i>Tea—</i>								
1.—Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<i>Tobacco—</i>								
1.—Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<i>Wood—</i>								
1.—Timber, unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Manufactures	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<i>Wool—</i>								
1.—Raw	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Piece-goods, European	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Ditto, Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(d) Other sorts of manufactures	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<i>All other articles of merchandise—</i>								
1.—Hones	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Firewood	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3.—Indigo seed	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4.—Paints and colours	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5.—Seeds other than oilseeds	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6.—Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	2,40,67,734	40,56,871	2,95,78,336	51,14,876	55,10,522	10,58,005	.....	.....
<i>Military stores</i>	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<i>Coal for railway</i>	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<i>Railway materials</i>	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<i>Live-stock</i>	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	2,81,04,543	43,11,183	3,32,61,244	53,49,371	55,56,701	10,33,180	.....	.....

H. G. EMMERSON,
for Acting Chief Auditor.

TRAFFIC AUDIT OFFICE, GOODS DIVISION, CALCUTTA, the 23rd January 1909.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the first 9 days of January 1909 on 2,292.37 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	582,653	5,75,716 0 0	91,60,173 0	14,45,222 0 0	58,069 0 0	20,79,007 0 0	211,992	265,254	477,246
Or per mile of railway ...	...	251 2 4	...	630 7 2	25 5 4	900 14 10	...	...	...
For previous weeks of half-year ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for 1½ weeks ...	582,653	5,75,716 0 0	91,60,173 0	14,45,222 0 0	58,069 0 0	20,79,007 0 0	211,992	265,254	477,246
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 11 days of previous year ...	685,522	6,38,389 3 11	1,08,16,017 0	18,49,635 3 4	66,132 14 8	25,54,157 5 7	254,026	332,087	586,113
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year ...	...	279 2 1	...	808 11 11	28 14 8	1,116 12 8	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 1½ weeks of previous year ...	685,522	6,38,389 3 11	1,08,16,017 0	18,49,635 3 10	66,132 14 8	25,54,157 5 7	254,026	332,087	586,113

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,292.37	First 9 days of Jan.	582,653	5,75,716	91,60,173	14,45,222	58,069	20,79,007	907	477,246	Rs. A. P. 4 5 8

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concl.

1908

2,287.05	First 11 days of Jan.	No. of passengers. 685,522	Rs. 6,38,389	Mds. 1,08,16,017	Rs. 18,49,635	Rs. 66,132*	Rs. 25,54,157	Rs. 1,117	No. 586,113	Rate. Rs. A. P. 4 5 9
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TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the first 9 days of January 1909 on 22.21 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	27,659	6,545 0 0	12,906 0	607 0 0	8 0 0	7,158 0 0	1,758	208	1,966
Or per mile of railway ...	...	294 9 7	...	27 5 3	0 5 9	322 4 7	...	...	...
For previous weeks of half-year ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for 1½ weeks ...	27,659	6,545 0 0	12,906 0	607 0 0	8 0 0	7,158 0 0	1,758	208	1,966
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 11 days of previous year ...	28,463	7,003 1 5	26,087 30	1,049 6 0	8 7 9	8,960 15 2	2,141	237	2,378
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year ...	...	355 8 3	...	47 3 4	0 6 1	403 1 8	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 1½ weeks of previous year ...	28,463	7,003 1 5	26,087 30	1,049 6 0	8 7 9	8,960 15 2	2,141	237	2,378

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—concluded.

1909. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22'21	First 9 days of Jan. ...	27,039	0,543	12,000	007	8	7,158	322	1,000	Rs. A. P. 3 10 3

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded. 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22'28	First 11 days of July ...	32,403	7,903	26,098	1,040	0	8,001	403	2,378	Rs. A. P. 8 12 4

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the first 9 days of January 1909 on 162'36 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	28,730	15,550 0 0	3,08,743 0	21,000 0 0	80 0 0	36,730 0 0	16,139	5,940	21,179
Or per mile of railway	.....	95 12 5	.....	129 14 4	0 7 11	226 2 8	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 14 weeks	28,730	15,550 0 0	3,08,743 0	21,000 0 0	80 0 0	36,730 0 0	16,139	5,940	21,179
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 11 days of previous year.	30,141	22,380 11 0	3,54,576 0	26,450 13 0	103 15 6	48,944 7 6	18,394	7,057	25,451
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.	.....	137 14 5	.....	162 14 8	0 10 3	301 7 4	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 14 weeks of previous year.	30,141	22,380 11 0	3,54,576 0	26,450 13 0	103 15 6	48,944 7 6	18,394	7,057	25,451

1909 Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162'36	First 9 days of Jan. ...	24,730	15,550	3,03,743	21,000	80	36,730	222	21,170	Rs. A. P. 1 11 9

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1908 in comparison with 1907—concluded. 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162'36	First 11 days of Jan. ...	30,111	22,380	3,54,576	26,451	104	48,944	201	25,451	Rs. A. P. 1 14 0

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 16th January 1909 on 2,992.37 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	490,312	(a) 4,45,270 0 0	66,91,733 0	11,01,506 0 0	48,809 0 0	15,05,015 0 0	164,931	296,178	371,129
Or per mile of railway ...	...	104 3 10	...	480 8 7	21 4 8	691 1 1	...	...	...
For previous 17 weeks of half-year ...	583,653	5,75,716 0 0	91,60,173 0	14,45,228 0 0	58,000 0 0	20,70,007 0 0	211,903	267,354	477,246
Total for 2½ weeks ...	1,072,965	10,20,986 0 0	1,58,51,906 0	25,46,734 0 0	1,06,878 0 0	35,74,652 0 0	376,943	471,432	848,375
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	463,317	4,10,730 4 7	75,40,503 0	10,78,557 0 4	37,151 6 5	15,26,438 11 4	159,143	216,930	376,073
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	179 9 5	...	471 9 6	16 3 11	617 6 10	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 2½ weeks of previous year ...	1,133,830	10,40,119 9 6	1,83,02,519 0	20,28,192 3 4	1,03,384 5 1	40,80,596 0 11	413,163	549,017	962,180

(a) Increase is due to "Magh Mela."

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	For mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.				No.	Rate.
2,292.37	First 9 days of Janr.	582,653	5,75,716	91,60,173	14,45,228	58,009	20,70,007	Rs. 307	477,246	Rs. A. P. 4 5 8
2,292.37	Week ended 16th ..	490,312	4,45,270	66,91,733	11,01,506	48,809	15,05,015	691	371,129	4 4 9
	Totals up to date	1,072,965	10,20,986	1,58,51,906	25,46,734	1,06,878	35,74,652	798	848,375	4 5 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908 --concluded.

1908.

	Period.	No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,287.05	First 11 days of Janr.	582,653	5,75,716	91,60,173	14,45,228	58,009	20,70,007	1,117	583,113	Rs. A. P. 4 5 9
2,287.05	Week ended 18th ..	463,317	4,10,730	75,40,503	10,78,557	37,151	15,26,438	697	376,073	4 4 11
	Totals up to date	1,045,970	9,86,446	1,67,00,676	25,23,785	95,160	35,96,445	1,814	959,186	4 5 10

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 16th January 1909 on 22.21 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	24,706	5,027 0 0	12,176 0	496 0 0	6 0 0	5,529 0 0	1,317	189	1,476
Or per mile of railway ...	...	226 5 5	...	22 5 4	0 4 4	248 15 1	...	...	...
For previous 17 weeks of half-year ...	27,650	6,543 0 0	12,900 0	607 0 0	8 0 0	7,158 0 0	1,558	208	1,766
Total for 2½ weeks ...	52,356	11,570 0 0	25,076 0	1,103 0 0	14 0 0	12,687 0 0	2,875	397	3,242
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	21,907	4,693 1 2	13,263 0	378 9 0	10 11 6	5,094 5 8	1,349	149	1,498
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	207 3 6	...	17 0 6	0 7 8	234 10 8	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 2½ weeks of previous year ...	54,870	12,608 2 7	39,840 30	1,527 15 0	19 3 3	13,155 4 10	3,490	381	3,876

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—concluded.

1909. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22'21	First 9 days of January ...	27,659	6,543	12,000	607	8	7,158	333	1,998	3 10 3
22'21	Week ended 16th " ...	24,766	5,027	12,176	496	6	5,529	219	1,476	3 11 11
	Totals up to date ...	52,425	11,570	24,082	1,103	14	12,687	550	3,474	3 11 0

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded. 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22'23	First 11 days of January ...	32,463	7,903	20,088	1,049	9	8,961	403	2,378	3 12 4
22'23	Week ended 18th " ...	21,907	4,605	13,202	579	10	4,904	235	1,408	3 5 4
	Totals up to date ...	54,370	12,508	33,290	1,628	19	13,865	638	3,786	3 9 7

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 16th January 1909 on 162.36 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week	22,356	Rs. A. P. 20,818 0 0	Mds. 2,57,930 0	Rs. A. P. 18,994 0 0	Rs. A. P. 80 0 0	Rs. A. P. 30,872 0 0	12,491	3,874	16,065
Or per mile of railway ...	128 3 6	128 3 6	116 15 10	116 15 10	0 5 11	245 9 8	...	...	...
For previous 17 weeks of half-year.	28,739	Rs. A. P. 16,550 0 0	Mds. 3,66,713 0	Rs. A. P. 21,040 0 0	Rs. A. P. 80 0 0	Rs. A. P. 36,730 0 0	16,130	5,040	21,170
Total for 27 weeks	51,086	Rs. A. P. 37,368 0 0	Mds. 5,61,643 0	Rs. A. P. 40,034 0 0	Rs. A. P. 140 0 0	Rs. A. P. 70,602 0 0	28,620	8,614	37,234
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	22,823	Rs. A. P. 15,730 12 0	Mds. 2,39,201 20	Rs. A. P. 16,042 8 0	Rs. A. P. 50 4 0	Rs. A. P. 31,823 8 0	11,688	5,470	17,158
Per mile of railway correspond in a week of previous year	...	Rs. A. P. 96 14 3	...	Rs. A. P. 98 12 11	Rs. A. P. 0 4 11	Rs. A. P. 196 0 1	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 27 weeks of previous year	58,064	Rs. A. P. 38,120 7 0	Mds. 6,43,777 20	Rs. A. P. 42,493 5 0	Rs. A. P. 154 3 6	Rs. A. P. 80,767 15 6	30,062	12,527	42,589

1909 Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162'36	First 9 days of Jan. ...	25,730	15,850	3,03,743	21,050	80	30,730	226	21,170	1 11 9
162'36	Week ended 16th " ...	22,356	20,818	2,57,930	18,994	60	29,872	240	16,065	2 7 9
	Totals up to date ...	51,086	36,668	5,61,673	40,044	140	70,602	466	37,234	2 0 11

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded. 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162'36	First 11 days of Jan. ...	36,141	27,380	3,54,576	28,451	104	48,944	301	35,451	1 14 0
162'36	Week ended 16th " ...	22,823	15,731	2,89,202	16,043	50	31,824	198	17,158	1 13 0
	Totals up to date ...	58,964	43,110	6,43,778	44,494	154	80,768	499	52,609	1 14 4

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the first 9 days of January 1909 on 769 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Combining receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	MDg. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the first 9 days (9 days) on 769 miles open ...	80,500	53,000 0 0	4,96,500 0	61,000 0 0	5,500 0 0	1,19,500 0 0	18,078	24,201	42,309
Or per mile of railway ...	104'82	69'01	643'97	79'12	7 13	155 26	23 54	31 61	55 05
For previous week of half-year ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for 2 weeks ...	80,500	53,000 0 0	4,96,500 0	61,000 0 0	5,500 0 0	1,19,500 0 0	18,078	24,201	42,309
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding 11 days of previous year ...	94,802	57,186 0 0	4,40,140 0	65,176 0 0	7,663 0 0	1,30,635 0 0	22,451	33,105	55,556
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	123'82	75'33	570'87	81'53	9 14	160'80	29'23	42'94	72'17
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	94,802	57,586 0 0	4,40,140 0	65,176 0 0	7,663 0 0	1,30,695 0 0	22,451	33,105	55,556

FINANCIAL YEAR.—Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

RECEIPTS FOR THE FIRST 9 DAYS OF JANUARY 1909			RECEIPTS FOR THE FIRST 11 DAYS OF JANUARY 1909.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1908 TO 9TH JANUARY 1909.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1907 TO 11TH JANUARY 1908.			Total increase in 1909.	Total decrease in 1908.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			Rs.
771	1,19,500	155'26	771	1,30,635	169'80	771	35,71,315	...	771	37,31,193	...	.....	2,09,848

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for first 9 days of January 1909 on 1,791 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mts.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the period (9 days) on 1,791 miles open ...	356,910	1,19,140	13,64,050	2,10,660	22,650	(a) 3,92,480	74,265	(b) 61,400	135,665
Or per mile of railway ...	199'28	66'56	761'89	117 63	12'66	219'14	...	...	...
For previous 11 weeks of half-year ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for the period ...	356,910	1,19,140	13,64,050	2,10,660	22,650	3,92,480	74,265	61,400	135,665
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period (11 days) of previous year on 1,778 miles open ...	407,970	1,82,123	19,20,033	2,77,454	33,707	4,93,284	87,713	(c) 77,675	165,288
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year ...	229'40	102'43	1,079'87	156'05	18'90	277'44	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	407,970	1,82,123	19,20,033	2,77,454	33,707	4,93,284	87,713	77,675	165,288
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week ...		2'14		3'43	17	2'69			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year ...		3'08		3'58	20	2'98			

(a) General decrease due mainly to the earnings being for 9 days, against 11 days in the corresponding period.
 (b) Includes 5,808 miles of ballast trains.
 (c) Includes 7,318 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the First 9 days of January 1909 on 1,379 (c) miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. c.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 9 days ...	581,040	2,55,440 0 0	24,94,320 0	3,90,090 0 0	20,350 0 0	6,80,680 0 0	95,654	(b) 63,313	157,967
Or per mile of railway ...	421	186 0 0	1,809 c	287 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a) 475 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 9 days ...	581,040	2,55,440 0 0	24,94,320 0	3,90,090 0 0	20,350 0 0	6,80,680 0 0	95,654	63,313	157,967
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 11 days of previous year ...	658,233	3,06,183 0 0	5,41,538 0	4,00,802 0 0	28,821 0 0	7,35,366 0 0	121,311	65,018	186,329
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	517	241 0 0	1,906 c	314 0 0	2 0 0	557 0 0	.....	.....	.....
(1,374 miles) ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	658,233	3,06,183 0 0	5,41,538 0	4,00,802 0 0	28,821 0 0	7,35,366 0 0	121,311	65,018	186,329

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 26,300.

(b) Excluding ballast train-miles 10,511.

(c) Increase in open mileage is due to the opening of Kathar-Godagari branch 105 miles for goods traffic only from 1st January 1909.

(d) The apparent decrease is due to 9 days traffic against 11 days in the previous year.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the First 9 days of January 1909 on 86 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. c.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 9 days ...	54,580	16,630 0 0	120,250 0	9,500 0 0	380 0 0	26,530 0 0	7,572	(a) 1,028	9,200
Or per mile of railway ...	185	194 0 0	1,398 c	110 0 0	4 0 0	308 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 9 days ...	54,580	16,630 0 0	120,250 0	9,500 0 0	380 0 0	26,530 0 0	7,572	1,028	9,200
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 11 days of previous year ...	75,544	23,506 0 0	148,751 0	12,449 0 0	240 0 0	36,195 0 0	8,976	3,100	12,076
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	878	273 0 0	1,730 c	145 0 0	3 0 0	421 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	75,544	23,506 0 0	148,751 0	12,449 0 0	240 0 0	36,195 0 0	8,976	3,100	12,076

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 643.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the First 9 days of January 1909 on 33.6 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. c.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 9 days ...	4,730	2,180 0 0	23,680 0	2,020 0 0	10 0 0	4,210 0 0	606	(a) 1,173	1,779
Or per mile of railway ...	141	65 0 0	705 c	60 0 0	.....	125 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 9 days ...	4,730	2,180 0 0	23,680 0	2,020 0 0	10 0 0	4,210 0 0	606	1,173	1,779
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 11 days of previous year ...	6,358	2,809 0 0	36,684 0	2,936 0 0	10 0 0	5,105 0 0	726	2,052	2,778
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	189	87 0 0	1,092 c	85 0 0	.....	153 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	6,358	2,809 0 0	36,684 0	2,936 0 0	10 0 0	5,105 0 0	726	2,052	2,778

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 1,125.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the First 9 days of January 1909 on 54 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for 9 days ...	19,310	5,950 0 0	1,35,310 0	8,750 0 0	50 0 0	14,750 0 0	2,731	(a) 1,243	3,974
Or per mile of railway ...	358	110 0 0	2,524 0	162 0 0	1 0 0	273 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 9 days ...	19,310	5,950 0 0	1,35,310 0	8,750 0 0	50 0 0	14,750 0 0	2,731	1,243	3,974
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 11 days of previous year ...	24,658	6,580 0 0	72,505 0	4,350 0 0	46 0 0	10,976 0 0	3,412	1,130	4,542
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	457	122 0 0	1,345 0	80 0 0	1 0 0	203 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	24,658	6,580 0 0	72,505 0	4,350 0 0	46 0 0	10,976 0 0	3,412	1,130	4,542

(a) Ballast train-miles, nil.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 16th January 1909 on 1,379 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	308,720	1,90,050 0 0	1,054,410 0	3,09,800 0 0	5,190 0 0	(c) 5,30,440 0 0	78,565	(b) 44,371	119,936
Or per mile of railway ...	280	142 0 0	1,417 0	224 0 0	(a) 1 0 0	(a) 367 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year ...	581,040	2,55,410 0 0	2,404,320 0	3,96,080 0 0	29,350 0 0	6,80,580 0 0	93,654	62,313	157,967
Total for 3 weeks ...	879,960	4,51,460 0 0	4,448,730 0	7,05,280 0 0	54,540 0 0	12,11,320 0 0	171,219	106,684	277,903
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	870,736	1,77,517 0 0	1,408,868 0	2,30,545 0 0	18,821 0 0	4,26,891 0 0	76,724	48,044	124,768
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,374 miles) ...	201	130 0 0	1,163 0	187 0 0	1 0 0	321 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	1,028,800	4,83,700 0 0	4,010,400 0	6,30,805 0 0	47,042 0 0	11,02,147 0 0	108,035	116,062	314,097

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 23,400.

(b) Excluding ballast train-miles, 8,796.

(c) Increase is due to general development of traffic under coaching and goods.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 16th January 1909 on 86 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	44,180	14,810 0 0	30,080 0	6,880 0 0	160 0 0	21,810 0 0	5,650	(a) 1,000	7,250
Or per mile of railway ...	513	172 0 0	331 0	79 0 0	2 0 0	263 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year ...	84,580	16,640 0 0	1,30,250 0	9,500 0 0	390 0 0	20,620 0 0	7,272	1,923	9,295
Total for 3 weeks ...	98,740	31,450 0 0	2,00,300 0	16,380 0 0	540 0 0	48,320 0 0	12,922	3,658	16,580
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	30,535	11,786 0 0	93,383 0	7,170 0 0	201 0 0	19,157 0 0	5,798	2,358	8,156
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	355	137 0 0	1,086 0	84 0 0	2 0 0	223 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	106,070	35,292 0 0	2,42,164 0	19,619 0 0	441 0 0	35,362 0 0	14,772	6,455	20,227

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 300.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 16th January 1909 on 33.6 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week	5,250	Rs. A. P. 2,070 0 0	Mds. S. 21,760 0	Rs. A. P. 2,800 0 0	Rs. A. P. 10 0 0	Rs. A. P. 4,220 0 0	413	(a) 935	1,348
Or per mile of railway	156	60 0 0	737 0	68 0 0	.....	126 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	4,730	2,180 0 0	23,680 0	2,020 0 0	10 0 0	4,210 0 0	666	1,173	1,779
Total for 3 weeks	9,980	4,190 0 0	48,440 0	4,220 0 0	20 0 0	8,430 0 0	1,079	2,108	3,127
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	4,822	1,902 0 0	33,209 0	2,411 0 0	14 0 0	4,327 0 0	413	1,024	2,037
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	144	57 0 0	958 0	73 0 0	.....	129 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	11,180	4,161 0 0	60,803 0	5,346 0 0	25 0 0	9,432 0 0	1,139	2,676	4,815

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 600.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 16th January 1909 on 5.2 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week	18,110	Rs. A. P. 5,050 0 0	Mds. S. 1,01,810 0	Rs. A. P. 6,070 0 0	Rs. A. P. 30 0 0	Rs. A. P. 11,150 0 0	2,138	(a) 1,036	3,174
Or per mile of railway	345	93 0 0	1,885 0	112 0 0	1 0 0	200 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	19,310	5,950 0 0	1,35,210 0	8,750 0 0	50 0 0	14,750 0 0	2,731	1,243	3,974
Total for 3 weeks	37,420	11,000 0 0	2,37,020 0	14,820 0 0	80 0 0	25,900 0 0	4,869	2,279	7,148
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	12,204	3,274 0 0	34,363 0	1,942 0 0	27 0 0	5,243 0 0	2,138	508	2,646
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	226	61 0 0	636 0	36 0 0	.....	97 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	36,803	9,554 0 0	1,00,888 0	6,292 0 0	72 0 0	16,218 0 0	5,660	1,638	7,198

(a) Ballast train-miles nil.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY.

(ORIGINAL LINE).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 16th January 1909, on 36.4 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week	7,277	Rs. A. P. 2,534 0 0	Mds. S. 31,461 0	Rs. A. P. 3,143 0 0	Rs. A. P. (b) 346 0 0	Rs. A. P. (b) 6,023 0 0	451	497	938
Or per mile of railway	200	70 0 0	880 0	86 0 0	(a)	(a) 166 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 1 week of half-year	7,744	2,277 0 0	41,546 0	7,606 0 0	839 0 0	10,273 0 0	607	673	1,280
Total for 2 weeks	15,021	4,811 0 0	72,907 0	10,749 0 0	735 0 0	16,295 0 0	1,058	1,100	2,218
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,466	2,537 0 0	30,135 0	5,350 0 0	341 0 0	5,528 0 0	508	496	1,004
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	205	78 0 0	828 0	147 0 0	.....	225 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	15,538	5,508 0 0	70,633 0	13,066 0 0	980 0 0	19,615 0 0	1,304	1,224	2,528

(a) Excludes Ferry earnings, Rs. 388.
(b) Includes Ferry earnings, Rs. 388.

BENGAL DOCK RAILWAY. (EXTENSIONS).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 16th January 1909, on 11½ miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	9,693	Rs. A. P. 3,647 0 0	Mds. S. 30,431 0	Rs. A. P. 5,086 0 0	Rs. A. P. 72 0 0	Rs. A. P. 9,405 0 0	1,566	1,710	3,276
Or per mile of railway ...	83	31 0 0	337 0	48 0 0	1 0 0	80 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 1 week of half-year ...	11,456	4,535 0 0	78,014 0	9,926 0 0	81 0 0	14,545 0 0	1,962	2,531	4,493
Total for 2 weeks ...	21,149	8,182 0 0	1,17,445 0	15,612 0 0	156 0 0	23,950 0 0	3,519	4,241	7,760
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	19,451	5,160 0 0	51,410 0	8,561 0 0	47 0 0	14,688 0 0	1,301	1,679	2,980
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	166	47 0 0	439 0	73 0 0	...	120 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	25,661	14,336 0 0	1,32,808 0	20,935 0 0	234 0 0	32,505 0 0	3,129	4,277	7,406

BEKING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 16th January 1909...	Coaching ...	4,785	0	0	10,325	0	0
	Goods ...	5,497	0	0			
	Other earnings ...	43	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1908	Coaching ...	4,360	0	0	11,356	0	0
	Goods ...	6,948	0	0			
	Other earnings ...	48	0	0			
	Decrease					1,031	0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 16th January 1909						202	7 3
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908						222	10 8
	Decrease					20	3 5
Receipts from 1st January to 16th January 1909						24,578	0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908						28,576	0 0
	Decrease					3,997	0 0





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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 23rd January 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

NATURE OF CARGO.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 23RD JANUARY 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 25TH JANUARY 1908.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	1,039	2,15,439	3,737	925	2,54,346	4,372
Jute	182	88,804	1,246	253	99,342	1,159
Firewood	42	45,760	724	57	50,325	773
Other articles	851	2,07,437	2,566	817	1,92,372	2,870
Total	2,114	5,52,230	8,273	2,052	5,96,385	9,474

CALCUTTA,
The 28th January 1909.

AMAR NATH DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 1st February 1909.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	...	9	9½	Slight rainfall at the Sadar and Asansol subdivisions. Threshing of paddy continuing. Sugarcane improved a little. Cattle-disease reported from Purbas-thali. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	0·09	9	9	Report of rainfall from Rampur Hât not received. Weather seasonable, but sometimes cloudy. Threshing of winter paddy going on. Condition of sugarcane and <i>rabi</i> crops not good. Fodder and water sufficient. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till the next harvest. No apprehension of scarcity. No cattle-disease reported.
3	BANKURA ...	0·10	8½	9½	Report of rainfall from Vishnupur not received. Weather cold. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE ..	1·59	10	10½	Rainfall at other subdivisions nil. Weather seasonable. Cultivation of summer rice progressing in the Ghatal and Sadar subdivisions. Prospects of sugarcane and <i>rabi</i> crops not good. Cattle-disease in the Jhargan, Ghatal, Midnapore and Binpur thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 12 seers per rupee at Contai, 9 seers at Tamluk and at 10 seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till the next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of sugarcane, potatoes and other <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Harvesting of winter paddy continuing. Prices of food-grains stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	...	8	8	Slight rain at the Sadar subdivision. Sky cloudy at the latter part of the week. Weather cold. More rain wanted for <i>boro</i> crops. Standing <i>rabi</i> crops doing fairly well. Agricultural stock in good condition. Fodder and water sufficient. No famine apprehended. No cattle-disease. Common rice selling at 9 seers per rupee in the Ulubaria subdivision.
7	24-PARGANAS	0·09	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Common rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 9½ seers at Basirhat, 9½ seers at Diamond Harbour and at 8 seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	0·05	8½	9	Rainfall at the subdivisions nil. Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of <i>arhar</i> and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Ploughing of lands commenced. Price of staple food-grains slightly risen. Stocks of food-grains barely sufficient. Fodder and water sufficient. Report from Meherpur not received.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
9	MURSHIDABAD	Inches. Nil	8½	9	Rainfall at Jangipur 0·16, Lalbagh 0·03 inch, and at Kandi nil. Rain wanted at Kandi. Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>aman</i> paddy still continuing in the Lalbagh and Kandi subdivisions. Outturn fair. Prospects of sugarcane not good. Some good done to wheat, barley, etc., in the Lalbagh subdivision by last week's rainfall. Condition of agricultural stock good in the Lalbagh subdivision. No cattle-disease.
10	JESSORE	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops going on. Condition of standing <i>rabi</i> crops poor. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good.
11	KHULNA	Nil	9½	9½	Weather cloudy and chilly. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Harvesting of winter rice continuing. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops not very favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA	Nil	9 16*	8½ 15½*	Weather cool. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Rain still wanted. Sugarcane-pressing continuing. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water available. No cattle disease.
13	GAYA	Nil	9½ 14½*	9½ 13½*	Weather cold. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing well. Transplantation of sugarcane continuing. Harvesting of mustard begun in places. Prices almost stationary. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. No cattle-disease.
14	SHAHABAD	...	9½ 14½*	9 13*	Rainfall at Buxar 0·19, Bhabhua 0·11, Sasaram 0·02 and at Dehri 0·03 inch. Rainfall of benefit to standing crops, but more rain wanted. Sugarcane-pressing continuing. <i>Rabi</i> crops and poppy doing fairly well. Pea and <i>masur</i> crops being harvested in places. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under the normal. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from one thana.
15	SARAN	0·03	9 16*	10 15*	Weather seasonable. Rain wanted for <i>rabi</i> crops. Pressing of sugarcane going on. Fields being prepared for sugarcane-planting. Harvesting of mustard commenced. Prices of staple food-crops slightly risen. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	{ 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ }	{ 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ }	Weather cold. Threshing of paddy approaching completion. Rain badly wanted for standing crops. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient as yet. Sugarcane-pressing going on.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	0·01	{ 9 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ }	{ 9 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ }	Weather cold and occasionally cloudy. Rainfall at Sitamarhi 0·07 inch. Harvesting of mustard commenced in the Hajipur subdivision. <i>Rabi</i> crops suffering from want of rain. Common rice and <i>makat</i> selling at 9 and 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee respectively at Hajipur and at 9 and 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee respectively at Sitamarhi. Cattle-disease reported in thana Pupri. Fodder and water sufficient at present, but sources of water-supply drying up at most places in the district.
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	{ 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ }	{ 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ }	Weather seasonable. <i>Rabi</i> crops suffering for want of rain. Food-stocks sufficient owing to heavy imports. Cattle-disease reported from a few villages. Number of persons on relief and test-works on the 30th January—Men 15,162, women 16,467 and children 1,285—total 32,914—Numbers on gratuitous relief—Men 243, women 459 and children 604—total 1,306.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	{ 8 13 }	{ 8 13 }	Weather seasonable. Rain badly wanted for standing <i>rabi</i> crops. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. No cattle-disease reported. Report from the Jamui subdivision not received. Fodder and water sufficient elsewhere.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	...	{ 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ }	{ 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ }	Weather seasonable. Condition of agricultural stock good. State of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing bad for want of rain in the Sadar, Supaul and Madhipura subdivisions. Prospects improved by slight rainfall in the Banka subdivision. No immediate apprehension of famine, but the condition critical in the tracts affected with scarcity. Price of rice slightly fallen. A good potato crop reaped and selling at two pice a seer. 18 men, 28 women and 80 children—total 126—gratuitously relieved in Supaul, and 9 men, 24 women and 23 children—total 56—in Madhipura. 209 men, 184 women and 30 children—total 423—on works in Supaul, and 105 men, 108 women and 36 children—total 249—in Madhipura.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	{ 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ 12 }	{ 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ 11 }	Weather seasonable. Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops generally bad. Lands being ploughed for the next season's crops. Mustard being gathered. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Stocks of food-grains sufficient on account of imports. Condition of poorer classes not good in the Sadar subdivision and in parts of the Kishanganj and Araria subdivisions. Sporadic cases of cattle-disease reported from the Gopalpur, Dhamadaha, Kadwa and Forbesganj thanas. Fodder and water for cattle reported to be insufficient in several localities. 2 men and 5 women relieved gratuitously. Test-works to be opened soon where necessary. Common rice selling at 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee at Araria and 7 seers at Kishanganj.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
		Inches.			
22	DARJEELING ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7 \\ 13 \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7 \\ 13 \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Hills—Barley and wheat growing. Oilseeds being harvested. Terai—Harvesting of winter rice still going on in some places. Pressing of sugarcane in progress. Prospects fair. Prices stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient.
23	SOUTHAL PARAGANAS.	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 11 \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 11 \end{array} \right.$	Rainfall at Jamthra 0·21 and at Pakour 0·37 inch. Rabi crops benefited by recent rain. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water not sufficient in the Godda and Rajmahal subdivisions.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10½	10½	Achua cotton, mung and tobacco growing. Castor in flower. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	1·50	11	10	Weather rainy and cool. Threshing of saradhi paddy, pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of rabi crops continuing. Dalua paddy thriving. Vegetables doing well. Food-stocks sufficient. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 13 seers a rupee at Bhadrak. Prices falling at Salar and stationary at Bhadrak. 44 men, 244 women and 348 children—total 636—receiving gratuitous relief in Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	0·09	15	15	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of oilseeds and pressing of sugarcane in progress. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 12 seers a rupee at the Khondmala. Fodder and water available.
27	PURI ...	0·02	9½	9½	Dalua paddy and kulthi coming up well. Common rice selling at 10½ seers per rupee at Khurda. Recipients of gratuitous relief—8 men, 101 women and 2 children—total—114. 45 men, 110 women and 242 children—total 407—attending kitchens.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	0·03	12	12	Threshing of winter rice and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Fields being ploughed for the next harvest. Condition of standing sugarcane and vegetables good. Stocks of food-grains and the fodder and water supply sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Rinderpest in the Bargarh Tahsil. Common rice selling at 13½ seers a rupee at Bargarh.

* The figures indicate the price of rice in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
		Inches.			
29	HAZARIBAGH...	0.24	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 12\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 12\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Owing to the recent rain fields being ploughed for next season's crops. Prospects of standing crops improved. Sugarcane-pressing continuing. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
30	RANCHI ...	0.58	9*	9.	Weather cold and cloudy. Recent rain facilitated ploughing and benefited the standing crops. Cattle-disease reported from four thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	0.23	9	9*	Weather cold. Rainfall general and beneficial to the standing crops. Fields being prepared for sugarcane. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water available. Some cattle-disease.
32	MANIKPUR ...	0.17	10	11	Weather very cold and occasionally cloudy. State of standing crops good. Tobacco being reaped. Sugarcane-pressing continuing. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Nirsha. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	0.40	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9	Weather cloudy and cold. Ploughing for early rice commenced. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 10 and 12 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ †	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ †	Weather seasonable. Cultivation of land for <i>bitri</i> paddy and jute commenced in places. Standing crops doing fairly well. Price of staple food-grains almost stationary. No apprehension of scarcity and famine. Fodder and water sufficient.
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA,†	.....	... ..	.....	Weather generally cold in almost all the States. <i>Sun-mug</i> being sown in Athgarh, but a shower of rain urgently required for the purpose. Harvesting of pulses and oilseeds in progress in Hindol, Baud, Dhenkanal, Mayurbhanj, Talcher and Baramba. Sugarcane being pressed in Sonpur, Bonai, Daspalla, Narsingpur, Khondpara, Baud, Dhenkanal, Pal-Lahara, Baramba, Keonjhar, Rairakhol, Kalahandi, Patna and Nilgiri. State of standing crops good in Daspalla, Baud and Gangpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 9 seers in Keonjhar and 12 seers in Nilgiri, Mayurbhanj and Narsingpur to 17 seers in Talcher and 18 seers in Patna.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† The report is for the week ending the 23rd January 1909.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—Light showers fell in Chota Nagpur and in Lower Bengal and Orissa, except Hooghly, Jessore, Khulna and Cuttaok. In Bihar there was practically no rain. A few scattered showers have been received in Shahabad, Saran, Muzaffarpur, Bhagalpur and the Sonthal Parganas. Ploughing of lands has been facilitated and standing crops have been benefited by the recent rain. More rain is wanted in Bihar for the *rabi* crops. Prospects are not favourable in North Bihar, in Birbhum, Midnapore, Jessore and Khulna. Harvesting of early oil-seeds and pulses is still going on in Nadia, Gaya, Shahabad, Saran, Muzaffarpur, Purnea, Balasore and Angul. Sugarcane-pressing continues in Bihar, Orissa and Chota Nagpur. The condition of the poorer classes in North Bihar is affected by the scarcity. The price of common rice has risen in Burdwan, Bankura, Midnapore, Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore, Saran and Manbhum, and has fallen in Patna, Shahabad, Bhagalpur, the Sonthal Parganas, Balasore, Puri and Singhbhum. Cattle-disease is reported from Burdwan, Midnapore, Shahabad, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Purnea, Sambalpur and Chota Nagpur, Singhbhum excepted. The fodder and water supply is reported to be insufficient in parts of Purnea and the Sonthal Parganas. The number of persons on test and famine relief works in Darbhanga and Bhagalpur was 33,586. Gratuitous relief was given to 1,495 persons in Darbhanga, Bhagalpur and Purnea, and 1,157 persons in Balasore and Puri.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 2nd February 1909.

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REORGANIZATION OF THE NURSING ARRANGEMENTS AT THE PRESIDENCY GENERAL HOSPITAL AND THE MEDICAL COLLEGE AND CONNECTED HOSPITALS, CALCUTTA.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT—MEDICAL.

Calcutta, the 5th February 1909.

RESOLUTION—No. 246Med.

READ—

Government Resolution No. 1672Medl., dated the 3rd September 1908, appointing a Special Committee to consider and report on the question of the reorganization of the nursing arrangements at the Presidency General Hospital and the Medical College and allied hospitals in Calcutta.

The Report of the Committee dated the 22nd December 1908.

THE rapid expansion and improvement during the past five or six years of the two principal medical institutions in Calcutta, viz., the Medical College Hospital with its connected institutions and the Presidency General Hospital, have necessitated reconsideration of the nursing arrangements, with a view to bringing them up to the requirements of the present day. The urgency of increasing the number of nurses has been felt for some years past, and although considerable progress has been made in this direction, much still remains to be done. Other important questions also, such as the class of nurses to be employed, their training, and the nature of the control to be exercised over them by the administrative medical officers concerned, have lately come into prominence. Hitherto the recruitment and supply of nurses for the hospitals, and the management and control exercised over them, have remained almost exclusively in the hands of the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution; and the Lieutenant-Governor desires to express his appreciation of the excellent service

rendered by the institution in this respect. Practical experience, however, has shown that the existing arrangements are not altogether satisfactory in the altered condition of the hospitals.

2. In order to increase the efficiency of the nursing staff, it was suggested that the Principal of the Medical College and the Surgeon-Superintendent of the Presidency General Hospital should each have full control over the nursing staff in the hospital under his charge. It was also proposed that a small Executive Committee, composed of members of the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution, should be associated with the Medical Officer in charge of each hospital. These Committees would have no concern with the nurses in respect of their professional duties, but would confine themselves to matters affecting the welfare of the nurses outside the hospitals, such as their quarters, messing arrangements, conduct and discipline. Each Committee would form an advisory or consultative body for the purpose of assisting the Medical Officer in charge of the hospital and the Lady Superintendent of the nurses in respect of such matters affecting the nurses as might suitably be dealt with in consultation with them. The General Committee of the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution would thus be relieved of the immediate control and management of the nurses, their functions being restricted more or less to the collection of subscriptions from the public, the receiving of the grants-in-aid from Government, and the allotment of funds between the hospitals concerned.

3. Definite schemes, with estimates of cost, were drawn up by the Principal of the Medical College and the Surgeon-Superintendent of the Presidency General Hospital for the institutions under their respective charge. The proposals contained in these schemes involved an outlay very largely in excess of what is now spent on the nursing arrangements at these institutions; and as such expenditure was likely to increase considerably in the future, it seemed necessary to appeal to the public for further aid if these schemes were to be given effect to, either entirely or in part.

4. With a view to obtaining the best advice before deciding upon the measures that should be adopted, the late Lieutenant-Governor Sir Andrew Fraser appointed a Special Committee consisting of the following gentlemen to consider and report on the whole question :—

Hon'ble Mr. C. E. A. W. Oldham, I.C.S.,			
Secretary to the Government of Bengal,			
Financial and Municipal Departments	...	President.	
Colonel R. Macrae, I.M.S.,			
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal	...		
Hon'ble Sir O. G. H. Allen, Kt.,			
Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta	...		
Lieut.-Col. C. P. Lukis, I.M.S.,			
Principal, Medical College, Calcutta	...		
" H. W. Pilgrim, I.M.S.,			
Surgeon-Superintendent, Presidency General Hospital			
Hon'ble Maharaja Sir Rameswar Singh Bahadur, K.C.I.E., of			
Darbhanga	...	...
" Mr. W. Brown,			
President, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, and President of the Committee of the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution	...	...	Members.
Maharaja Sir Prodyot Kumar Tagore, Kt.	...	...
Raja Benay Krishna Deb	...	...
Nawab A. F. M. Abdur Rahman	...	...
Lockhart A. Smith, Esq., of Messrs. Williamson, Magor and Company			
Rai Koylash Chandra Bose Bahadur, C.I.E.	...	...
A. Chaudhuri, Esq., M.A., Barrister-at-Law	...	...
Babu Bhupendra Nath Bose	...	...

5. The Committee's report has now been received. They have carefully considered the questions referred to them in their various aspects, and have submitted the following definite recommendations :—

(1) That the administrative heads of the Presidency General and Medical College Hospitals, respectively, should have a voice in the original selection of probationary nurses employed in the institutions under their charge, and that the final confirmation of the nurses should rest with them.

(2) That complete control should be given to the administrative head of each hospital in respect of the nurses while on duty.

(3) That lay Superintendents should be substituted for the Clewer Sisters at the Medical College and connected hospitals, or, if this be impracticable, that five Clewer Sisters be provided instead of only two as at present. In the event of the supervision of the Clewer Sisters being withdrawn, the original recruitment of nurses should rest with the Lady Superintendent.

(4) That a small Committee composed of members of the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution should be associated with the administrative head of each hospital for the purpose of dealing with all matters affecting the welfare, conduct, discipline, leave, punishment, dismissal, etc., of the nurses when not on duty within the hospitals. It should be left to the General Committee of the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution to appoint these Sub-Committees, which should be composed of both ladies and gentlemen. The decision of the administrative head, after consultation with the Sub-Committee, should be final.

(5) That the Sister Superior should not exercise any power of control over the nursing arrangements in the Presidency General Hospital.

(6) That an additional Sister should be provided for the Presidency General Hospital. This could be arranged if the Sisters were withdrawn from the Medical College Hospital.

(7) That, in respect of the Medical College Hospital, the pay of the Nursing Superintendent should be Rs. 250—300, and that of the Assistant Superintendents Rs. 200—225, per mensem.

(8) That, in the first instance, a few trained nurses should be imported from England on the same terms as those obtaining at Lahore, viz, that they should be bound by agreement to serve for five years, and be allowed no money for their return passage if that condition were broken.

(9) That in other respects the proposals of the Principal of the Medical College and the Surgeon-Superintendent, Presidency General Hospital, in respect of the staff of nurses required for the institutions under their charge, and the rates of pay to be given, should be accepted.

(10) That in order to provide funds for meeting the cost of the increased staff of nurses at the hospitals, the following measures should be adopted :—

(a) The rate for patients admitted to the Woodburn Ward should be increased to Rs. 10 a day, exclusive of fans, the additional fees thus obtained being credited to the funds of the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution.

(b) The Calcutta Corporation should be moved to increase considerably their contribution towards the maintenance of the hospitals, or to exempt the hospitals from the payment of rates, the relief so obtained being utilised partly or wholly in augmenting the funds of the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution.

(c) The Commissioners of the Cossipore-Chitpur and Maniktola Municipalities should also be moved to contribute, in view of the fact that a large number of the inmates of the hospitals come from these Municipalities.

(d) A vigorous appeal should be made to the general public for more subscriptions. The appeal should recite the facts as disclosed from the figures laid before the Committee, and should be published in all the leading papers and be widely circulated.

(e) A Sub-Committee should be appointed by the General Committee of the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution to make the above appeal and to canvass among the Indian community.

(f) An Indian lady should, if possible, be associated with the Secretary to the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution for the purpose of canvassing among Indian families.

(11) That a whole-time Secretary to the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution should be appointed, who might suitably be a lady.

6. The Lieutenant-Governor generally approves the recommendations of the Committee, and the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals will be requested to submit proposals for carrying them into effect. The only question which will be held in abeyance for the present is the proposed substitution of lay Superintendents for the Clewer Sisters at the Medical College and connected hospitals. The sisterhood must be consulted in the matter. Although it may be undesirable that the nursing arrangements at the Medical College Hospital should continue to be supervised by members of a religious order, in view of the fact that the great majority of the patients are Indians, the warmest thanks are due to the sisters for the whole-hearted services rendered by them. The proposal will also, as the Committee observe, depend upon the necessary funds being available.

7. It should be clearly understood, however, that reforms such as those proposed, which involve largely increased expenditure, cannot be undertaken until the money required has been satisfactorily provided for. The average income of the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution during the past three years has been about Rs. 1,20,000, whereas the annual expenditure, when full effect shall have been given to the two schemes put forward by the Principal of the Medical College and the Surgeon-Superintendent of the Presidency General Hospital will be about Rs. 1,79,000. A sum of Rs. 59,000, which will be an annually recurring charge, has therefore to be provided. Government already contributes largely towards the expenses of the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution, the annual grant-in-aid now given amounting to Rs. 50,000. Having regard to the fact that it is in the interests of the general public, both European and Indian, that the hospitals exist, it is only reasonable to expect that the public should contribute more largely towards the support of the nursing arrangements, which constitute a most important factor in their successful working. Hitherto the subscriptions received by the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution from the Indian communities have been most inadequate, as the following statement for the three years 1905 to 1907 discloses:—

Subscriptions received from—	1905.		1906.		1907.	
	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.
• Europeans ...	37,000	3 7	38,299	1 9	34,728	7 7
• Hindus ...	906	6 0	896	8 0	787	0 0
• Muhammadaus ...	214	8 0	132	0 0	175	8 0
• Parsees ...	100	0 0	90	0 0	70	0 0

8. The figures show that of the total income received by the Institution from subscriptions from the public, only 3 per cent. is subscribed by Indians, while 97 per cent is received from Europeans. There is no reason why the Indian communities should not subscribe largely towards the cost of the nursing arrangements at the Medical College and connected hospitals, as Indians comprise more than two-thirds of the in-door patients. The Lieutenant-Governor trusts that these facts have only to be made widely known for the leading members of the several Indian communities to take measures that will remove this reproach. Sir Edward Baker agrees with the Committee that the first and most essential action to be taken is to make a properly organized and strenuous appeal to the public for further pecuniary assistance; and he trusts that this appeal, when made, will be heartily responded to. He also agrees that the Corporation of Calcutta should be invited to contribute more generously, and the Municipalities of Cossipore-Chitpur and Maniktola to contribute their quota, towards the support of the hospitals.

9. The Lieutenant-Governor desires to record his thanks to the Committee for their report and for the manner in which they have dealt with the questions referred to them.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINAL FORECAST OF THE SUGARCANE CROP OF BENGAL, 1908-09.

THE following note is published for general information.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 5th February 1909.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

FINAL FORECAST OF THE SUGARCANE CROP OF BENGAL, 1908-09.

[On an average of the five years ending 1906-07, the area under sugarcane in the territory to which this forecast relates has represented some 18·8 per cent. of the total area under this crop in British India].

Character of the season.—In South-West Bengal, weather conditions were unfavourable in the early part of the season and a full normal area could not be sown. Some damage was done to the crop by heavy rain in July and August, and by drought since October last. In Orissa and Chota Nagpur, the weather conditions were favourable except in Palamau. In Bihar the crop is most important; the rainfall was timely here in the planting season, and though the monsoon was defective, it was generally favourable for the crop, but the drought since the second week of October has affected the outturn seriously, especially in North Bihar. On the whole the season was unfavourable for the crop.

Area planted.—The area under sugarcane this year is returned as 375,100 acres, *i.e.*, 61,100 acres less than last year and 55,100 acres short of the normal. The decrease in cultivation this year is due to deficient rain at the time of planting.

Outturn.—Appendix I of the report shows that two districts only, *viz.*, Balasore and Ranchi, estimate a normal crop. In Singhbhum a 94 per cent. crop is expected. Four districts, *viz.*, Shahabad, Cuttack, Puri and Hazaribagh, report crops between 80 and 83 per cent. Eight districts report from 70 to 79 per cent. crops, five districts from 60 to 69 per cent. crops, and seven districts from 50 to 59 per cent. crops. The estimates for the remaining six districts are poor, *viz.*, Bhagalpur (49 per cent.), Murshidabad (18 per cent.), Purnea (14 per cent.), Saran (49 per cent.), Darbhanga (34 per cent.) and Hooghly (33 per cent.). According to the district returns now received, the outturn of the crop for the Province works out to 62 per cent. of a normal

crop against 73 per cent. in the preliminary forecast. Taking 22 cwts as the normal outturn of cane *gur* per acre, the gross outturn of it in the Province, amounts to 5,116,400 cwts. against 8,156,900 cwts. estimated last year.

Other sources of gur.—The total quantity of *gur* likely to be produced from the juice of the date palm is estimated at 1,331,446 cwts, and that of the palmyra palm at 25,108 cwts. The total quantity of *gur* in the Province from all sources is 6,472,954 cwts.

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CALCUTTA,

The 28th January 1909.

APPENDIX I.

Final Forecast of the Sugarcane Crop of 1908.

DIVISION.	District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.										Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.	
		Total area of the district, in acres.	Total area cultivated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under sugarcane, in acres.	Approximate area under sugarcane last year (1907), in acres.	Estimated area under sugarcane this year (1908), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much represented the output last year (1907)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much will represent this year's output (1908)?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under the crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Burdwan	Burdwan	1,721,990	1,264,200	25,909	24,500	22,900	77	62	53,749	1889 to 1892 and 1903-04 to 1906-07.	692	Not yet begun.	The decrease in the area as compared with that of last year is due to want of moisture during the planting season. The general condition of the crop is not good. Harvesting will be normal.	
	Birbhum	1,131,280	784,700	9,000	8,900	6,900	60	50	45,571	1889 to 1891 and 1906.	164	Not yet begun.	The output of the crop is very low owing to want of rain during the sowing season, and after in October, and to excessive rain during June and July last.	
	Bankura	1,677,440	642,800	5,800	13,000	12,000	60	50	14,579	1889 to 1902 and 1906.	...	Not yet begun.	The general condition of the crop is not good. The low output is due to heavy rain which has considerably damaged the growth of the crop.	
	Midnapore	3,313,040	2,187,600	20,300	17,200	16,900	57	60	33,342	1893 to 1898.	372	..	The general condition of the crops at the Ghatal subdivision is not good owing to untimely rains and floods.	

Division.	District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.										Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.	
		Total area of the district, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under sugarcane, in acres.	Approximate area under sugarcane last year (1907), in acres.	Estimated area under sugarcane this year (1908), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1907)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908)?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under the crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Burdwan— contd.	Hoochly	761,110	445,900	7,300	7,000	6,700	87	33	Acres.	Not cadastrally surveyed.	Acres.	End of November.	The crops suffered to a certain extent for want of rain just after planting, and were considerably damaged on account of excessive and continual rain during the last rainy season. In the Serampore subdivision where 6,400 acres were cultivated. Almost all the plants were stunted in their growth and some were totally destroyed. The decrease in the outturn is due to heavy rain in July last as well as to the absence of rain in the latter part of the season. The condition of the crop is not good. The date of harvesting in the Sadar subdivision will be normal, but in the Uluberia subdivision it is early.	
	Howrah	338,400	250,600	8,500	8,300	8,000	97	50	..	..	..	Will begin January in Sadar and middle of November in Uluberia.		
	24 Parganas...	3,100,533	1,068,700	5,100	4,000	3,300	73	50	..	..	..	October to January.	The decrease in the outturn as compared with the first forecast was due to the unequal distribution of rain. The weather and general condition of the crop was not good. The date of harvesting was normal everywhere except in the Sadar subdivision where it was late.	

Pr Presidency	Nadia	1,787,850	1,043,800	11,400	7,900	6,300	54	66	Not cadastrally surveyed	Middle of November.	The weather was not favourable. The general condition of the crop is fair. The date of harvesting was normal.
	Memhaidabad	1,371,920	985,500	14,700	11,300	3,000	50	49		End of November.	The general condition of the crop is not good for want of seasonable rain. The date of harvesting was early in some places.
	Jessore	1,872,153	1,191,000	13,000	9,300	3,100	57	52		October 1906 to January 1907.	The decrease in the area is due to want of rain at the time of planting. The general condition of the crop is not good. The date of harvesting is late in the Bongson subdivision and normal in other subdivisions.
	Khulna	3,049,016	870,000	1,500	1,200	1,200	100	75		15th September.	The weather was unfavourable and the general condition of the crop is not good. The date of harvesting was normal this year. The outturn is estimated to be 75 per cent. for want of seasonable rain.
Patna	Patna	1,388,000	1,092,100	20,300	19,900	19,700	74	73	73,194	Last week of October.	Continued drought has somewhat affected the outturn.
	Gaya	3,015,980	2,118,100	36,100	26,400	36,400	45	77	317,900	Second week of October.	Deficient rain in May and June/1908 affected the prospects of the crop. The date of harvesting was normal.
	Shahabad	2,800,843	1,543,600	45,300	45,200	40,000	63	80	...	25th October.	The weather on the whole was favourable. The date of harvesting was normal.

DIVISION.	District.	PROGRESS FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.										Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.	
		Total area of the district, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under sugarcane, in acres.	Approximate area under sugarcane last year (1907), in acres.	Estimated area under sugarcane this year (1908), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the out-turn last year (1907)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908)?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under the crop during the cadastral survey.			Date at which the cutting of the crop was begun this year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Tirhut	Saran	1,711,286	1,357,200	36,500	44,700	36,000	68	40	1,711,286	1893 to 1901.	36,500	End of November.	The weather was not seasonable and the condition of the crop was not good. The date of harvesting was normal in the Gopalganj sub-division and late in the Siwan Sub-division. Insufficient rain has stunted the growth of the plants, and the outturn is less than what was estimated in the Preliminary Forecast. Over a large area originally sown with sugarcane, other crops have been substituted owing to the early failure of the sugarcane plants.	
	Champaran	2,289,840	1,447,600	16,300	15,200	16,000	81	62	2,079,515	1893 to 1899.	11,155	November.	The weather was unfavourable. Want of rain has damaged the growth of the crop. The date of harvesting was normal.	
	Muzaffarpur	1,942,400	1,627,000	8,800	11,800	11,000	78	50	1,941,254	1891 and 1893 and 1899 and 1900.	8,705	November.	The date of harvesting was normal. The rainfall was scanty and irregularly distributed and the crop has suffered considerably for want of moisture in the soil.	
	Darbhanga	2,142,600	1,678,000	17,000	20,000	19,000	98	34	2,142,600	1894 to 1903.	17,000	October and November.	The weather was not favourable owing to drought and the general condition of the crop is not good. The date of harvesting was normal.	

Division.	District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.											Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
		Total area of the district, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under sugarcane, in acres.	Approximate area under sugarcane, last year (1907), in acres.	Estimated area under sugarcane this year (1908), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1907)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908)?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under the crop during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the planting of the crop was begun this year.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Orissa--contd.	Sambalpur ..	2,447,560	846,300	3,700	6,000	3,700	82	75	2,433,290	1854 to 1887 and 1891 to 1897.	6,400	15th November.	The condition of the crop was fair, but owing to heavy rain, the outturn is less than that of last year. The date of harvesting of the crops was normal.	
	Hazaribagh ..	4,428,440	1,703,000	35,600	34,300	24,500	80	82	..	..	..	November.	.....
	Ranchi ..	4,551,920	1,870,000	300	300	300	40	100	The district is being cadastrally surveyed.	..	..	..	..
	Palamu ..	3,744,560	627,600	4,200	3,300	3,000	60	70	187,590	1898-1897.	387	1st week of November.	The date of planting was normal and the weather was favourable. A very small quantity of gar is produced in this district. The sugarcane is generally chewed by the people.	
Chota Nagpur.	Manbhum ..	3,654,080	1,413,900	12,500	13,000	12,200	75	75	Not cadastrally surveyed	..	..	Not yet begun.	The weather was very unfavourable at the time of sowing, and, the crop suffered to a certain extent.	
	Singbhum ..	2,400,240	840,700	1,000	1,000	600	52	94	1,761,954	1895 to 1897 and 1900 to 1902.	90	15th November.	The weather was better and hence the outturn is better, but owing to scarcity and famine during this year, the whole area could not be cultivated.	
	Total ..	74,117,041	30,100,600	490,300	496,500	575,100	85	82	..	..	..	..	..	As estimated by this Dept.

APPENDIX II.

Abstract statement of estimated acreage and outturn of the Sugarcane Crop, 1908.

PROVINCE.	ACREAGE.				OUTTURN IN CWTs.							Remarks by the Department of agriculture, Bengal.	
	Of current year's crop. (1908-09).	Of previous year's crop. (1907-08).	Average of five preceding years. (1902-06).	Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or falls short of (-) area in—		Estimated yield of current year, e.g. of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, e.g. of area in column 3.	Average yield of five preceding years. (1902-06).	Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+) or falls short of (-) outturn in—		Column 8.		Column 9.
				Column 3.	Column 4.				Column 8.	Column 9.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
Bengal	375,100	438,300	426,500	-14.01	-14.17	5,116,400	8,166,900	8,790,500	-67.28	-41.83	The average yield of raw sugar (gur) is estimated at 22 cwt. per acre in Bengal.		

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 8th February 1909.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	0.09	9	9	Rainfall at Kalna 0.06, at Katwa 0.03 and at Raniganj 0.05 inch. Threshing of winter rice and gathering of potatoes going on. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops and sugarcane good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Rampur Hat 0.06 inch. Threshing of paddy nearly finished. Condition of sugarcane and <i>rabi</i> crops not good. Fodder and water sufficient. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Cattle-disease reported from the Sadar thana. Common rice selling at 8½ seers per rupee at Rampur Hat.
3	BANKURA ...	0.05	9½	8½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Vishnupur 0.21 inch. Threshing of paddy continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	10	10	Rainfall at Contai 0.44, at Tamluk 0.24 and at Ghatal 0.10 inch. Sowing of summer rice continuing in the Ghatal subdivision. Prospects of sugarcane and <i>rabi</i> crops not good except in the Tamluk subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from Ghatal, Salbani, Binpur and Midnapore thanas. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 11 seers per rupee at Contai, 8 seers at Tamluk and 10 seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGRHA ...	Nil	8½	8½	Slight rainfall at the subdivisions. Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of sugarcane, potatoes and <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Harvesting of winter paddy nearly finished. Prices of food-grains stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8	8	Weather cloudy towards the latter end of the week. More rain wanted for summer rice. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing fairly well. Agricultural stock in good condition. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported.
7	24-PARGANAS	0.03	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Common rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 9½ seers at Basirhat, 9½ seers at Diamond Harbour and at 8½ seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	8½	8½	Rainfall at Chuadanga 0.02, Kushtia 0.01 and at Ranaghat 0.01 inch. Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of <i>rahar</i> , tobacco and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Ploughing of lands going on. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains barely sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Meherpur and Ranaghat thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Radar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	8½	8½	Weather favourable. Rainfall at Lalbag 0.01 inch and at Jangipur and Kandi nil. Harvesting of <i>aman</i> paddy finished at the Kandi subdivision, but still going on at the Lalbag subdivision. Outturn fair. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Sugarcane-pressing going on. Prospects not favourable. Lands being prepared for <i>boro</i> in the Jangipur subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
10	JHARKH	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops going on. Condition of standing crops poor. Fodder and water generally sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good.
11	KHULNA	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Satkhira 0.10 and at Bagerhat 0.04 inch. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Harvesting of winter rice still continuing. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops not very favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA	0.36	9 15½	9 16	Weather cool, cloudy and foggy. Pressing of sugarcane going on. Some good done to <i>rabi</i> crops by the recent rain. Poppy in flower. Food-stocks being imported from outside and sufficient. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
13	GAYA	0.22	10½† 14½*	9½ 14½	Rainfall general. Weather cold, later cloudy. Transplantation of sugarcane nearly finished. <i>Rabi</i> crops and poppy promising well. Prices fallen slightly. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. No cattle-disease.
14	SHAHABAD	0.35	9 14	9½ 14½	Rainfall at Buxar 0.48, Bhādhua 0.11, Sasaram 0.18 and at Dehri 0.28 inch. Much good done to the <i>rabi</i> crops by the recent rain. Pressing of sugarcane continuing. Peas and <i>masur</i> being harvested. Poppy doing well. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal. Agricultural stock in normal condition. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease still reported from Nokha.
15	SARAN	0.14	8½ 15½	9 16	Weather cold. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of mustard going on. <i>Rahar</i> affected injuriously by frost in places. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Food-stock resources external. Agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Inches. Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather very cold and foggy. Rain badly wanted for standing crops. Sugarcane-pressing and harvesting of rape and mustard going on. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 14\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9 \\ 14\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Rainfall at Hajipur 0·21 inch. Weather seasonable. Harvesting of mustard in progress. Tobacco damaged by frost. Cattle-disease reported in Pupri, Belsand and Sadar thanas. Fodder sufficient. Water-supply running short in many parts of the district. Test-works soon to be opened in parts of the Sitamarhi subdivision, where distress is anticipated. Common rice selling at 9 and 14½ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur and at 9 and 14 seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi.
18	DARHANGA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. <i>Rahar</i> crops damaged at places by frost. Food-stocks sufficient. Cattle-disease reported in two villages. Number on relief-works on the 4th February—24,471. Number of persons gratuitously relieved in the declared areas on the 4th—1,493 and number on test-works in observation areas—9,881 and on gratuitous relief 566.
19	MUNGHYR ...	0·09	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 13 \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. <i>Rabi</i> crops suffered to some extent for want of rain. Sowing of sugarcane and cheena commenced. Prices of staple food-grains slightly fallen. Cattle-disease reported from Khagaria thana. Scarcity of fodder and water apprehended in the Jamui subdivision.
20	BHAQALPUR ...	0·14	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Rain badly wanted for the proper growth of <i>rabi</i> crops in places where there are no means of irrigation. No apprehension of famine at present, but the condition still critical. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Prices of food-grains slightly fallen. 130 men, 343 women and 334 children—total 807—gratuitously relieved in Madhipura, and 182 men, 467 women and 136 children—total 785—in Supaul. 1621 men, 1,672 women and 397 children—total 3,690—on test-works in Madhipura and 1,812 men, 1,117 women and 332 children—total 3,261 in Supaul.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 12 \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 12 \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable, at times cloudy. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops generally bad. Rain urgently wanted for standing <i>rabi</i> crops. Mustard still being gathered. Lands being ploughed for <i>bhadoi</i> crops and jute. Condition of poor agriculturists and labourers affected by scarcity. Agricultural loans being given. Stocks of food-grains sufficient on account of imports. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder and water getting scarce in many localities. 9 women relieved gratuitously. Sporadic cases of cattle-disease reported from two thanas. Common rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Araria and 7 seers at Kishanganj.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Gadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
22	DARJEELING ...	Inches. Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 13^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7 \\ 13^* \end{array} \right.$	Wheat and barley growing. Oilseeds being harvested. Terai—Lands being ploughed for jute and <i>bhano</i> crops. Mustard and potatoes being harvested. Sugarcane-pressing going on. Harvesting of winter rice nearly finished. Prospects fair. Prices stationary.
23	SONTHAL PAR- GANAS.	0·02	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 11^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 11^* \end{array} \right.$	Rainfall at Deoghur 0·37, Godda 0·14 and at Rajmahal 0·05 inch. <i>Rabi</i> crops benefited by recent rain. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water not sufficient in the Godda and Rajmahal subdivisions.
24	CUTTACK ...	1·03	10½	10½	<i>Achua</i> cotton, tobacco and <i>mung</i> growing. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Bhadrak 1·07 inches. Threshing of <i>surath</i> paddy, pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. <i>Dalua</i> paddy thriving. Vegetables progressing well. Food-stocks sufficient. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 13 seers a rupee at Bhadrak. Prices stationary. 16 men, 47 women and 70 children—total 133—receiving gratuitous relief in Bhadrak. Relief finally stopped since.
26	ANGUL ...	0·03	15	15	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of oilseeds and pressing of sugarcane nearly finished. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 12 seers a rupee at the Khondmals. Fodder and water available.
27	PURI ...	0·39	9½	9½	Rainfall at Khurda 0·73 inch. <i>Dalua</i> crop promising well. <i>Kulthi</i> being harvested. Cattle-disease reported from Kothdesh. Common rice selling at 10½ seers a rupee at Khurda. Recipients of gratuitous relief—10 men, 129 women and 3 children—total 142. 42 men, 117 women and 243 children—total 402—attending kitchens.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	0·20	12½	12	Weather occasionally cloudy. Sugarcane being pressed. Rice and sugarcane fields being ploughed and improved for next harvest. Condition of standing sugarcane and vegetables good. Stocks of food-grains and the fodder and water-supply sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Cattle-disease reported. Common rice selling at 14 seers a rupee at Bargarh.

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No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
		Inches.			
29	HAZARIBAGH...	0·02	{ 8½ 12° }	{ 8½ 12½ }	Weather seasonable. Ploughing of fields continuing. Mustard being reaped. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-pox reported from one thana.
30	RANCHI ...	0·09	9	9	Weather little cloudy. Ploughing of lands in progress. State of standing crops little improved by the recent rain. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	0·25	9	9	Weather very cold. Recent rainfall beneficial to the standing crops. Fields being prepared for sugarcane. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water available. Some cattle-disease. 200 persons on gratuitous relief from Charitable Funds in Japla.
32	MANRHUM ...	0·06	11	10	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. <i>Til</i> being reaped. Sugarcane-pressing continuing. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Nirsha. Condition of agricultural stock good. Prices of staple food grains gradually going down. Common rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	0·46	9	9½	Weather cold. Ploughing for early rice going on. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 10 and 12 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	7½†	7½†	Weather seasonable. Preparation of land for <i>biri</i> and jute continuing. Standing crops doing fairly well. Price of staple food-grains almost stationary. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water sufficient.
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.†	.....	.....	.....	Name of State.
					Rain fall in inoh.
					Gangpur ... 0·89
					Mayurbhanj ... 0·21
					Bonai ... 0·62
					Keonjhar ... 1·11
					Weather seasonable. <i>Kulhi</i> and <i>mung</i> in Narsingpur and Dhenkanal, gram and <i>arhar</i> in Baud, <i>biri</i> in Dhenkanal and Baramba and mustard in Baramba and Hindol being harvested. Pressing of sugarcane in progress in Narsingpur, Sonpur, Dhenkanal, Bonai, Nilgiri, Kalahandi, Rairakhol, Patna, Athmallik, Baramba, Keonjhar, Daspalla and Pal-Labera. Prospects of standing crops good in Gangpur, Baud, Hindol and Daspalla. Estimated outturn of <i>biri</i> 10 annas in Dhenkanal, of <i>rabi</i> crops 12 annas in Mayurbhanj, and of gram 12 annas and of <i>arhar</i> 10 annas in Baud. Agricultural stock good in Gangpur, Narsingpur, Sonpur, Bonai, Nayagarah, Baud and Patna. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 9 seers in Kheonjhar and 12 seers in Mayurbhanj and Narsingpur to 17 seers in Talcher and 18 seers in Patna.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† The report is for the week ending the 30th January 1909.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—Light rain fell in all districts except in Howrah, Jessore, Champaran, Darbhanga, Purnea, Darjeeling and Cooch Behar. The recent rain has been beneficial to the standing *rabi* crops, and prospects have improved. More rain is, however, urgently wanted in North Bihar, where the condition of the *rabi* crops is bad owing to want of sufficient moisture in the soil. Sugarcane-pressing is going on in Bihar, Orissa and Chota Nagpur. Planting of the crop has commenced in some districts of Bihar. Preparation of lands for the next season's crops and harvesting of early oil-seeds and pulses continues. Some damage has been done by frost to *rahar* in Saran and Darbhanga and to tobacco in Muzaffarpur. There is distress amongst the poorer classes in parts of North Bihar owing to the scarcity. The price of common rice has risen in Shahabad, Champaran, Bhagalpur, the Sonthal Parganas and Singhbhum and has fallen in Bankura, Jessore, Gaya, Saran, Muzaffarpur, Monghyr, Darjeeling, Sambalpur and Manbhum. Cattle-disease is reported from Birbhum, Midnapore, Nadia, Shahabad, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Purnea, Puri, Sambalpur and Chota Nagpur (Singhbhum excepted). Fodder is insufficient in parts of Purnea and the Sonthal Parganas. The water supply is getting scarce in parts of Muzaffarpur, Monghyr, Purnea and the Sonthal Parganas. The number of persons on test-works in Darbhanga and Bhagalpur was 16,832, and gratuitous relief was given to 3,860 persons in Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Palamau, and 677 persons in Balasore and Puri. The number of persons on famine relief-works in Darbhanga was 24,471.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 9th February 1909.

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PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

DIVISION.		Number.		DISTRICTS.		QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN																											
				WHEAT.			BARLEY.			COMMON RICE.						JOWAR OR CHOLU. (<i>Andropogon terrestris</i>).			BAJRA OR CUMBU. (<i>Pennisetum typhoid- esum</i>).														
										Average.			Cheapest.																				
				Present return.			Next preceding return.			Corresponding return of last year.			Present return.			Next preceding return.			Corresponding return of last year.			Present return.			Next preceding return.			Corresponding return of last year.					
				S. Ch.			S. Ch.			S. Ch.			S. Ch.			S. Ch.			S. Ch.			S. Ch.			S. Ch.			S. Ch.			S. Ch.		
BENGAL.		1	Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		2	Birbhum	7 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		3	Bankura	7 8	7 8	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		4	Midnapore	7 0	6 0	6 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		5	Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		6	Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		7	24-Parganas	7 4	7 4	6 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		8	Calcutta	7 0	7 0	6 8	11 4	11 0	8 0	6 14	6 12	5 14	9 0	9 0	7 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		9	Nadia	6 0	6 7	9 6	Not sold.	10 12	...	Not reported.	7 0	6 6	9 0	8 0	6 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		10	Murshidabad	7 8	7 8	8 8	12 8	12 0	11 5	Not reported.	7 8	7 4	9 0	9 0	7 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		11	Jessore	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 0	7 4	8 0	Not reported.	7 0	7 12	9 6	9 6	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		12	Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
BIHAR.		13	Patna	8 8	8 8	7 0	16 8	16 0	11 0	9 0	8 12	6 15	10 0	9 8	7 8	...	...	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		14	Gaya	7 8	7 8	6 0	13 0	14 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	6 12	9 8	9 8	7 4	14 4	13 8	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		15	Mahabadi	8 8	8 0	7 0	13 0	14 0	8 0	9 0	8 0	7 6	9 8	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		16	Saran	8 4	9 0	7 12	16 0	16 0	9 0	8 0	8 8	7 0	9 0	10 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		17	Champanan	8 0	8 0	6 8	15 8	15 0	12 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	9 8	9 8	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		18	Munshiharpur	8 0	8 0	6 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		19	Barbhanga	8 3	8 12	6 9	15 6	15 6	11 0	6 8	7 0	6 9	8 0	8 0	8 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

- A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 20½ seers; Asansol 21 seers; Kalna 22½ seers; Raniganj 21 seers.
- B. At Rampur Hat the retail price of salt is 22 seers per rupee.
- C. At Viahnupur the retail price of salt is 22 seers per rupee (panga).
- D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contal 20 seers; Tamruk 20 seers; Ghatal 22½ seers.
- E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 20 seers; Sambahn 16 seers.
- F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 20 seers per rupee (panga).
- G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetia 20 seers (karkatch); Barasat 16 seers; Haduria 21½ seers; Mograbat 18½ seers; Barraokpore 16 seers.
- M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 22½ seers (panga); Chudanga 16 seers (karkatch); Maherpur 20 seers (karkatch); Managhat 17 seers (crushed).

Statement of the districts of Bengal on the 31st January 1900.

SEES OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

WHOLESALE PRICES
PER MAUND OF FORTY
SEERS.

MARUA OR RAGI <i>Eleusine Coracana</i>			KANGSI OR KAKUM ITALIAN MILLET <i>Seteria italica</i>			GRAM, UHANA, UNHOLA, BUDALAY OR SUNAGA <i>Ocra arifolium</i>			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE <i>Zea mays</i>			ARRAR (dali) OR THUR, (ADIAN PRA <i>Cajanus indicus</i>)			SALT.			SALT.			Number
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.	
...	8 0	8 0	9 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1
...	7 12	7 8	6 0	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	6 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	1 15 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	2
...	9 0	8 8	7 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 8	6 10	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	3
...	8 0	7 0	6 0	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	6 0	D Bombay 10 0 10 0 1 ... Crushed 20 0 20 0 20 0			Bombay 1 14 0 1 14 0 Crushed 1 12 0 1 12 0 1 12 0			4
...	7 8	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	5 8	6 8	6 0	20 0	20 0	17 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 3 0	5
...	8 8	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 11 0	6
...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 0	24 0	24 0	25 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	7
...	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	11 0	11 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 10	18 0	18 0	20 0	1 15 0	1 15 0	1 10 0	8
...	9 0	8 0	8 14	...	...	...	6 0	6 7	6 4	16 0	16 0	16 0	Not reported.	1 13 0	1 13 0	9
...	8 4	8 8	10 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 0	21 0	21 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	10
...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 8	10 0	21 0	21 0	22 8	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 12 0	11
...	9 0	8 0	7 9	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	12
...	13 4	Not sold.	10 0	11 0	10 12	8 12	16 0	14 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	7 2	19 0	19 0	19 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	13
...	11 0	10 0	7 0	9 8	10 0	7 0	14 4	13 0	8 0	7 0	7 8	6 8	20 0	20 0	19 8	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 0	14
...	10 4	9 0	8 0	14 8	13 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	15
...	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 12	15 0	14 12	9 0	9 12	9 4	21 0	21 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 15 0	16
15 0	15 0	11 0	...	...	...	10 8	10 0	10 0	15 8	15 0	9 4	8 0	8 0	6 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	2 4 9	2 4 9	2 4 9	17
12 0	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	8 0	9 0	8 0	14 12	14 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	19 0	19 0	18 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 6	18
18 8	18 8	11 0	...	...	...	9 4	9 14	8 12	13 8	14 0	11 0	8 8	8 8	6 0	19 12	19 12	19 12	2 0 3	2 0 3	2 0 3	19

I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 20 seers; Lalbagh 20 seers; and Kanui 20 seers.

J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 18½ seers; Magura 16 seers; Hanganon 21 seers; and Narail 14½ seers (panga).

K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagornat 16 seers (panga); Satkhira 2½ seers.

L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 20 seers; Dinapore 16 seers; and Bihar 18½ seers.

M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Aurangabad 20 seers; Jehanabad 20 seers; and Nawadah 20 seers.

N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bixar 20 seers; Bhabhua 19 seers; and Samaram 20 seers.

O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 20½ seers (panga); Gopalganj 19½ seers (panga).

P. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 19 seers per rupee.

Q. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samarhi 20 seers; Hajipur 18½ seers.

R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 20 seers; Machhann 19½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

		QUANTITIES PER RUPEE-100																		
DIVISION.	Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			COMMON RICE.						JOWAR OR CHOLUM (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>)			BAJRA OR CUMBU (<i>Pennisetum typhoides</i>)		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Average.			Cheapest.			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
									Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.						
BEGALPUR DIVISION.	BIHAR—continued.		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	20	Monghyr ...	8 12	8 12	7 0	11 0	11 0	Not sold.	7 8	7 11	7 4	8 8	8 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	21	Mhagalspur ...	8 3	8 3	6 10	13 4	13 4	11 8	7 4	7 4	7 9	8 14	8 14	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	22	Purnea ...	7 8	7 12	8 8	...	...	...	8 8	6 5	7 8	7 8	7 8	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	23	Darjeeling ..	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	Not reported.	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	24	North Paraganas.	7 0	7 0	6 0	10 0	9 0	7 0	8 8	8 8	7 0	9 12	9 10	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
ORISSA DIVISION.	ORISSA.																			
	25	Cuttack ..	6 14	6 14	7 14	...	...	...	10 6	10 8	7 10	10 8	10 8	8 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	26	Balasore ..	7 8	7 8	7 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 0	8 0	12 0	11 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	27	Angul ...	5 0	5 0	5 0	...	...	...	15 0	14 0	8 0	15 0	14 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	28	Puri ...	7 3	6 9	7 14	...	...	...	9 13	9 3	7 3	10 8	10 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	29	Fambalpur...	7 8	7 4	7 8	...	...	...	11 12	11 0	8 8	12 4	12 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.	CHOTA NAGPUR																			
	30	Hazaribagh ..	6 12	6 12	6 8	10 0	9 0	...	8 0	8 4	6 8	8 8	8 12	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	31	Ranchi ...	6 12 to 7 0	6 12 to 7 0	6 8 to 7 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	6 4	9 12	9 12	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	32	Palamu ..	7 5	7 5	7 5	13 8	...	Not sold.	7 14	7 1	7 5	9 4	9 0	8 7	...	...	...	...	...	...
	33	Manbhum ..	7 0	7 0	7 8	11 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8	6 8	11 0	11 0	7 8	...	...	...	10 0	11 0	...
	34	Singbhum ..	7 0	6 8	7 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	8 0	9 8	8 0	6 8	...	...	...	...	...	...

B. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai 20 seers; Jamui 20 seers

T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bhakra 17½ seers; Madhupura 13 seers; Supaul 20 seers.

U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 16 seers; Basantpur 18 seers.

V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 15 seers; Biliguri 16 seers

W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Godda 16 seers; Deoghar 2½ seers; Rajmahal 20 seers; Pakour and Jamtara report not received.

CALCUTTA.

The 6th February 1909

Station Basars of the districts of Bengal on the 31st January 1909—(contd.)

SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLANS

SEEDS OF EIGHTY TOLANS																		WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEEDS.						Number.
MANUA OR RAG. (<i>Wiscaria Oenocarpa</i>).			KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLLET (<i>Scleria Italica</i>).			GRAM, GHANA, BHOOLA, KADALAY, OR SORAGA (<i>Pisum arisatum</i>).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (<i>Zea mays</i>).			ABHAR (<i>dali</i>) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).			SALT.			SALT						
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.				
4. Ch.	3. Ch.	4. Ch.	4. Ch.	3. Ch.	3. Ch.	4. Ch.	3. Ch.	3. Ch.	4. Ch.	3. Ch.	3. Ch.	4. Ch.	3. Ch.	3. Ch.	4. Ch.	3. Ch.	3. Ch.	4. Ch.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.			
10 0	10 0	8 8	13 0	13 0	8 8	13 0	13 0	8 8	7 4	7 4	6 8	8 0	20 0	18 12	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 4 0	20						
9 7	9 7	8 14	13 14	13 14	9 8	7 8	7 8	6 15	20 0	20 0	17 6	14 3	14 3	2 0 0	21									
7 8	7 6	7 8	12 0	13 0	9 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	22									
6 8	6 8	8 0	14 0	14 0	11 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	3 0	3 0	15 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	23									
8 8	8 8	7 0	1 0	11 0	10 0	8 8	8 8	6 8	16 0	16 0	7 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	24									
9 3	9 3	9 3	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	11 2	2 0	22 0	22 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	25						
8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 0	21 0	21 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	26						
9 0	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	10 8	16 0	15 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	27							
9 13	9 3	8 13	...	...	...	6 9	6 3	6 9	6 0	25 0	24 0	1 9 0	1 8 0	1 10 0	28						
7 4	7 4	7 0	...	...	...	5 5	5 5	5 5	6 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	29						
9 0	9 0	8 0	12 8	12 0	8 0	6 0	6 0	6 4	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	30									
8 8	8 8	9 8	11 0	11 0	7 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	16 0	17 0	17 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	2 3 0	31									
10 2	10 2	7 14	14 1	12 6	8 7	7 5	7 5	7 0	19 11	18 9	18 0	...	...	...	32						
8 12	8 0	8 8	Not sold	10 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	18 0	18 0	16 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 4 0	33									
8 0	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 4 0	34						

X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 18 seers (panga)*; Jajpur report not received.

Y. The retail price of salt at Bhadrak is 19 seers.

2. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Savkhpur 16 seers (karkatch); Phulbani 10½ seers.

a. The retail price of salt at Khurda is 21 seers

b. The retail price of salt at Bargarh is 13 peters (Bombay).

g. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Dhanbaid 16 seers ; Jhalda 16 seers.

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c. &c

Number.	MARKS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF											
		RICE (BEST SORT.)			COMMON RICE						WHEAT (Triticum sativum).		
					Average.			Cheapest.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	5 8 0	5 10 0	...	4 0 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 12 0
2	Burdwan	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 11 0	4 14 0	4 12 0	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 15 0	...	...	...
3	Midnapore	4 0	{ 5 0 0 to 6 12 0 }	{ 6 0 0 to 6 4 0 }	4 0 0	{ New 5 14 0 Old 5 4 0 to 5 8 0 }	...	3 13 0	{ New 3 14 0 Old 4 4 0 }	{ 5 0 0 to 5 8 0 }	...	...	...
4	Patna	7 4 0	7 6 0	7 10 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	...	3 15 0	4 2 0	5 4 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	5 10 0
5	Muzaffarpur	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 14 0	6 10 6	6 10 6	...	4 7 0	4 10 6	4 10 6	5 9 0	5 0 0	6 2 6
6	Bhagalpur	7 0 9	7 0 0	New, 6 4 6	5 9 6	5 9 6	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 4 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	6 0 6
7	Cuttack	7 3 0	7 3 0	7 3 0	3 12 11	3 12 11	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	5 1 3	5 13 9	5 13 9	5 1 3
8	Sambalpur	5 12 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	...	3 2 6	3 1 6	4 3 0	5 0 0	5 5 6	5 0 0
9	Ranchi	{ 5 12 0 to 6 10 0 }	{ 5 12 0 to 6 10 0 }	{ 8 0 0 to 8 0 0 }	4 7 0	4 7 0	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 11 0	{ 5 12 0 to 6 0 0 }	{ 5 12 0 to 6 0 0 }	{ 5 10 0 to 6 0 0 }

No.	MARKS.	INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (Zea mays).			ARHAR DAL OR TUR— CADJAN PEA (Cajanus indicus).			LINSBED.			MUSTARD AND RAPSEED.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta	3 4 0	3 4 0	4 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	6 12 0
2	Burdwan	...	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	6 12 0	7 0 0	6 12 0
3	Midnapore	...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	{ 5 8 0 to 5 0 0 }	{ 6 14 0 to 5 6 0 }	{ 8 0 0 to 6 8 0 }
4	Patna	2 7 0	2 11 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	5 10 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 13 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	8 8 0
5	Muzaffarpur	2 12 0	2 18 9	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 10 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur	2 14 0	2 13 0	4 3 3	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 6	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 14 6	{ 5 12 0 to 4 8 0 }	{ 5 12 0 to 4 8 0 }	{ No sale to 4 8 0 }
7	Cuttack	...	...	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 9 0	...	...	...	6 13 0	6 13 0	6 13 0
8	Sambalpur	...	...	...	6 2 6	6 10 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	6 0 0	9 0 0
9	Ranchi	...	...	...	{ 5 5 0 to 8 0 0 }	{ 5 5 0 to 8 0 0 }	{ 5 12 0 to 8 0 0 }	{ 6 8 0 to 8 0 0 }	{ 8 0 0 to 10 0 0 }	{ 10 0 0 to 10 0 0 }	6 0 0	8 0 0	8 12 0

undermentioned Mats of Bengal on the 31st January 1909.

ORTY STANDARD SEERS.

BARLEY (<i>Hordeum vulgare</i>).			JUAR OR CHOLU (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>).			BAJRA OR CUMBU (<i>Pennisetum typhoides</i>).			MAHUA OR RAGI (<i>Khuskhus corollata</i>).			GRAM, CHANA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer arctinum</i>).			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
L. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	L. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	L. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	L. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	L. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
2 0	3 4 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 2 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	
6 0	2 7 0	3 10 0	...	...	4 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 9 0	3 11 0	4 8 0	4
5 3	3 5 8	3 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 10 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5
4 0	3 4 0	3 8 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 3 0	4 3 9	4 8 6	6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 5 7	4 5 7	4 5 4	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4 0	5 5 6	5 3 0	8
0 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 10 0	4 11 0	4 2 0	9

TIL OR JINJIRA SEED.			SUGAR (RAW).			COTTON (CLEANED).			JUTE.			No.
L. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	L. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	L. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	L. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
5 4 0	5 4 0	7 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	19 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	1
...	...	...	5 0 0	4 11 0	3 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
...	...	...	{ 6 8 0 to 7 8 0 }	7 0 0	{ 4 12 0 to 5 4 0 }	20 0 0	{ 20 0 0 to 21 0 0 }	{ 20 0 0 to 23 0 0 }	...	...	...	3
6 0 0	6 0 0	8 0 0	4 8 0	{ 4 4 0 to 4 8 0 }	4 4 0	18 8 0	18 8 0	19 4 0	...	...	5 0 0	4
...	...	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 4 0	19 0 0	19 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...	6
6 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 3 9	5 3 9	5 3 9	20 5 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	7
4 12 0	4 8 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	6 6 6	6 0 0	4 13 0	4 14 0	5 4 0	8
...	5 0 0	5 5 0	{ 4 14 0 to 5 0 0 }	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	9

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c.,

Number.	MARTS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.									HIDES (COW).			GRASS.		
		GHI (CLARIFIED BUTTER).			TOBACCO LEAF.											
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.						
											Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta	41 0 0	41 0 0	43 0 0	8 4 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	380 0 0	380 0 0	400 0 0	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 8 0			
2	Burdwan	34 0 0	35 0 0	40 0 0	Madhukhali.			Uncleaned per piece.			...	-	-			
3	Midnapore	37 0 0	7 0 0	43 0 0	12 0 0	13 8 0	9 0 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	2 12 0	...	...	...
		to	to	to	Pala.			to	to	to						
		40 0 0	10 0 0	47 0 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	10 8 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	...	...	...
								Cleaned per piece.								
4	Patna	32 0 0	30 0 0	35 8 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	...	38 0 0	...	...	0 6
		to	to		to	to		to								
5	Muzaffarpur	80 7 6	40 7 6	37 10 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur	33 0 0	4 0 0	41 0 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	12 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Cuttack	47 9 0	47 9 0	47 9 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8			
8	Sambalpur	34 8 0	34 8 0	39 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	30 0 0	...	...	...
		to	to						Per maund.							
		35 8 0	35 8 0								...	...	...
9	Ranchi	38 8 0	32 0 0	40 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8			
		to	to		to	to	to	to	to	to				to		
					13 0 0	13 0 0	16 0 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	4 0 0						

Number.	MARTS.	PRICE PER MAUND												
		FIREWOOD			SALT.			BHOOSA.			BRAN.			
1	Calcutta	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	1 15 0	1 15 0	1 10 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	2 11 0	2 11 0	...	
2	Burdwan	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	Not sold			3 10 0	3 8 0	...	
3	Midnapore	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	Bombay.	1 14 0	1 14 0	...	Not available			0 6 0	0 6 0	...
					Crushed.	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0						
4	Patna	0 7 0	0 8 0	0 6 6	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 2 0	1 2 0	...	1 14 0	1 14 0	...	
5	Muzaffarpur	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 5	0 8 0	0 8 0	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	...	
6	Bhagalpur	0 6 3	0 6 3	0 6 0	1 14 3	1 14 3	2 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	...	
7	Cuttack	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	...	Not sold	...	0 10 0	0 10 0	...	
8	Sambalpur	...	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 1 0	Not sold			Not available			
9	Ranchi	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 3	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 3 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	...	3 5 0	{ 3 0 0 to 3 4 0 }	...	

the undermentioned *Marts of Bengal* on the 31st January 1909—concl'd.

STRAW.			JOAR STALKS.			PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.			MARTS.	Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
0 12 0	0 12 0	0 14 0	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	Calcutta	1
0 5 0	0 6 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	Burdwan	...
0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	Midnapore	2
0 11 0	0 10 0	0 6 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 4 0 to 4 12 0	5 0 0	Patna	4
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	Muzaffarpur	5
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	Bhagalpur	6
0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	Cuttack	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sambalpur	8
0 11 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	...	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	Ranchi	9

FORTY STANDARD SEERS.

FORTY STANDARD SEERS.						PRICE PER ANIMAL.		MARTS.	Number.	
OATS.			KEROSENE OIL.			SLAUGHTER CATTLE.				
5 0 0	5 0 0	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	...	Cow. 44 0 0	44 0 0	Calcutta	...	1
Not sold	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Calf. 6 8 0	6 8 0				Burdwan	...	2
4 14 0	4 14 0	...	4 9 0 to 4 14 0	4 9 0 to 4 14 0	...	Full grown. 8 0 0	8 0 0	Midnapore	...	3
						to 12 0 0	to 12 0 0				Calf not sold.
...	...	...	4 3 0	4 3 0	...	Goat and sheep. 3 0 0	3 0 0	Patna	...	4
						to 5 0 0	to 5 0 0				Buffalo
						Not sold.				
						Calf				
						Not sold.				
4 7 0	4 7 0	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	Calf. 15 0 0	15 0 0	Muzaffarpur	...	5
						Cow. 30 0 0	30 0 0			
4 5 0	4 5 0	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Goat. 5 0 0	5 0 0	Bhagalpur	...	6
						Cow. 20 0 0	20 0 0			
5 1 4	5 1 4	...	7 8 0	7 8 0	...	Cow. Rs. 10 to Rs. 20.	Rs. 10 to Rs. 20.	Cuttack	...	7
						Calf. Rs. 2 to Rs. 10.	Rs. 2 to Rs. 10.			
Not available	...	...	4 3 0 to 6 14 0	4 3 0 to 6 14 0	...	Full grown. 3 8 0	3 8 0	Sambalpur	...	8
						Full grown. 8 0 0	7 0 0			
5 10 0	5 8 0	...	4 7 6 to 7 4 0	5 0 0 to 7 4 0	...	to 16 0 0	to 15 0 0	Ranchi	...	9
						Calf. 6 0 0	5 0 0			
						to 9 0 0	to 7 0 0			

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Major Works for the month of December 1908, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

CANALS.	1908-09.						1907-08.					
	WEIGHT OF CARGO.			RAFFS.			TOLLAGE.			WEIGHT OF CARGO.		
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	C. ft.	U. ft.	Rs.	During the month.	To end of the month.	Rs.	During the month.	To end of the month.	Rs.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Orissa Canals.												
Taldanda Canal System ...	5,259	27,520	69,952	167,921	1,749	8,435	3,660	20,129	17,048	67,176	633	6,669
Kendrapara ditto ...	3,461	27,069	4,055	43,622	2,898	19,700	2,757	23,921	30,444	128,068	2,671	19,450
High Level, Range { I II III	1,151	8,832	348	23,392	634	5,143	1,352	8,351	16,784	35,233	1,196	5,625
	387	2,461	1,973	8,557	99	587	526	3,833	1,248	20,304	120	952
	189	369	480	13,287	45	237	34	497	4,590	13,233	30	163
Jajpur Canal ...	274	2,276	5,088	8,856	46	326	302	1,856	12	30,730	34	377
Total Orissa Canals	10,721	68,527	81,896	267,645	5,471	34,428	8,631	58,587	70,126	294,744	4,684	33,236
Midnapore Canal ...	4,516	65,061	14,999	45,415	2,614	26,929	3,955	63,435	20,288	49,652	2,200	27,298
Hijli Tidal Canal ...	3,235	40,723	3,650	32,480	2,081	30,010	1,620	63,702	6,007	24,328	1,183	45,305
Sone Canals.												
Patna Canal System ...	362	4,205	29,078	385,150	513	4,646	494	9,959	36,174	611,313	463	10,813
Arrah ditto ...	83	1,494	15,705	685,669	246	3,219	120	1,748	27,369	900,081	252	4,254
Buxar ditto ...	192	1,051	.....	99,509	79	944	162	7,130	1,600	275,225	143	6,215
Total Sone Canals ...	637	6,750	44,783	1,170,328	838	8,809	776	18,837	65,143	1,746,619	858	21,282
GRAND TOTAL ...	19,109	181,061	145,328	1,515,868	9,004	1,00,176	14,982	204,561	161,564	2,115,343	8,925	127,121

A. N. DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 9th February 1909.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Minor Works and Navigation for the month of December 1908, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous years.

CANALS.	1908-09.										1907-08.			
	WEIGHT OF CARGO.		RAFTS.		TOLLAGE.		WEIGHT OF CARGO.		RAFTS.		TOLLAGE.			
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13		
	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.		
Calcutta and Eastern Canals	41,386	315,959	2,667	18,712	28,447	2,13,251	44,240	340,052	2,192	24,429	32,409	2,29,994		
Tolly's Nala ...	18,009	173,782	100	19,637	7,510	58,962	13,253	167,077	6,524	25,391	4,466	52,333		
Madaripur Bhil Route ...	7,203	98,518	253	10,522	1,273	35,353	1,829	176,155	206	5,199	1,147	60,453		
Total ...	66,598	588,259	3,020	48,871	37,230	3,07,166	59,322	683,284	8,923	55,019	38,022	3,42,780		
Orissa Coast Canal ...	2,751	21,949	30,404	141,459	1,766	12,190	2,374	39,825	28,374	106,002	1,222	18,135		
Nadia Rivers ...	5,638	80,444	66	201,327	2,265	21,004	4,978	122,764	2,306	183,309	6,790	29,081		
GRAND TOTAL ...	74,387	690,652	33,490	391,657	41,261	3,41,260	66,674	845,873	30,692	344,330	46,034	3,89,996		

CALCUTTA,

The 5th February 1909.

A. N. Das,

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 30th January 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

NATURE OF CARGO.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 30TH JANUARY 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 1ST FEBRUARY 1909.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	935	1,97,656	3,377	509	1,69,507	3,066
Jute	137	54,985*	784	273	77,770	1,391
Firewood	42	48,975	756	40	37,190	565
Other articles	775	1,82,422	2,176	800	1,95,165	2,677
Total	1,889	4,84,038	7,093	1,622	4,79,622	7,699

* Weight by canal measurement, 75,387½ mds.

CALCUTTA,
The 4th February 1909.

AMAR NATH DAS,
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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 6th February 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

NATURE OF CARGO	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 6TH FEBRUARY 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 8TH FEBRUARY 1909.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	841	2,19,943	3,790	902	2,51,605	4,197
Jute	101	48,800*	604	298	98,570†	1,451
Firewood	57	63,750	919	48	48,935	688
Other articles	749	2,04,961	2,500	938	2,47,443	3,442
Total	1,748	5,36,954	7,813	2,186	6,46,553	9,773

* Weight by canal measurement, 53,075 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 1,14,100 ..

CALCUTTA,
The 9th February 1909.

AMAR NATH DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from
24th to 30th January 1909.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	TEMPERATURE.				HYGROMETRY.				WIND.		Miles recorded.	Rain.	WEATHER.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.				
1909.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inch.	°	%				Inches.	
Jan.	24th	129.9	8.0	29.91	72.2	82.1	17.8	61.3	61.7	0.417	58.8	54	W by N and NNW	60	Nil	Chiefly clear,	☀
"	25th	125.7	7.9	30.004	68.7	81.4	23.4	59.0	61.6	.453	56.2	61	NNW, SE and calm.	52	Nil	Chiefly clear,	☀
"	26th	131.3	7.6	29.957	75.5	87.1	21.2	65.9	67.7	.577	63.0	64	SE, WNW and SW by S.	96	Nil	Partially cloudy.	
"	27th	128.4	5.2	.991	75.3	85.1	17.7	67.4	69.7	.660	65.8	70	SW by S, NNW and N.	73	Nil	Partially cloudy,	☀
"	28th	132.2	7.0	.944	73.7	86.0	22.7	63.3	66.1	.551	61.7	66	N by E, WNW and NNW.	140	Nil	Partially cloudy.	
"	29th	127.4	8.1	.943	66.8	77.2	18.8	58.1	54.5	.272	42.4	42	N by W and N	158	Nil	Clear,	☀
"	30th	125.2	7.9	.925	68.1	77.2	26.2	51.0	53.9	.278	43.0	50	N, NNW and calm.	54	Nil	Clear,	☀

The mean pressure of the seven days Inches, 29.985

The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 29.996

The total number of hours of bright sunshine Hours, 52.6

The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine 77.0

The mean temperature of the seven days 70.8

The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 68.7

The extreme variation of temperature 36.1

The maximum temperature 87.1

The highest velocity of the wind in one hour Miles, 17

The mean relative humidity % 59

The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 70

The total fall of rain from 24th to 30th January 1909 Inches, Nil

The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 0.13

The total fall from 1st January to 30th January 1909 Nil

The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 0.30

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Kundsens Barograph and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

☀, dew.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 31st January to 6th February 1909.

Month.	Date	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 52° Fahr.	TEMPERATURE.				HYGROMETRY.				WIND.		Rain.	WEATHER.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Direction.	Miles recorded.		
1909.				Inches.						Inches.		%			Inches.	
Jan.	31st	120.9	2.8	29.933	64.0	75.2	20.4	54.8	55.4	0.319	49.0	61	NNW and NNE ..	71	Nil	Partially cloudy, d.
Feb.	1st	115.4	3.0	29.928	65.0	73.7	15.7	58.0	58.0	4.31	54.8	72	NNE, NNW and E by S.	41	0.07	Chiefly cloudy, o, d
"	2nd	125.9	7.6	29.930	65.6	79.0	23.0	54.0	58.1	4.16	53.8	69	E by S and N by E.	45	0.03	Partially cloudy, d.
"	3rd	136.7	8.2	29.91	67.3	82.3	28.3	51.0	58.3	3.70	50.6	57	NNW and WNW	61	Nil	Clear, d.
"	4th	149.3	8.3	29.90	68.3	83.4	28.5	54.9	60.5	4.19	54.8	63	NNW and W by S.	66	Nil	Clear, d.
"	5th	127.4	6.2	29.911	68.7	81.7	21.3	57.4	58.9	3.81	51.4	51	W by S, ENE and NE by N.	91	Nil	Chiefly clear, d.
"	6th	121.3	6.7	29.906	67.2	76.2	16.2	60.0	59.9	4.44	55.6	65	ENE and SE by S	71	Nil	Partially cloudy.

The mean pressure of the seven days ... 29.979
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... 29.972

The total number of hours of bright sunshine ... 44.8
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ... 78.0

The mean temperature of the seven days ... 66.6
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... 70.0
The extreme variation of temperature ... 29.4
The maximum temperature ... 83.4

The highest velocity of the wind in one hour ... 10
The mean relative humidity ... 63
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... 71

The total fall of rain from 31st January to 6th February 1909 ... 0.10
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... 0.31
The total fall from 1st January to 6th February 1909 ... 0.10
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... 0.61

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Kundsén's Barograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kow Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

☉, dew; o, overcast; d, drizzling rain.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

Abstract of Principal Commodities carried over the Eastern Bengal State Railway during the month of October 1908 as compared with the same month of the previous year: (for four weeks)

No.	STAPLES.	1908.	1907.	Increase in 1908.	Decrease in 1908.	EXPLANATIONS OF FLUCTUATIONS BY TRAFFIC SUPERINTENDENT.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
1	Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	160	160	.....	.....
2	Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	50,042	54,493	.....	4,451	
3	Cotton—					
	(1) Raw	173	213	.....	40	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Twist and yarn, European	91	64	27	.....
	(b) Ditto, Indian	507	745	.....	238	
	(c) Piece-goods, European	1,792	2,300	.....	508	
	(d) Ditto, Indian	729	655	74	.....
	(e) Others .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4	Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	76	68	.....	12	
5	Drugs—					
	(1) Intoxicating, other than opium .....	.....	4	.....	4	
	(2) Non-intoxicating—					
	(a) Medicinal preparations	4	14	.....	10	
	(b) Others	55	41	14	.....
6	Dyes and Tans—					
	(1) Al (Morinda citrifolia) .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(2) Alizarine and Aniline dyes .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(3) Cutch	55	20	35	.....
	(4) Indigo .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(5) Myrabolams .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(6) Tanning barks .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(7) Turmeric	194	303	.....	109	
	(8) Others	73	12	61	.....
7	Fodder—					
	(1) Oilcake	694	1,139	.....	436	
	(2) Hay, straw and grass	1,916	1,395	521	.....
8	Fruits and vegetables, fresh	403	616	.....	213	
9	Grain and Pulse—					
	(1) Gram and pulse	3,504	5,280	.....	1,756	
	(2) Jawar and bajra .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(3) Rice in the husk	3,631	23,235	.....	19,604	
	(4) Do. not in the husk	10,023	17,676	.....	7,652	
	(5) Wheat	68	90	.....	27	
	(6) Do. flour	716	1,342	.....	626	
	(7) Others	470	436	34	.....
10	Hides and skins—					
	(1) Hides of cattle—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(b) Raw	619	752	.....	133	
	(2) Skins of sheep and other animals—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(b) Raw	72	30	30	.....
11	Horns	11	13	.....	2	
12	Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	27	638	.....	611	
13	Jute—					
	(1) Raw	139,979	159,806	.....	49,827	
	(2) Gunny-bags and cloth	1,504	3,971	.....	1,567	
14	Lac	18	96	.....	78	
15	Leather—					
	(1) Unwrought .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(2) Wrought, excepting boots and shoes .....	.....	2	.....	2	
16	Liquors—					
	(1) Ale and beer	45	40	5	.....
	(2) Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit.	61	109	.....	48	
	(3) Wine .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(4) All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquors, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....
17	Metals—					
	(1) Brass, unwrought	10	25	.....	15	
	(2) Do., manufactured	167	204	.....	97	
	(3) Copper, unwrought .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(4) Do., manufactured	7	11	.....	4	
	(5) Iron and steel—					
	(a) Unwrought .....	.....	287	.....	287	
	(b) Wrought .....	.....	1,094	.....	.....
	(i) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel.	3,988	2,894	.....	.....
	(ii) Machinery and mill works	113	154	.....	42	
	(iii) Other manufactured, including hardware and cutlery.	703	1,461	.....	698	
	(6) Metallic ores .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(7) Others	1,157	1,486	.....	329	
18	Mineral substances—					
	(1) Marble and stones	319	2,071	.....	1,752	
	(2) Chalk .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(3) Lime	593	1,136	.....	294	
	(4) Others .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19	Oil—					
	(1) Kerosine	11,827	14,335	.....	3,008	
	(2) Castor	8	14	.....	6	
	(3) Coconut	77	153	.....	76	
	(4) Mustard and rape	641	844	.....	203	
	(5) Others	146	87	68	.....

No.	STAPLES	1908.	1907.	Increase in 1908.	Decrease in 1908.	EXPLANATIONS OF FLUCTUATIONS BY TRAFFIC SUPERINTENDENT.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
20	Oil seeds—					
	(1) Castor	88	6	76	.....
	(2) Earthnuts	336	608	.....	272	
	(3) Linseed	1,082	1,718	.....	636	
	(4) Poppy	25	53	.....	28	
	(5) Rape and mustard	28	115	.....	87	
	(6) Til or mujil .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(7) Others .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
21	Opium	786	8	.....	3	
22	Paper and pasteboard .....	.....	974	.....	188	
23	Provisions—					
	(1) Dried fruits and nuts	448	242	206	.....
	(2) Ghee	90	105	.....	25	
	(3) Others	909	1,108	.....	197	
24	Railway Plant, &c., for the Public and Foreign Railways—					
	(1) Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(2) Carriages and trucks and parts thereof .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(3) Materials—					
	(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	13	259	.....	245	
	(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast- iron .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(c) Others	87	2	85	.....
25	Salt	7,343	7,656	.....	313	
26	Saltpetre and other saline substances—					
	(1) Saltpetre	4	2	2	.....
	(2) Other saline substances	216	261	.....	45	
27	Silk—					
	(1) —					
	(a) Foreign .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(b) Indian	10	22	27	.....
	(2) Piece-goods—					
	(a) Foreign .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(b) Indian .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
28	Spices—					
	(1) Betelnuts	1,156	2,728	.....	1,572	
	(2) Cardamoms	49	64	.....	15	
	(3) Chillies	197	234	.....	37	
	(4) Ginger	46	51	.....	2	
	(5) Pepper	49	38	2	.....
	(6) Others	144	193	.....	49	
29	Sugar—					
	(1) Refined or crystallized, including sugar- candy	2,088	2,109	.....	21	
	(2) Unrefined—					
	(a) Sugar	1,101	3,088	.....	1,987	
	(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce	2,110	2,023	87	.....
30	Tea—					
	(1) Foreign .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(2) Indian	3,740	3,312	428	.....
31	Tobacco—					
	(1) Unmanufactured	1,500	1,977	.....	477	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Cigars	61	220	.....	159	
	(b) Other sorts .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
32	Wood—					
	(1) Timber, unwrought	4,404	4,438	.....	34	
	(2) Manufactured	463	441	22	.....
33	Wool—					
	(1) Raw .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Carpets and rugs .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(b) Piece-goods, European	26	69	.....	43	
	(c) Ditto, Indian .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(d) Other sorts of manufactures .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
34	All other articles of merchandise	4,785	10,026	5,301	
	Total	271,366	374,963	2,894	106,501	

CALCUTTA, the 1st February 1909.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 23rd January 1909 on 2,292.37 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUD.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	540,521	(a) 5,22,048 0 0	71,58,738 0	11,54,055 0 0	47,552 0 0	17,84,255 0 0	167,983	210,140	378,123
Or per mile of railway ...	...	227 11 0	...	503 11 1	20 11 11	783 2 9	...	...	...
For previous 2½ weeks of half-year ...	1,072,905	10,20,980 0 0	1,58,51,006 0	25,40,788 0 0	1,06,378 0 0	36,74,652 0 0	376,943	471,432	848,375
Total for 3½ weeks ...	1,613,486	15,43,034 0 0	2,30,10,044 0	37,01,443 0 0	1,54,430 0 0	53,98,907 0 0	544,926	681,572	1,226,498
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	470,877	4,77,407 7 6	72,10,946 30	11,15,105 6 8	37,339 10 11	16,30,531 8 11	161,031	225,210	386,250
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	208 12 5	...	487 9 11	16 8 9	712 15 1	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 3½ weeks of previous year ...	1,618,716	15,26,617 0 0	2,55,73,465 30	40,46,387 9 10	1,41,123 0 0	57,11,127 9 10	574,200	774,236	1,348,436

(a) The increase is due to greater movements of pilgrims.
 (b) The increase is chiefly in general merchandise.

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.		
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate	Rs. A. P.
2,292.37	First 9 days of Jan. ...	582,653	5,75,710	91,60,173	14,45,222	54,009	20,79,007	907	177,246	4 6 9	
2,292.37	Week ended 16th ..	480,312	4,45,270	66,81,733	11,01,806	48,809	15,95,645	696	371,121	4 4 9	
2,292.37	" " 23rd ..	540,521	5,22,048	71,58,738	11,54,055	47,552	17,84,255	751	378,123	4 9 0	
	Totals up to date ...	1,613,486	15,43,034	2,30,10,044	37,01,443	1,54,430	53,98,907	717	1,226,498	4 6 5	

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded.

1908.

2,287.05	First 11 days of Jan. ...	686,623	6,38,349	1,08,16,017	14,49,635	66,133	25,54,157	1,119	580,113	4 5 9	
2,287.05	Week ended 18th ..	453,317	4,10,731	75,46,502	10,74,567	37,151	15,26,439	667	376,073	4 0 11	
2,287.05	" " 25th ..	479,877	4,77,407	72,10,947	11,15,196	37,939	16,30,538	713	386,250	4 3 7	
	Totals up to date ...	1,619,716	15,26,617	2,55,73,466	40,43,399	1,41,123	57,11,124	699	1,348,436	4 8 9	

TAKKESUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 23rd January 1909 on 22.21 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN MILES RUD.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	23,852	5,301 0 0	16,444 0	770 0 0	7 0 0	6,078 0 0	1,317	159	1,476
Or per mile of railway ...	...	238 10 10	...	34 10 8	0 5 1	273 10 7	...	...	...
For previous 2½ weeks of half-year ...	52,425	11,570 0 0	26,082 0	1,103 0 0	14 0 0	12,687 0 0	3,075	367	3,442
Total for 3½ weeks ...	76,277	16,871 0 0	41,526 0	1,873 0 0	21 0 0	18,765 0 0	4,392	526	4,918
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	22,720	5,055 11 2	28,394 10	981 15 0	10 5 3	6,047 15 5	1,310	110	1,420
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	227 0 10	...	44 2 9	0 7 5	272 1 0	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 3½ weeks of previous year ...	77,090	17,563 12 9	68,244 0	2,409 14 0	29 8 6	20,003 4 3	4,839	535	5,374

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—concluded.

1909. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
22'21	First 9 days of January ...	27,659	6,543	15,908	607	8	7,168	323	1,076	3 10
22'21	Week ended 18th " ...	24,766	5,027	13,176	406	6	5,539	240	1,473	3 11 1
22'21	" " 23rd " ...	23,852	5,301	10,444	770	7	6,078	274	1,476	4 1 1
	Totals up to date ...	76,277	16,871	41,528	1,973	21	18,763	267	4,918	3 13

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded

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		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
22'23	First 11 days of January ...	33,453	7,903	24,088	1,049	9	8,941	403	3,378	3 12
22'23	Week ended 18th " ...	21,907	4,605	13,482	379	10	4,994	225	1,499	3 5
22'23	" " 25th " ...	22,720	5,056	22,894	982	10	6,048	272	1,498	4 0
	Totals up to date ...	77,080	17,564	60,464	2,410	29	20,083	268	5,374	3 11

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 23rd January 1909 on 162'36 miles open

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	23,178	Rs. A. P. 22,332 0 0	Mds. 2,30,351 0	Rs. A. P. 17,716 0 0	Rs. A. P. 57 0 0	Rs. A. P. 40,105 0 0	12,336	3,706	16,341
Or per mile of railway ...	137	8 9	14 0	109 1 10	0 5 7	247 0 2	...	...	...
For previous 3 1/2 weeks of half-year.	51,086	Rs. A. P. 36,368 0 0	Mds. 4,61,032 0	Rs. A. P. 40,084 0 0	Rs. A. P. 140 0 0	Rs. A. P. 76,592 0 0	28,630	8,014	37,84
Total for 3 1/2 weeks	74,264	Rs. A. P. 58,700 0 0	Mds. 7,02,033 0	Rs. A. P. 57,800 0 0	Rs. A. P. 197 0 0	Rs. A. P. 1,16,697 0 0	41,166	12,320	53,48
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	25,899	Rs. A. P. 16,899 0 0	Mds. 2,90,212 20	Rs. A. P. 19,832 8 0	Rs. A. P. 61 0 6	Rs. A. P. 36,792 8 6	11,687	4,311	16,20
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	104 1 4	...	132 2 5	0 6 0	226 9 9	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 3 1/2 weeks of previous year	84,863	Rs. A. P. 55,019 7 0	Mds. 9,33,990 0	Rs. A. P. 62,325 13 0	Rs. A. P. 215 4 0	Rs. A. P. 1,17,560 8 0	41,951	18,839	60,79

1909 Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
162'36	First 9 days of Jan. ...	23,730	15,550	3,03,743	21,090	80	36,730	226	21,179	1 11 9
162'36	Week ended 18th " ...	22,856	20,818	2,67,939	18,094	60	39,873	246	10,045	3 7 9
162'36	" " 23rd " ...	23,178	22,332	2,30,351	17,716	57	40,105	247	10,242	3 7 6
	Totals up to date ...	74,264	58,700	7,02,033	57,800	197	1,16,697	210	53,486	3 2 11

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded.

1908.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
162'36	First 11 days of Jan. ...	20,141	24,599	3,54,576	26,451	104	48,944	301	25,401	1 14 9
162'36	Week ended 18th " ...	22,823	15,731	2,89,202	16,048	80	31,824	196	17,138	1 13 9
162'36	" " 25th " ...	25,899	16,899	2,90,212	19,832	61	36,793	227	18,200	3 0 4
	Totals up to date ...	84,863	55,019	9,33,990	62,326	215	1,17,560	303	60,789	1 4 11

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 23rd January 1909 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boats.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	69,000	Rs. 44,000 0 0	Mds. 3,89,000 0	Rs. 43,500 0 0	Rs. 5,000 0 0	Rs. 91,500 0 0	14,310	18,741	32,051
Or per mile of railway ...	89.84	58.90	504.56	56.42	6.49	122.81	18.50	24.31	42.81
For previous 5 weeks of half-year ...	162,500	90,000 0 0	8,30,500 0	1,01,000 0 0	9,500 0 0	2,09,500 0 0	32,064	44,147	76,211
Total for 4 weeks ...	281,500	1,45,000 0 0	12,19,500 0	1,44,500 0 0	14,500 0 0	3,04,000 0 0	46,274	62,588	108,862
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week ... of previous year ...	70,998	50,435 0 0	2,75,597 0	31,521 0 0	4,058 0 0	80,027 0 0	14,516	20,433	34,949
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	92.45	65.67	334.11	44.78	5.25	115.71	18.90	26.50	45.40
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	233,945	1,50,711 0 0	9,29,334 0	1,30,622 0 0	14,874 0 0	2,46,207 0 0	51,187	73,479	124,666

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 23RD JANUARY 1909.			RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 25TH JANUARY 1908.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1st APRIL 1908 TO 23RD JANUARY 1909.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1st APRIL 1907 TO 23RD JANUARY 1908.			Total increase in 1909.	Total decrease in 1909.
Mean-mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean-mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean-mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean-mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
771	Rs. 94,800	Rs. 122.81	771	Rs. 69,017	Rs. 113.71	771	Rs. 37,74,101	...	771	Rs. 30,46,705	...	...	Rs. 1,72,644

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY

Approximate Return of traffic for week ending 23rd January 1909 on 1,791 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boats.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week on 1,791 miles open ...	318,510	Rs. 1,51,290 0	Mds. 12,00,800 0	Rs. 1,75,400 0	Rs. 20,080 0	Rs. 3,46,770 0	58,345	(d) 45,398	103,743
Or per mile of railway ...	194.59	84.47	614.66	97.24	11.21	193.62	...	...	...
For previous 5 weeks of half-year ...	650,390	2,58,460	25,20,330	3,01,821	30,240	7,13,510	1,32,051	110,140	242,191
Total for 5 weeks ...	968,970	4,53,740	36,21,190	5,07,220	60,320	10,60,280	190,346	155,538	345,884
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,778 miles open ...	373,130	1,20,976	9,14,931	1,13,304	30,945	2,65,125	57,728	(e) 40,300	101,127
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	153.62	68.04	514.58	63.67	17.40	148.11	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	928,739	4,09,934	40,47,097	5,47,628	81,164	10,34,796	202,781	169,844	372,625
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week ...		2.89		3.80	19	3.54			
Do for corresponding week of previous year ...		2.10		2.44	30	2.55			

(a) Increase under local and foreign outward, due to bathing maid.
 (b) General increase, but mainly under local and foreign outward.
 (c) Decrease principally under sundries.
 (d) Includes 4,914 miles of ballast trains.
 (e) Includes 4,614 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 23rd January 1909 on 1,379 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	404,400	2,00,390 0 0	13,84,840 0	2,92,580 0 0	30,780 0 0	5,23,730 0 0	75,739	(b)41,978	117,707
Or per mile of railway	293	145 0 0	1,323 0	213 0 0	(a)2 0 0	(a)359 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	979,980	4,51,490 0 0	44,48,780 0	7,05,390 0 0	54,540 0 0	12,11,320 0 0	171,310	100,684	277,903
Total for 4 weeks	1,384,380	6,51,880 0 0	61,33,020 0	9,97,830 0 0	85,320 0 0	17,35,050 0 0	246,948	148,662	395,610
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	624,414	2,17,044 0 0	(c)28,67,571 0	3,30,249 0 0	61,082 0 0	5,23,874 0	77,578	46,865	124,441
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,374 miles)	490	170 0 0	2,343 0	197 0 0	29 0 0	396 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,983,393	7,00,744 0 0	72,81,917 0	8,61,053 0 0	1,08,724 0 0	10,90,521 0 0	275,611	163,527	439,138

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 28,500.
(b) Excluding ballast train-miles, 10,824.
(c) Includes certain adjustments for ballast trains, &c., at the end of month.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 23rd January 1909 on 86 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	53,240	18,030 0 0	75,780 0	6,640 0 0	230 0 0	24,000 0 0	5,686	(a)1,400	7,086
Or per mile of railway	619	210 0 0	881 0	77 0 0	3 0 0	280 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	98,740	31,450 0 0	200,300 0	16,330 0 0	540 0 0	48,320 0 0	12,023	3,528	16,456
Total for 4 weeks	151,980	49,480 0 0	276,080 0	22,970 0 0	770 0 0	73,320 0 0	18,544	4,928	23,512
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	40,870	14,794 0 0	(b)105,592 0	(b)9,747 0 0	459 0 0	25,000 0 0	5,796	(b)2,256	8,052
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	580	172 0 0	1,925 0	114 0 0	5 0 0	291 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	155,919	50,086 0 0	407,756 0	29,308 0 0	900 0 0	30,352 0 0	20,568	7,714	28,282

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 800.
(b) Includes certain adjustments for ballast trains, &c., at the end of month.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 23rd January 1909 on 33.6 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,000	1,090 0 0	24,280 0	2,100 0 0	10 0 0	4,100 0 0	480	(a)1,080	1,480
Or per mile of railway	151	59 0 0	723 0	63 0 0	.....	122 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	9,980	4,100 0 0	49,440 0	4,320 0 0	20 0 0	8,430 0 0	1,019	2,103	3,127
Total for 4 weeks	15,040	4,190 0 0	72,730 0	6,320 0 0	30 0 0	12,530 0 0	1,439	2,103	4,007
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	2,850	1,494 0 0	23,801 0	1,780 0 0	21 0 0	3,304 0 0	480	1,321	1,761
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	85	44 0 0	708 0	53 0 0	1 0 0	98 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	14,030	5,655 0 0	93,694 0	7,030 0 0	46 0 0	12,737 0 0	1,559	4,997	6,556

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 600.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 23rd January 1909 on 54 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	17,430	Rs. A. P. 4,950 0 0	Mds. S. (3,050 0	Rs. A. P. 3,510 0 0	Rs. A. P. 20 0 0	Rs. A. P. 8,490 0 0	2,160	(a) 822	2,982
Or per mile of railway ...	323	92 0 0	1,168 0	65 0 0	.....	157 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year ...	57,490	11,000 0 0	2,37,020 0	14,250 0 0	80 0 0	25,900 0 0	4,669	2,279	7,148
Total for 4 weeks ...	54,840	15,950 0 0	3,00,070 0	18,330 0 0	100 0 0	34,380 0 0	7,029	3,101	10,130
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	16,300	4,107 0 0	20,591 0	2,496 0 0	-2,517 0 0	3,684 0 0	2,163	242	2,502
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	311	76 0 0	381 0	39 0 0	-47 0 0	68 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	53,693	13,961 0 0	1,27,479 0	8,340 0 0	-2,445 0 0	19,906 0 0	7,710	1,960	9,690

(a) Ballast train-miles, nil.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM:

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 30th January 1909 on 1,379 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	424,870	Rs. A. P. 1,95,620 0 0	Mds. S. (c) 2,833,280 0	Rs. A. P. (c) 3,31,160 0 0	Rs. A. P. (c) 80,220 0 0	Rs. A. P. (c) 6,47,040 0 0	74,686	(b) 80,334	155,020
Or per mile of railway ...	308	142 0 0	2,055 0	240 0 0	(a) 37 0 0	(a) 419 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year ...	1,344,340	6,51,880 0 0	6,133,620 0	9,97,850 0 0	85,320 0 0	17,35,050 0 0	246,948	148,662	326,610
Total for 5 weeks ...	1,809,230	8,47,540 0 0	8,964,900 0	13,29,010 0 0	1,55,540 0 0	23,42,090 0 0	321,634	228,986	550,620
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	(d) 707,007	(d) 4,02,600 0 0	1,348,515 0	1,48,302 0 0	22,814 0 0	7,73,282 0 0	86,110	37,329	123,439
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,374 miles) ...	555	316 0 0	1,058 0	116 0 0	3 0 0	433 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	2,360,390	11,03,410 0 0	8,630,408 0	10,29,355 0 0	1,31,039 0 0	22,63,804 0 0	361,721	400,850	662,577

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 20,500.

(b) Includes ballast train-miles, 39,116, earnings, Rs. 10,000.

(c) Increase is due to the inclusion of certain adjustments at end of month.

(d) For Ardhodaya Jogo pilgrim traffic.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 30th January 1909 on 86 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	45,780	Rs. A. P. 15,930 0 0	Mds. S. 86,680 0	Rs. A. P. 8,100 0 0	Rs. A. P. 130 0 0	Rs. A. P. 22,160 0 0	8,680	(a) 3,363	9,019
Or per mile of railway ...	533	185 0 0	1,048 0	71 0 0	2 0 0	258 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of half-year ...	151,280	40,480 0 0	276,050 0	23,970 0 0	770 0 0	73,220 0 0	18,584	4,928	23,512
Total for 5 days ...	197,700	65,410 0 0	362,700 0	29,070 0 0	900 0 0	86,380 0 0	24,240	8,391	32,591
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	46,152	16,518 0 0	72,914 0	8,054 0 0	80 0 0	21,661 0 0	5,816	1,508	7,324
Or mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	572	192 0 0	867 0	89 0 0	1 0 0	252 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	203,101	66,604 0 0	460,570 0	34,480 0 0	980 0 0	1,02,013 0 0	26,384	9,222	35,606

(a) Includes ballast train-miles, 1,943.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 30th January 1909 on 33·6 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week	4,720	Rs. A. P. 1,620 0 0	MDS. S. 23,430 0	Rs. A. P. 1,910 0 0	Rs. A. P. 10 0 0	Rs. A. P. 3,510 0 0	463	(a) 3,399	4,301
Or per mile of railway	140	48 0 0	697 0	57 0 "	.....	105 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	15,040	6,180 0 0	72,730 0	6,320 0 0	30 0 0	12,530 0 0	1,439	3,168	4,607
Total for 5 weeks	19,760	7,800 0 0	96,160 0	8,230 0 0	40 0 0	16,070 0 0	1,901	7,067	8,968
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,360	2,243 0 0	15,963 0	1,672 0 0	9 0 0	3,824 0 0	463	1,465	1,927
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	188	67 0 0	475 0	47 0 "	.....	114 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	20,280	7,897 0 0	1,09,637 0	8,608 0 0	55 0 0	16,560 0 0	2,031	6,462	8,183

(a) Includes ballast train-miles 2,925·

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 30th January 1909 on 5½ miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week	18,030	Rs. A. P. 5,020 0 0	MDS. S. 56,830 0	Rs. A. P. 2,640 0 0	Rs. A. P. 30 0 0	Rs. A. P. 8,290 0 0	2,170	(a) 812	2,982
Or per mile of railway	345	104 0 0	1,016 0	49 0 0	1 0 0	154 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	54,940	15,950 0 0	3,01,070 0	18,330 0 0	100 0 0	34,380 0 0	7,029	3,101	10,130
Total for 5 weeks	73,470	21,670 0 0	3,58,000 0	20,970 0 0	130 0 0	42,670 0 0	9,199	3,913	13,113
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	17,051	4,531 0 0	13,882 0	905 0 0	14 0 0	5,450 0 0	2,171	140	2,310
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	316	84 0 0	267 0	17 0 "	.....	101 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	70,714	18,492 0 0	1,41,361 0	9,295 0 0	2,431 0 0	25,358 0 0	9,830	2,120	12,000

(a) Ballast train-miles incl.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY.

(ORIGINAL LINE).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 30th January 1909, on 36·4 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week	7,133	Rs. A. P. 2,100 0 0	MDS. S. 25,013 0	Rs. A. P. 3,174 0 0	Rs. A. P. (b) 394 0 0	Rs. A. P. (b) 5,568 0 0	480	438	928
Or per mile of railway	196	55 0 0	687 0	87 0 0	(a) 1 0 0	(a) 143 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	23,801	7,051 0 0	82,707 0	14,119 0 0	1,105 0 0	2,275 0 0	1,594	1,662	3,156
Total for 4 weeks	30,934	9,051 0 0	108,700 0	17,293 0 0	1,499 0 0	27,443 0 0	2,074	2,030	4,094
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,313	2,366 0 0	20,433 0	3,750 0 0	386 0 0	6,442 0 0	477	601	1,078
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	198	64 0 0	809 0	103 0 0	...	167 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	27,073	10,103 0 0	1,37,285 0	10,323 0 0	2,304 0 0	31,729 0 0	2,307	2,867	4,074

(a) Excludes Ferry earnings, Rs. 365.
(b) Includes Ferry earnings, Rs. 365.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY.

(EXTENSIONS).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 30th January 1909, on 117 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILE RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	11,743	Rs. 4,290 0 0	Mds. 43,255 0	Rs. 6,082 0 0	Rs. 21 0 0	Rs. 10,383 0 0	1,595	1,651	3,246
Or per mile of railway ...	100	37 0 0	370 0	52 0 0	.....	89 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 3 weeks of half-year ...	31,607	12,486 0 0	1,55,736 0	22,338 0 0	176 0 0	34,840 0 0	5,098	6,094	11,192
Total for 4 weeks ...	43,349	16,716 0 0	1,98,991 0	28,320 0 0	197 0 0	45,233 0 0	6,693	7,776	14,469
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	9,578	4,516 0 0	51,140 0	6,833 0 0	26 0 0	11,675 0 0	1,338	2,154	3,392
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	82	41 0 0	437 0	59 0 0	.....	100 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	42,911	20,261 0 0	2,27,111 0	33,957 0 0	522 0 0	54,540 0 0	5,532	8,189	13,721

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 29th January 1909...	Coaching	5,390	0	0	13,839	0	0
	Goods	8,390	0	0			
	Other earnings	69	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1908	Coaching	7,161	0	0	15,307	0	0
	Goods	7,886	0	0			
	Other earnings	260	0	0			
	Decrease				1,468	0	0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 23rd January 1909					271	5	8
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908					260	2	2
	Decrease				28	12	6
Receipts from 1st January to 23rd January 1909					38,417	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908					43,882	0	0
	Decrease				5,465	0	0

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the period ending 31st January 1909	Coaching	6,469	0	0	23,077	0	0
	Goods	16,556	0	0			
	Other earnings	52	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1908	Coaching	4,875	0	0	12,909	0	0
	Goods	7,985	0	0			
	Other earnings	49	0	0			
	Increase				10,168	0	0
Receipts per mile for the period ending 31st January 1909					452	7	10
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908					253	1	11
	Increase				199	5	11
Receipts from 1st January to 31st January 1909					61,494	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908					56,791	0	0
	Increase				4,703	0	0



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FINAL FORECAST OF THE WINTER RICE CROP OF BENGAL, 1908-09.

The following note is published for general information.

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The 13th February 1909.

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THIRD AND FINAL FORECAST OF THE WINTER RICE CROP OF BENGAL, 1908-09.

[On an average of five years ending 1906-07, the area under winter rice in the territory to which the forecast relates has represented some 23½ per cent. of the total area under winter rice in British India.]

Explanatory.—This is the final of the three forecasts to be issued of the winter rice crop under recent orders of the Government of India.

Character of the season.—As reported in the second forecast, the season was unfavourable throughout Bihar. Want

of sufficient rain during the monsoon season prevented the full normal area being sown and also stunted the growth of the crops. Short rainfall again in the month of September and drought since October, did much damage, especially in North Bihar. In Lower Bengal, Orissa and Chota Nagpur, although the crop was damaged by heavy rain in July and August and by insect pests in some districts, the prospects continued favourable till September; but the cessation of rain early in October affected the outturn in many districts. Except in Nadia and in parts of Palamau, where crops partially failed, a fair outturn has been obtained in these tracts.

Area cultivated.—The total area cultivated with the crop is returned as 17,916,200 acres, against 19,836,300 acres last year. The normal area under the crop is 20,831,300 acres. The decrease in the current year's area is due to the want of rainfall in Bihar at the sowing season.

Outturn.—In the districts of the Presidency Division, except Khulna, the estimates made in the second forecast were somewhat below the crop actually harvested, and these districts have now reported higher outturns than those given in the second forecast. In the Bhagalpur and Orissa Divisions, and also in Khulna, Gaya, Dharbhanga, Hazaribagh and Singhbhum, a lower outturn has been obtained and in the remaining districts, the figures shown in the second forecast have been reproduced. These changes in the district estimates have, however, not altered the Provincial outturn which remains the same as shown in the second forecast, *viz.*, 72 per cent. of the normal. From Appendix I, which summarises the district returns, it will be seen that Sambalpur and Manbhum each estimate 108 per cent. crops the 24-Parganas a 106 per cent. crop, and Bankura a 100 per cent. crop. In Singhbhum and Ranchi, the crop is estimated at 95 and 97 per cent. of the normal respectively. In six districts, the crop is between 80 and 85 per cent. and in the same number of districts between 70 and 79 per cent. In two districts, the crop is between 60 and 65 per cent.; and in four districts between 50 and 58 per cent. of the normal. A poor outturn is reported from the remaining nine districts, *viz.*, Nadia (47 per cent.), Gaya (42 per cent.), Monghyr (37 per cent.), Patna (33 per cent.), Muzaffarpur and Bhagalpur (31 per cent. each), Saran (29 per cent.), Purnea (28 per cent.) and Darbhanga (10 per cent.)

Taking 72 per cent. as the Provincial outturn, the gross yield of the winter rice (cleaned) crop for the Province, is calculated at 142,159,600 cwts. against 115,860,200 cwts. the outturn estimated last year.

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CALCUTTA,

The 8th February 1909.

APPENDIX I.
Third and Final Forecast of the Winter Rice Crop of Bengal, 1908.

1.	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
District.	Subdividing.	Total area of subdivision, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under winter rice, in acres.	Approximate area under winter rice last year (1907), in acres.	Estimated area under winter rice this year (1908), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much represented the output last year (1907)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much will represent this year's output (1908)?	Total area of the district which has been radiantly surveyed.	Years during which the radiantly survey took place.	Area found under the crop during the radiantly survey.	Date at which the harvesting of the crop was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
Burdwan...	Sadar	1,721,000	685,500	348,700	368,500	323,700	45	80	Acres.	1880-82, 1903-04 to 1906-08.	61,272	2nd week of Nov.	Owing to the cessation of rain in October, the crop suffered to some extent throughout the district; hence the output is below the normal. The Subdivisional Officer of Kalna, however, has raised the output in column 9 from 90 to 100 per cent. in the present forecast. The date of harvesting was about normal.	
	Kalna		224,000	110,000	96,400	110,000	45	100	Acres.			Beginning of December.		
	Katwa		170,000	140,000	138,000	140,000	40	90	Acres.			Last week of November.		
	Assesol		354,700	266,100	203,000	266,100	55	50	Acres.			2nd week of Nov.		
	District Total	1,721,000	1,234,200	674,800	701,900	645,800	47	53	Acres.		61,272			

* These figures represent all kinds of rice. Separate figures are not available.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
District.	Subdivision.	Total area of subdivision, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under winter rice, in acres.	Approximate area under winter rice last year (1907), in acres.	Estimated area under winter rice this year (1908), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1907)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908)?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under the crop during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the harvesting of the crop was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
Burdham...	Sadar	708,480	486,900	385,000	300,000	385,000	40	85	46,353	1889 to 1891 and 1903-08.	...	Beginning of November.	Owing to want of rain since October, the outturn is below the normal. The date of harvesting was normal.	
	Rampur Hat	413,800	299,900	211,600	175,500	170,000	60	85	...	...	...	...
	District Total	1,121,280	786,700	604,600	475,500	555,000	47	95	46,353	...	...	...
Bankura...	Sadar	1,225,440	628,800	346,000	380,000	350,000	44	100	18,466	1889 to 1891 and 1904-07.	Not available.	December	Owing to the cessation of rain since the beginning of October, some damage was done to the crop. The date of harvesting was normal.	
	Yashpur	448,000	214,900	180,400	180,000	190,000	44	100	...	...	...	...
	District Total	1,673,440	843,700	507,000	540,000	540,000	44	100	18,466	...	...	...
Midnapore	Sadar	...	1,949,300	717,500	708,000	708,000	60	80	...	...	...	...
	Contai	...	440,100	365,700	345,000	382,500	35	90	...	...	...	...
	Tamluk	3,319,940	823,600	280,200	180,000	200,000	40	80	35,348	1893-98	25,300	November to December	The increase in the outturn in the Contai Subdivision is due to favourable and seasonable rainfall. The date of harvesting was late at the Sadar Subdivision, early at the Ghatal Subdivision, and normal at the Contai and Tamluk Subdivisions.	
	Ghatal	...	171,600	111,600	108,800	110,500	40	80	...	...	...	...
	District Total	3,319,940	3,190,600	1,406,000	1,342,800	1,411,300	44	86	35,348	...	25,300	...		

Hooghly ..	Sadar ..	761,210	445,900	108,800	98,000	112,200	68	51	The weather was very favourable at the beginning of and through out the sowing season, but want of rain since October has damaged the prospects of the crop to a certain extent; hence the low output. The sudden heavy rains in July and the holding off of the winter rains account for the decrease in the output. The date of harvesting was normal this year.
	Barrackpore ..	...	...	...	...	...	68	51
	Arambagh ..	...	...	...	...	...	68	51
	District Total ..	761,210	445,900	108,800	98,000	112,200	68	51	
Hornah ..	Sadar ..	110,720	80,400	42,600	43,000	44,200	60	75	By the end of November ..
	Uttaris ..	215,080	170,000	76,800	74,000	68,100	70	77	
	District Total ..	325,800	250,400	119,400	117,000	112,300	68	76	
	District Total ..	325,800	250,400	119,400	117,000	112,300	68	76	
24 Parganas ..	Sadar ..	3,100,533	1,682,040	382,000	348,700	340,000	90	110	The increase in the area in Column 7 against Crosshead "total" is due to the fact that some lands cultivated last year with jute have been brought under the cultivation of winter rice owing to the falling off in the demand for jute and to some lands that were left fallow having been brought under cultivation in the Basirhat Sub-division. The weather was on the whole favourable. The general condition and prospects of the crop appeared to be very good at first, but some damage was done by insect-pests and by deficient rain in the latter part of October. The paddy fields especially on high lands suffered to some extent. But on the whole, I consider that the preliminary estimates were too low and I have now raised the estimates. The date of harvesting was normal everywhere, but early in Basirhat and late in Barrackpore.
	Barrackpore ..	...	...	...	...	...	75	106
	Basirhat ..	...	...	...	...	...	75	110
	Diamond Harbour ..	...	...	...	...	...	50	110
M. Ha ..	Sadar ..	1,787,520	984,700	13,000	17,100	24,400	15	48	The weather was not favourable and the general condition of the crop was not good. It suffered from heavy rain in the months of June and July and from deficient rain in the months of September and October. The date of harvesting was normal.
	Kuchua ..	...	...	...	...	...	85	56
	Meherpur ..	...	...	...	...	...	11	40
	District Total ..	1,787,520	984,700	13,000	17,100	24,400	15	48	
Murshidabad ..	Sadar ..	481,280	392,300	87,600	85,600	67,500	17	37	The weather was favourable but want of rain in October last affected the crop to some extent. The general condition of the crop was fair. The date of harvesting was normal.
	Lalbagh	20	72	
	Kandi	57	83	
	District Total ..	481,280	392,300	87,600	85,600	67,500	17	37	

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District.	Subdivision.	Total area of subdivision, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under winter rice, in acres.	Approximate area under winter rice last year (1907) in acres.	Estimated area under winter rice this year (1908) in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much is represented by the actual output (1907)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much will represent this year's output (1908)?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the harvesting of the crop was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
Jessore	Sadar	...	230,500	115,300	115,300	120,300	37	68	...	...	...	November to December.	The early part of the season was characterised by defective rainfall. The situation, however, improved a little owing to seasonable showers in June and a larger area in the Sadar Sub-division was sown with paddy later on in the season. The output was however badly affected owing to want of rain in October. The output shown against the Sadar Subdivision is higher than what was shown in the second forecast. This is due to a mistake in the method of calculation followed in working out the average output in the second forecast. The date of harvesting was normal.	
	Megna	...	171,500	82,000	75,000	91,000	37	50	...	...	...
	Bongaon	...	240,000	113,000	57,000	57,000	40	60	...	...	...
	Warai	...	240,500	140,300	130,000	174,100	38	60	...	...	...
	Jhenidah	...	261,400	95,000	95,000	66,000	40	45	...	...	...
	District Total	1,572,133	1,191,000	583,800	400,400	546,400	38	58	...	...	...
Khulna	Sadar	...	208,500	234,000	203,500	235,600	70	70	...	1903-04 to 1907-08	91,823	1st November.	The general condition of the crop was good in the beginning, but owing to want of adequate rain during the months of September, October and November, the output was low. The harvesting was early this year.	
	Baccharat	...	277,100	234,000	230,000	201,700	51	75	...					
	Safkura	...	220,500	195,500	190,100	196,800	63	100	...					
	District Total	3,049,916	2,700,000	683,700	596,600	651,100	71	81	190,700	...	91,823			

Patna	Sadar	212,760	192,400	190,000	109,000	37,000	25	14	73,164	1900-01	7,248	The weather was unfavourable throughout. The untimely cessation of rain accounts for the decrease in the outturn. The date of harvesting was normal this year.
	Buzh	886,660	255,100	192,900	70,000	33,500	40	30				
	Bihar	608,240	378,100	237,300	200,000	100,300	53	44				
	Dumspore	271,300	225,600	92,600	92,600	23,900	37	50				
	District Total	1,968,960	1,062,100	552,800	471,600	198,500	98	33	73,164		7,248	
Gaya	Sadar	1,219,200	882,300	407,500	400,000	435,300	60	40	180,000	1897-98	148,463	The weather and rainfall was unfavourable for the growth of the crop. The seedlings withered away in many places for want of rain and the full normal area could not be transplanted. Absence of rain in September and October materially affected the condition of transplanted paddy and in portions of unirrigated areas the crop died up altogether.
	Nawada	611,200	469,200	360,000	360,000	260,000	65	35	517,000	1900-01		
	Jehanabad	387,840	327,400	210,000	208,600	95,100	60	79				
	Aurangabad	797,440	442,200	241,000	241,000	60,500	35	25				
	District Total	3,015,680	2,118,100	1,508,500	1,509,600	851,900	55	42	517,000	1907-08	148,463	
Sahabad	Sadar	686,443	490,250	250,000	250,000	251,500	70	10				The decrease in the outturn is due to want of rain in the latter part of the season. The date of harvesting was normal this year.
	Bihar	495,160	390,000	104,200	104,200	88,000	60	75				
	Ranua	620,540	470,900	181,000	181,000	120,000	35	30				
	Sasaram	963,600	644,400	250,000	250,000	132,000	35	35				
	District Total	2,765,743	1,995,550	785,200	785,200	591,500	60	60				

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
District.	Subdivision.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.												
		Total area of subdivision and district, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under winter rice, in acres.	Approximate area under winter rice last year (1907), in acres.	Estimated area under winter rice this year (1908), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1907)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908)?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the harvesting of the crop was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture Bengal.
Saran	Badar	675,700	547,500	141,200	123,000	33,200	12	12	Acres.		141,223			
	Siwan	543,145	433,300	142,000	118,500	116,800	5	33	Acres.	1898-1901	141,986	15th Nov.	The poor outturn was due to insufficient rain. The date of harvesting was normal in the Gopalganj Subdivision and late in the Siwan Subdivision.	
	Gopalganj	493,440	380,400	99,600	61,200	82,700	13	81			99,623			
District Total		1,711,985	1,361,200	372,800	302,700	232,700	10	29						

Champana	Sadar	760,900	971,550	760,900	287,000	265,400	220,000	43	50	2,259,840	1892 to 1899	550,000	15th November.	The normal area was sown this year, but transplantation was restricted for want of timely rain: hence the decrease in the area sown. The cessation of rain after the <i>Katya</i> season injured the growth of the crop to a great extent. There has been no change in the condition of the crop since the submission of the second forecast. The date of harvesting was rather earlier than usual. A smaller area than what was estimated last year was sown this year in Sita-mari and in parts of the Sadar Sub-division. The crop suffered badly from scanty and ill distributed rain and from early west winds. The greater portion of it has been cut for fodder and only in irrigated areas has any satisfactory outturn been obtained. The date of harvesting was normal. Owing to the failure of rain, the general condition of the crop has been very bad especially in the Sadar and Madhubani Subdivisions. The date of harvesting was normal. But as the area sown is about half of the normal area, the outturn is only 5 per cent. of the normal. The crop suffered considerably for want of rain. The date of harvesting was normal.
	Bettiah	686,700	1,393,350	686,700	293,000	295,000	244,000	50	60	2,259,840	...	550,000		
	District Total	1,447,600	2,364,900	1,447,600	580,000	560,400	464,000	41	55	2,259,840	...	550,000		
Muzaffarpur.	Sadar	664,000	790,657	664,000	316,000	316,000	162,000	28	25	1,948,400	1892-93 to 1898-99	216,618 { 105,592 { 337,409	1st week of November.	
	Halipur	809,900	611,198	809,900	125,100	106,100	106,100	86	59	1,948,400	...	689,319		
	Sitamarhi	875,000	680,557	875,000	337,600	337,600	265,000	80	58	1,948,400	...	689,319		
	District Total	1,687,000	1,942,412	1,687,000	658,600	658,600	533,100	58	31	1,948,400	...	689,319		
Darbhanga	Sadar	617,400	2,148,000	617,400	382,000	382,000	162,400	75	3	2,148,000	1896 to 1905.	382,000 { 128,600 { 462,400	November.	On account of the most unusually dry season, the crop has suffered very badly everywhere in this district. The outturn would have been even less than what is shown in the forecast had not there been a bumper crop in a tract well irrigated by the flood water of the Kosi. The date of harvesting was a little late.
	Samastipur	325,500	2,148,000	325,500	146,500	146,500	72,800	60	25	2,148,000	...	967,906		
	Madhubani	668,400	2,148,000	668,400	462,400	462,400	215,500	100	10	2,148,000	...	967,906		
	District Total	1,673,000	2,142,000	1,673,000	990,900	990,900	457,300	83	10	2,148,000	...	967,906		
Monahat...	Sadar	698,900	1,304,450	698,900	202,900	162,400	108,000	61	45	985,582	1901 to 1904.	3,347 { 98,579 { Survey not completed.	Beginning of November.	On account of the most unusually dry season, the crop has suffered very badly everywhere in this district. The outturn would have been even less than what is shown in the forecast had not there been a bumper crop in a tract well irrigated by the flood water of the Kosi. The date of harvesting was a little late.
	Begumrai	309,300	492,100	309,300	93,400	38,200	27,500	100	25	985,582	...	41,726		
	Jamui	615,300	811,550	615,300	108,000	108,300	30,300	48	20	985,582	...	41,726		
	District Total	1,623,500	2,510,080	1,623,500	342,300	268,700	165,500	60	37	985,582	...	41,726		
Bhagalpur	Sadar	464,000	697,760	464,000	250,000	260,800	60,000	75	25	666,301	1902-04	216,715 { 216,364 { 430,895	Early varieties commenced from the beginning of October, and that of late varieties from the beginning of December.	On account of the most unusually dry season, the crop has suffered very badly everywhere in this district. The outturn would have been even less than what is shown in the forecast had not there been a bumper crop in a tract well irrigated by the flood water of the Kosi. The date of harvesting was a little late.
	Madhipura	574,300	753,640	574,300	237,000	213,700	190,000	70	36	666,301	...	430,895		
	Banka	598,000	758,460	598,000	404,100	404,200	130,000	75	25	666,301	...	430,895		
	Supaul	447,000	697,760	447,000	217,000	195,000	38,800	60	41	666,301	...	430,895		
	District Total	2,073,300	2,704,640	2,073,300	1,108,100	1,068,500	302,500	71	31	666,301	...	430,895		

* 316 acres represent the area of Halipur Thana only.

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.
District.	Subdivision.	Total area of subdivision and district, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under winter rice, in acres.	Approximate area under winter rice last year (1907), in acres.	Estimated area under winter rice (this year 1908), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much represented the output last year (1907)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much will represent this year's output (1908)?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under the crop during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the harvesting of the crop was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
Purana	Sadar	1,646,073	790,000	314,000	290,000	250,000	80	25	2,500,346	1901-02 & 1904-05.	57,000	Middle of November.	The date of harvesting was normal. The low return is due to continuous drought this year.	
	Kishanganj	861,440	635,000	350,000	300,000	340,000	60	28	2,500,346	1901-02 & 1904-05.	57,000	Middle of November.		
	Araria	683,640	263,400	130,000	130,000	75,000	60	40	2,500,346	1901-02 & 1904-05.	57,000	Middle of November.		
	District Total	3,191,153	1,688,400	794,000	720,000	665,000	54	28	2,500,346	1901-02 & 1904-05.	57,000	Middle of November.		
Darjeeling	Sadar	900,960	48,200	7,000	7,000	7,000	87	87	147,170	1,897	46,180	Beginning of November.	The weather was favourable in all the subdivisions excepting Siliguri, where sowing was late due to want of rain. The date of harvesting was normal in other places.	
	Kurseong	118,400	4,400	...	...	...	...	...	147,170	1,897	46,180	End of November.		
	Siliguri	161,316	70,300	52,700	38,400	17,800	75	70	147,170	1,897	46,180	End of November.		
	Kalimpong	263,680	48,300	4,300	4,300	4,300	75	75	147,170	1,897	46,180	1st week of November.		
	District Total	744,356	160,900	65,900	60,000	30,300	77	75	147,170	1,897	46,180	Middle of October.		
South Parganas.	Sadar	914,600	260,300	92,100	92,100	92,100	80	80	147,170	1,897	46,180	Middle of October.	The weather was not favourable. The general condition of the crop was not good owing to want of rain in September and October. The date of harvesting was early in the Dumka and Godda Subdivisions, late in the Pakur Subdivision, and normal elsewhere. The estimates shown in column 9 against the Deopur and Rajmahal Subdivisions have been revised after local enquiry.	
	Deopur	610,500	236,100	49,700	49,700	49,700	50	70	147,170	1,897	46,180	Middle of October.		
	Godda	618,600	280,000	93,000	78,000	71,000	57	46	147,170	1,897	46,180	Middle of October.		
	Jamshedpur	445,440	170,100	55,500	55,500	55,500	50	70	147,170	1,897	46,180	Middle of October.		
	Pakur	457,132	285,400	133,000	133,000	133,000	50	63	147,170	1,897	46,180	Middle of October.		
	Rajmahal	474,360	385,300	150,000	146,300	100,000	68	50	147,170	1,897	46,180	Middle of October.		
	District Total	3,600,300	1,545,300	579,000	564,400	490,500	56	53	147,170	1,897	46,180	Middle of October.		

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
District.	Subdivision.	Total area of subdivision and district, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under winter rice, in acres.	Approximate area under winter rice last year (1907), in acres.	Estimated area under winter rice this year (1908), in acres.	Taking 200 to represent the normal outturn, how much normal outturn, how much (1907)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much (1907)?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the harvesting of the crop was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
Banshalpur	Sadar	...	311,300	92,300	88,800	107,400	68	119	2,447,360	1894-97	79,531	28th Nov.	The weather was favourable, but owing to excessive rain at the beginning of the season the expected outturn was not obtained. The date of harvesting was normal this year.	
	Bargah	...	554,000	132,000	132,300	127,700	75	105	2,447,360	1891-97	136,930			
	District Total	2,447,360	845,300	229,300	231,300	235,100	73	108	2,447,360	...	206,460			
Banshalpur	Sadar	...	1,132,000	615,300	615,300	639,700	49	90	...	...	...		The weather was favourable and the condition of the crop was on the whole good up to the completion of transplantation. But later on, the crop suffered from drought: hence a lower outturn than what was anticipated in the second forecast. The date of harvesting was normal.	
	Girdih	...	571,000	392,500	350,300	373,100	51	68	...	...	...
	District Total	4,493,440	1,703,000	1,007,700	965,600	1,012,800	50	58	...	...	...
Ranebi	Sadar and Khunth	2,242,560	881,900	661,300	661,300	661,300	60	95	Survey operation is going on.			By the middle of June.	The crop has been good. The rainfall was favourable. The date of harvesting was normal.	
	Gumla	2,519,360	618,100	579,000	579,000	579,000	50	100	...	...	...
	District Total	4,561,920	1,500,000	1,240,300	1,240,300	1,240,300	50	97	...	...	...

P. L. an ...	Whole district ...	3,164,900	627,600	377,940	180,000	149,300	26	60	187,520	1894-97	15,906	Second fortnight of November.	The weather was favourable except in the Northern thanas, where there has been a very small outturn. In Jopla, the outturn was practically nil. The date of harvesting was normal.
	Sadar ...	3,140,160	1,119,500	763,500	748,900	910,300	85	110	Not cadastrally surveyed				
	Dhanbaid ...	513,920	300,700	183,000	200,000	200,000	43	100	End of October.				The weather was on the whole very favourable and the general condition of the crop was excellent. The date of harvesting was normal.
Mambbum	District Total ...	3,654,080	1,419,200	946,900	948,900	1,110,300	12	108					
	Whole district ...	3,490,240	840,700	315,000	312,400	315,000	53	95	1,731,984	1898-97 to 1900-03.	...	1st Oct. ...	There has been a fair outturn this year as the rainfall was sufficient and seasonable.
	Grand Total ...	74,117,041	32,100,800	20,931,800	19,856,300	17,916,200	83	72					

APPENDIX II.

Statement showing Rainfall from May to December 1908.

DIVISION AND DISTRICT.	MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUGUST.		SEPTEMBER.		OCTOBER.		NOVEMBER.		DECEMBER.	
	Normal average.	Actual average.	Normal average.	Actual average.	Normal average.	Actual average.	Normal average.	Actual average.	Normal average.	Actual average.	Normal average.	Actual average.	Normal average.	Actual average.	Normal average.	Actual average.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Bardwan	5.06	5.15	10.75	16.10	12.25	11.76	11.76	10.26	5.40	7.16	3.35	0.79	0.43	NIL.	0.10	NIL.
Birbhum	4.07	2.85	10.66	14.17	12.49	12.13	12.13	9.50	10.39	6.86	3.52	0.79	0.41	NIL.	0.07	NIL.
Burkura	4.36	4.30	10.63	13.84	12.32	12.13	12.06	12.06	8.70	7.60	3.15	0.79	0.54	NIL.	0.11	NIL.
Midnapore	5.39	5.61	10.23	12.13	11.43	12.07	12.07	12.06	9.31	6.40	4.43	1.20	0.64	NIL.	0.13	NIL.
Hoochly	5.30	4.46	10.28	12.10	12.02	12.75	12.75	9.40	8.83	7.75	3.22	0.21	0.39	NIL.	0.13	NIL.
Howrah	5.27	4.65	10.33	12.07	11.53	12.23	11.40	9.69	9.46	6.12	3.79	0.63	0.51	0.08	0.13	NIL.
Palas	5.49	3.93	10.89	19.37	13.98	12.08	12.30	11.79	10.04	8.96	5.21	1.05	0.82	0.06	0.17	NIL.
Nadia	6.72	3.40	10.00	20.17	10.36	12.21	10.36	7.83	8.43	5.64	3.75	0.63	0.74	0.04	0.11	NIL.
Murshidabad	5.13	2.32	10.15	14.09	10.80	11.23	10.43	7.04	8.33	7.39	3.75	0.63	0.83	0.06	0.06	NIL.
Jessore	7.13	5.57	11.69	17.07	10.64	12.75	10.67	6.42	8.45	5.96	4.44	1.53	0.83	0.16	0.14	NIL.
Khulna	6.45	6.11	12.77	13.15	13.10	12.33	9.11	6.36	9.55	5.96	4.21	1.57	0.83	0.08	0.15	NIL.
Pattana	1.75	0.71	7.71	5.25	12.40	5.03	11.21	6.46	7.20	4.93	2.66	0.13	0.19	NIL.	0.10	NIL.
Gara	1.18	0.57	6.32	3.81	13.40	4.39	11.72	7.04	7.55	4.33	2.27	0.82	0.20	NIL.	0.23	0.02
Shahadai	0.77	0.34	6.44	2.26	13.69	7.26	11.66	9.51	6.96	3.37	2.61	1.07	0.35	NIL.	0.24	0.02
Saran	1.35	0.07	7.03	2.80	11.77	5.28	11.00	7.77	8.20	10.41	2.67	1.07	0.18	NIL.	0.10	NIL.
Champan	2.61	0.90	9.34	5.87	13.72	7.23	12.51	7.43	8.83	11.05	3.23	1.32	0.11	NIL.	0.15	NIL.
Murshidpur	2.23	1.64	7.41	2.71	12.03	8.30	11.40	8.10	8.70	5.94	2.61	1.19	0.11	NIL.	0.09	NIL.
Darbhanga	2.56	0.90	7.47	2.30	12.53	6.11	13.49	3.97	10.06	7.43	2.16	0.44	0.11	NIL.	0.07	0.01
Monohar	2.16	1.73	7.02	2.79	13.33	7.95	11.41	6.03	9.57	6.14	2.49	0.49	0.09	NIL.	0.07	NIL.
Bhagalpur	3.15	2.43	8.35	3.44	12.72	5.97	11.08	4.64	10.80	6.75	2.63	1.06	0.07	NIL.	0.07	0.07
Purnea	6.41	4.61	12.61	5.32	13.16	8.38	14.38	4.83	15.44	5.39	2.93	1.05	0.07	NIL.	0.06	0.01
Darjeeling	9.29	11.38	23.36	16.43	32.06	26.57	34.56	20.60	19.22	15.94	4.23	1.43	0.07	NIL.	0.23	0.01
Sonthal	2.75	2.37	9.79	5.34	12.68	11.56	11.96	7.96	11.10	7.43	3.15	0.87	0.28	0.03	0.08	NIL.
Parganas.																
Cuttack	4.23	1.64	9.71	14.85	11.59	12.03	12.77	19.35	10.19	8.14	6.19	1.33	1.67	NIL.	0.39	NIL.
Balasore	6.06	3.25	9.10	10.04	12.03	7.94	11.95	17.64	11.13	6.43	5.64	1.42	1.31	NIL.	0.19	NIL.
Angul	2.42	2.70	9.78	6.49	12.17	12.51	10.45	14.35	9.67	8.07	4.33	2.30	1.03	NIL.	0.40	NIL.
Puri	3.13	1.55	10.17	10.56	10.23	9.56	12.06	13.97	9.92	11.06	7.18	2.30	0.40	NIL.	0.34	NIL.
Sambalpur	1.23	0.45	10.46	9.40	13.37	24.62	15.16	30.17	8.30	6.71	1.93	1.43	0.43	NIL.	0.25	NIL.
Hasaribagh	1.89	0.51	8.43	7.26	14.33	13.96	12.60	9.39	8.37	4.53	3.13	1.16	0.31	NIL.	0.22	NIL.
Ranchi	1.69	1.90	9.64	8.33	14.58	14.31	13.81	17.46	8.30	3.83	3.83	1.33	0.38	NIL.	0.30	NIL.
Palanau	0.84	0.94	6.80	3.26	13.45	8.27	13.42	9.04	7.65	4.81	2.83	1.27	0.30	NIL.	0.35	0.01
Manbhum	2.81	2.57	9.69	9.81	13.80	13.51	13.78	13.10	8.32	5.65	3.70	0.71	0.31	NIL.	0.13	NIL.
Singhbhum	3.35	2.95	10.57	9.35	13.67	13.43	11.54	21.29	5.19	6.66	2.69	1.06	0.43	NIL.	0.18	NIL.

APPENDIX III.
Abstract Statement of Estimated Acreage and Outturn of the Winter Rice Crop, 1908.

PROVINCE.	ACREAGE.								OUTTURN IN CWT.						
	Of current year's crop.	Of previous year's crop.	Average of five preceding years (viz., 1903 to 1906).	Average of ten preceding years (viz., 1897 to 1906).	Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or falls short (-) of area in—	Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or falls short (-) of area in—			Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of five preceding years (viz., 1903 to 1906).	Average of ten preceding years (viz., 1897 to 1906).	Percentage by which column 9 exceeds (+) or falls short (-) of outturn in—		
						Column 3.	Column 4.	Column 5.					Column 10.	Column 11.	Column 12.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
Bengal	17,916,200	19,326,300	20,121,100	20,515,900	-9.68	-10.95	-12.67	144,108,600	115,660,200	193,311,400	193,835,900	+23.70	-28.46	-28.56	

MONTHLY WEATHER AND CROP REPORT OF BENGAL FOR JANUARY 1909.

Character of the Rainfall.—In the latter part of the month, light showers fell in all districts excepting Hooghly, Howrah, the 24 Parganas and Angul. In Chota Nagpur, the rainfall was in excess, and in Burdwan, Birbhum, Bankura, Midnapore, Nadia, Gaya, and the Sonthal Parganas, it was about the normal. It was below the average in all the Bihar districts except the Sonthal Parganas. The usual rainfall statement is appended.

II. *Progress of Agricultural operations.*—Harvesting of winter rice was completed during the month. Sugarcane pressing was in progress in Bihar, Orissa and Chota Nagpur. Preparation of lands for planting of sugarcane and for sowing of *bhadri* crops was facilitated by the recent rain. Harvesting of early oilseeds and pulses continued during the month.

III. *State of standing Crops.*—*Rabi* crops suffered for want of moisture, especially in North Bihar. The rain received in the last week of the month did much good and improved prospects. More rain is wanted in North Bihar for the standing *rabi* crops.

IV. *Prospects and probable outturn of harvests.*—The winter rice crop has been harvested. The cessation of rain early in October did widespread damage to the crop when attaining maturity. In North Bihar, a very poor outturn has been obtained. The outturn of the crop for the whole Province has been estimated at 72 per cent. of the normal against 53 per cent. estimated last year. The *rabi* and oilseed crops are not good in North Bihar. The recent rain, however, though scanty in Bihar, where it is most wanted, has done much good to the crops and has improved prospects. The sugarcane crop is estimated at 62 per cent of the normal. The low outturn is due to drought since October.

V. *Damage to crops.*—No serious damage to crops has been reported. The *rabi* crops in unirrigated tracts of Bihar suffered from drought.

VI. *Condition of Agricultural stock.*—The condition of the Agricultural stock continued fair. Cases of cattle-disease were reported from parts of Burdwan, Midnapore, Nadia, Monghyr, Purnea, Angul, Puri, Sambalpur, and from the Chota Nagpur, Patna and Tirhoot Divisions.

VII. *Failure of pasturage and fodder.*—Insufficiency of the fodder supply was reported from Monghyr, Purnea and the Sonthal Parganas. Sources of water-supply have been drying up in many parts of North Bihar.

VIII. *Prices of food-grains.*—Prices of food-grains still ruled high. The price of common rice has fallen in all districts on account of the recent harvest. It is cheaper than in the corresponding period of last year. The price is varying from 7 seers in Darjeeling to 15 seers in Angul.

IX. *Condition of labouring of the classes and agricultural population.*—The prospects in North Bihar continued unfavourable. Distress prevailed in many parts owing to the scarcity and want of labour. Gratuitous and test relief continued in Darbhanga, in parts of which district famine has been declared. Test works were started in Bhagalpur. Arrangements are being made to open relief in Purnea. Prospects are favourable in Bengal, Orissa and Chota Nagpur, except in parts of Palamau, where the winter rice crops failed owing to drought.

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CALCUTTA,
The 16th February 1909.

Statement showing the Rainfall in each district during January 1909.

Division.	District.	Normal district rain-fall for the month of January.	Actual district rain-fall for the month of January 1909.	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan ...	0.41	0.40	-0.01
	Birbhum ...	0.42	0.62	+0.20
	Bankura ...	0.30	0.21	-0.09
	Midnapore ...	0.24	0.24	0
	Hooghly ...	0.36	Nil	-0.36
	Howrah ...	0.29	Nil	-0.29
	24 Parganas ...	0.38	Nil	-0.38
	Calcutta ...	0.29	Nil	-0.29
	Nadia ...	0.40	0.41	+0.01
	Murshidabad ...	0.45	0.39	-0.06
	Jessore ...	0.43	0.07	-0.36
	Khulna ...	0.34	0.01	-0.33
	Patna ...	0.77	0.19	-0.58
	Gaya ...	0.70	0.66	-0.04
Bihar	Shahabad ...	0.78	0.33	-0.45
	Saran ...	0.72	0.19	-0.53
	Champan ...	0.72	0.17	-0.55
	Muzaffarpur ...	0.77	0.02	-0.75
	Darbhanga ...	0.74	0.03	-0.71
	Monghyr ...	0.77	0.30	-0.47
	Bhagalpur ...	0.66	0.16	-0.50
	Darjeeling ...	0.83	0.14	-0.69
	Purnea ...	0.46	0.01	-0.45
	Sonthal Parganas ...	0.62	0.70	+0.08
Orissa	Sambalpur ...	0.44	0.02	-0.42
	Angul ...	0.23	Nil	-0.23
	Cuttack ...	0.30	0.11	-0.19
	Balasore ...	0.35	0.18	-0.17
	Puri ...	0.22	0.09	-0.13
Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh ...	0.71	1.63	+0.92
	Ranchi ...	0.45	1.25	+0.80
	Palamau ...	0.82	1.56	+0.74
	Manbhum ...	0.47	0.61	+0.14
	Singhbhum ...	0.24	1.15	+0.91

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 15th February 1909.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Threshing of winter rice nearly finished. Sugarcane doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Threshing of winter paddy nearly finished. Sugarcane and <i>rabi</i> crops suffering for want of rain. Fodder and water sufficient. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Cattle-disease reported from the Sadar thana. Common rice selling at 8½ seers per rupee at Rampur Hât.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	10	9½	Weather seasonable. Crushing of sugarcane and harvesting of mustard going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE	Nil	10	10	Threshing of winter rice and sowing of summer rice continuing in the Ghatal subdivision. Prospects of sugarcane not good. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Salbani, Jhargaoon, Mohonpur, Kharakpur, Narayangarh, Keshiari and Ghatal. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 11 seers per rupee at Contai, 9½ seers at Tamluk, and 10½ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of sugarcane, potatoes, vegetables and <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Harvesting of winter paddy nearly finished. Prices of food-grains stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing well. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported.
7	24-PARGANAS	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Common rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 9 seers at Diamond Harbour, and at 8½ seers at Barraokpore. Basirhat report not received.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	8½	8½	Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of <i>rahar</i> , lentils, and of <i>tobacco</i> and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Ploughing of lands going on. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains barely sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Meherpur and Ranaghat thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in sars, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
9	MURSHIDABAD	Inches. Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>aman</i> paddy still continuing in the Lalbagh subdivision. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Sugarcane pressing continuing in the Jangipur subdivision. Its prospects not favourable in the Kandi and Jangipur subdivisions. Lands being prepared for the next paddy crop. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
10	JESSORE	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops poor. Rain badly wanted for cultivation. Fodder and water generally sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Narail. Condition of agricultural stock good.
11	KHULNA	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. Harvesting of winter rice almost over. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops not very favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA	Nil	{ 9 15½ }	{ 9 15½ }	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane going on. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops commenced. Prospects of standing crops fair. Food-stocks being imported from outside. Supply of water and fodder sufficient.
13	GAYA	Nil	{ 10½† 14½ }	{ 10½† 14½ }	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of mustard, <i>masur</i> and peas and ploughing of sugarcane going on. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing well. Prices slightly fallen at the Sadar and Aurangabad subdivisions. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Wizirganj.
14	SHAHABAD	Nil	{ 9 13 }	{ 9 13 }	Standing <i>rabi</i> crops doing well. Sugarcane pressing in progress. Harvesting of peas and <i>masur</i> continuing. Poppy in flower. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under the normal. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease still reported from Nokla thana.
15	SARAN	Nil	{ 10 15 }	{ 9½ 15½ }	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of mustard going on. <i>Rabi</i> crops ripening in places. Fields being prepared for sowing of indigo and sugarcane. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in sars per rupee.
† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather hot in the day but cold at night. Rain badly wanted for standing crops. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of rape and mustard going on. Some damage done to <i>rabar</i> and other <i>rabi</i> crops by frost. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water as yet sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 14\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. All standing crops suffering from want of moisture in the soil. Cattle-disease reported in Belsand and Katra thamas. Fodder sufficient at present. Water-supply running short in many parts of the district. Distress anticipated in parts of the Sitamarhi subdivision, where two test-works and a poor-house now being opened. Common rice and <i>makai</i> selling at 9 and 14½ seers per rupee, respectively at Hajipur and at 9 and 14 seers a rupee respectively at Sitamarhi.
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>sarson</i> crops and their winnowing in progress at places. <i>Rabar</i> crops and tobacco damaged in some tracts by frost. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops very bad. Cattle-disease reported in one village. Food-stocks sufficient. Fodder available. Numbers on relief-works on 11th instant—31,247. Gratuitously relieved on declared areas—3,260. Numbers on test-works in observation areas on 13th instant—15,583 and gratuitously relieved—843.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops fair. Crops suffered for want of rain. Prices of staple food-grains fallen slightly. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient at the Sadar subdivision; reported to be scarce in parts of the Jamui subdivision. Report from the Begusarai subdivision not received.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Rain wanted in places where there are no means of irrigation. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. 125 men, 365 women and 326 children—total 816—relieved gratuitously in the Madhipura subdivision and 180 men, 322 women and 381 children—total 883—in the Supaul subdivision. 1,832 men, 1,913 women and 587 children—total 4,332—persons on test-works in Madhipura and 407 men, 297 women and 218 children—total 922 in Supaul.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 11 \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 12 \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops generally bad. Lands being ploughed for jute and other <i>bhadoi</i> crops. Rain urgently wanted to facilitate ploughing. Stocks of food-grains sufficient due to imports. Condition of agricultural stock generally fair. Fodder and water getting scarce in many places. No cattle-disease reported. Two test-works ordered to be opened. 56 men and 18 women—total 74 persons—relieved gratuitously. Common rice selling at 7½ and 7 seers a rupee at Araria and Kishanganj respectively.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Bader station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
22	DARJEELING ...	Inches. Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 14^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 13^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Hills—Wheat and barley growing. Oilseeds being harvested. Terai—Lands being prepared for jute and <i>bhadra</i> crops. Potatoes, mustard and sugarcane being harvested. Prospects fair. Prices stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient.
23	SONTHAL PAR- GANAS.	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 11^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 11^* \end{array} \right.$	Rainfall at Pakour 0·17 inch. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water not sufficient in the Godda, Pakour and Rajmahal subdivisions.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10½	10½	<i>Achua</i> cotton, tobacco and <i>jhain mung</i> growing. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. Threshing of <i>saradh</i> paddy, pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. <i>Dalua</i> paddy thriving. Vegetables doing well. Fodder and water and food-stocks sufficient. No cattle-disease. Prices stationary. Common rice selling at 13 seers a rupee at Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	15	15	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of oilseeds and pressing of sugarcane finished. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 12 seers a rupee at the Khondmals. Fodder and water available.
27	PURI ...	Nil	9½	9½	<i>Dalua</i> paddy crop promising well. <i>Kulthi</i> crop being harvested. Cattle-disease reported from Khurda. Common rice selling at 10½ seers per rupee at Khurda—38 men, 114 women and 231 children—total—383 attending kitchens—10 men, 129 women and 3 children—total 142 receiving gratuitous relief.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	Nil	12½	12½	Sugarcane being pressed. Rice and sugarcane fields being ploughed for the next season's crop. Harvesting of peas commenced. Condition of standing crops—sugarcane and vegetables good. Outturn of sugarcane estimated at 10 annas. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water-supply sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Rinderpest reported from Bargarh tahsil. Common rice selling at 14 seers a rupee at Bargarh.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—There was no rain during the week excepting a few showers at Pakour in the Sonthal Parganas. More rain is urgently wanted in North Bihar for the standing crops and for the preparation of lands for the next season's crops. Sugarcane-pressing is going on in Bihar, Orissa and Chota Nagpur. It has commenced already in Bankura, Nadia and Murshidabad. The harvesting of oil-seeds and pulses continues. Some damage has been done by frost to the *rahar* crops in Champaran and Darbhanga. Standing *rabi* crops and vegetables are doing well in Orissa and Chota Nagpur. The price of common rice has risen in Jessore and Puri and has fallen in Bankura, Hooghly, Gaya, Saran, Muzaffarpur, Monghyr, the Sonthal Parganas, Hazaribagh, Palamau, Singhbhum and Oooch Behar, and it has been stationary in the remaining districts. Cattle-disease is reported from Birbhum, Midnapore, Nadia, Jessore, Gaya, Shahabad, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Puri, Sambalpur and Chota Nagpur (Singhbhum excepted). The fodder and water-supply is getting scarce in many parts of North Bihar. The number of persons on test-works in Darbhanga and Bhagalpur was 20,837. Gratuitous relief was given to 6,076 persons in Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Palamau, and 525 in Puri. The number of persons on famine relief-works in Darbhanga was 31,247.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 16th February 1909.

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TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED AT

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SOUTH-WEST DIVISION.

HISTORICAL DIVISION.	DIVISION.	DISTRICT.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
SOUTH-WEST DIVISION.	Burdwan.	Burdwan	Kaina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Katwa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Raniganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Birbhum	Mankur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Suri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Holampur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Rampur Hat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bankura	Bolpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Murari	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Lalpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SOUTH-WEST DIVISION.	Burdwan.	Bankura	Violapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Malda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Khatra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Indra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Midnapore	Kotalpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Onda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Gangajalhati	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Balpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Midnapore	Souamukhi
			Pachet
			Contai
			Tamluk
SOUTH-WEST DIVISION.	Burdwan.	Midnapore	Midnapore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Chhatrai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
				

STATIONS IN BENGAL IN JANUARY 1909.

No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heavy rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 18th Oct. 1908 to 31st Jan. 1909.	Average rainfall from 18th Oct. 1908 to 31st Jan. 1909.	Station.	District.	Division.	Metereological Division.
1	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.80	Kalna	Burdwan	...	...
2	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Burdwan	...	...	...
3	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Katwa.	...	...	...
4	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Raniganj.	...	...	...
5	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Mankur.	...	...	...
6	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Suri	Birbhum	...	...
7	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Hetampur.	...	...	...
8	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Bampur Hat.	...	...	...
9	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Bolpur.	...	...	...
10	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Murari.	...	...	...
11	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Lalpur.	...	...	...
12	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Bankura	Bankura	...	...
13	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Vishnupur.	...	...	...
14	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Mallara	...	...	...
15	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Khatra.	...	...	...
16	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Indas.	...	...	...
17	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Kotalpur.	...	...	...
18	0.01	0.01	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.03	...	...	...	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Qanda.	...	...	...
19	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.03	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Gangajalhatti
20	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.03	Nil	0.07	0.02	0.40	0.03	0.02	2.75	Saipur.
21	0.01	0.01	...																			

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STATIONS IN BENGAL IN JANUARY 1909—continued.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heavyest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th Oct. 1908 to 31st Jan. 1909.	Average rainfall from 16th Oct. 1908 to 31st Jan. 1909.	Station.	DISTRICT.	DIVISION.	METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION.
0.08	0.08	...	...	...	...	0.08	0.11	...	...	...	1	1.85	0.24	0.70	0.11	0.20	2.47	Buxar	Shahabad		
0.20	0.25	...	...	...	...	0.08	0.08	...	...	...	2	1.85	0.24	0.70	0.11	0.20	2.47	Dehri	Shahabad		
0.01	0.21	...	...	...	...	0.11	0.10	...	...	...	1	1.85	0.24	0.70	0.11	0.20	2.47	Bhabhua	Shahabad		
...	0.28	...	...	...	...	0.01	0.10	...	...	...	1	1.85	0.24	0.70	0.11	0.20	2.47	Basaram	Shahabad		
...	0.03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.85	0.24	0.70	0.11	0.20	2.47	Arrah	Shahabad		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0.16	...	...	...	...	1	1.85	0.24	0.70	0.11	0.20	2.47	Mohanna	Shahabad		
...	0.16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.44	0.18	0.84	0.16	0.16	2.87	Agroha	Shahabad		
...	0.08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1.56	0.25	0.86	0.20	0.20	2.89	Kammar	Shahabad		
...	0.20	...	...	...	...	0.15	...	...	...	...	1	1.33	0.25	0.85	0.16	0.22	2.47	Koath	Shahabad		
...	0.16	...	...	...	...	0.03	...	...	...	...	1	1.07	0.24	0.73	0.21	0.24	3.20	Sikroul	Shahabad		
...	0.21	...	...	...	...	0.03	0.21	...	...	...	2	1.56	0.24	0.73	0.21	0.24	2.52	Basawan	Shahabad		
...	0.09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	?	?	?	?	?	?	Monaharpur	Shahabad		
0.22	0.04	...	...	...	...	0.21	...	...	...	...	3	?	?	?	?	?	?	Akbarpur	Shahabad		
...	...	0.04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1.32	0.31	0.69	0.19	0.31	1.75	Gopalganj	Naran		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1.72	0.13	0.83	0.13	0.13	2.22	Siwan	Naran		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.16	...	...	...	1	1.14	0.28	0.66	0.18	0.28	2.32	Ekma	Naran		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1.48	0.13	0.74	?	?	1.92	Chapra	Naran		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1.00	0.13	?	0.13	0.13	?	Haithwa	Naran		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.51	0.20	0.69	0.10	0.20	2.35	Amnor	Naran		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	?	0.24	?	0.24	?	?	Basanipur	Naran		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.01	...	...	...	1	?	?	?	?	?	?	Darauli	Naran		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	?	0.19	?	0.19	?	?	Shoreh	Naran		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	?	?	?	?	?	?	Sripur	Naran		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1.32	0.17	0.57	0.15	0.17	1.45	Motihari	Champanan		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.08	...	...	...	1	1.24	0.13	0.67	0.11	0.13	1.50	Retnah	Champanan		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1.73	0.22	0.80	0.14	0.22	1.86	Bagaha	Champanan		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.47	0.05	0.73	0.05	0.05	1.80	Burhurwa	Champanan		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	?	?	?	?	?	Ramnagar	Champanan		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	0.05	?	0.05	0.05	?	Narkotiganj	Champanan		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.01	...	...	...	2	?	0.25	?	0.10	0.25	?	Kisoriah	Champanan		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.17	0.07	0.69	0.07	0.07	1.75	Dhanaha	Champanan		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.24	0.11	0.79	Nil	0.07	1.75	Bitamari	Muzaffarpur		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.24	0.11	0.79	Nil	0.07	1.75	Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.24	0.11	0.79	Nil	0.07	1.75	Basipur	Muzaffarpur		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.40	0.05	0.61	0.05	0.05	1.51	Patna	Muzaffarpur		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.40	0.05	0.61	0.05	0.05	1.51	Mubna	Muzaffarpur		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.39	0.01	0.97	Nil	0.01	2.23	Shiluhar	Muzaffarpur		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.36	0.01	0.72	0.01	0.01	0.97	Pupri	Muzaffarpur		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.30	Nil	0.71	Nil	Nil	0.97	Tajpur (Baitanipur)	Darbhanga		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.30	0.09	0.65	0.09	0.09	1.87	Darbhanga	Darbhanga		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.21	0.05	0.78	0.05	0.05	1.75	Madhubani	Darbhanga		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.33	0.05	0.82	0.05	0.05	1.75	Bahara	Darbhanga		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.40	0.05	0.73	0.05	0.05	1.46	Koshera	Darbhanga		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	?	0.10	?	0.10	0.10	1.36	Khatonia	Darbhanga		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	?	0.12	?	0.12	0.12	?	Ladania	Darbhanga		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	0.10	?	0.10	0.10	?	Lakshmi	Darbhanga		
...	0.01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	0.10	?	0.10	0.10	?	Khajouli	Darbhanga		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	?	?	?	?	?	Danipatti	Darbhanga		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	?	?	?	?	?	Maulapur	Darbhanga		
...	0.07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.33	0.07	0.69	0.07	0.07	2.13	Bogusara	Monahyr		
...	0.01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.20	0.01	0.61	0.01	0.01	1.68	Monahyr	Monahyr		
...	0.20	0.04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1.25	0.32	0.75	0.32	0.32	1.67	Jamui	Monahyr		
...	0.03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.33	0.19	1.19	?	?	1.83	Jogri	Monahyr		
...	0.08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.80	0.03	0.60	0.03	0.03	1.83	Jamui	Monahyr		
...	0.20	0.42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0.3	0.68	0.63	0.68	0.68	1.83	Shahpur	Monahyr		
...	0.30	0.10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.76	0.03	0.85	0.03	0.03	2.46	Chakri Hamda	Monahyr		
...	0.25	0.24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1.43	0.39	0.39	0.39	0.39	1.80	Chupraon	Monahyr		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1.80	0.40	0.89	0.40	0.40	2.14	Gidhor	Monahyr		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2.00	0.40	1.00	0.25	0.40	2.03	Kharagpur	Monahyr		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.33	0.03	0.58	0.03	0.03	1.65	Madhipura	Shahganj		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.00	0.34	0.34	Nil	0.03	1.25	Bangson	Shahganj		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.23	0.58	0.58	Nil	0.06	1.61	(Sylabad)	Shahganj		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.34	0.16	0.16	Nil	0.06	1.61	Sapaul	Shahganj		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.3	0.16	0.16	Nil	0.06	2.00	Pratapganj	Shahganj		
...	0.27	0.30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1.80	0.07	0.09	0.30	Nil	1.68	Shahganj	Shahganj		
...	0.31	0.31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.53	0.09	0.09	0.30	0.07	2.10	Banka	Shahganj		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1.17	0.62	0.71	0.31	0.62	1.63	Colong	Shahganj		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.21	0.60	0.60	Nil	Nil	2.27	Banaw	Shahganj		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.21	0.13	0.73	0.13	0.13	2.27	Siliguri	Darjeeling		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1.71	0.05	0.73	0.05	0.05	4.06	Darjeeling	Darjeeling		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.25	0.21	0.86	0.20	0.20	2.16	Kalimpong	Darjeeling		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2.09	0.33	0.88	0.33	0.33	2.84	Mongpo	Darjeeling		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	2.00	0.13	1.01	0.09	0.09	2.85	Kurseong	Darjeeling		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.10	0.13	1.01	0.09	0.09	3.10	Pedong	Darjeeling		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.03	0.03	0.63	0.03	0.03	1.69	Kishanganj	Purnea		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0.90	0.47	0.47	0.03	0.03	1.65	Araria	Purnea		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.21	0.47	0.47	0.03	0.03	1.91	Purnea	Purnea		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.21	0.47	0.47	0.03	0.03	1.85	Gondwara	Purnea		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0.78	0.15	0.15	Nil	Nil	0.63	(Korah)	Purnea		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1.28	0.03	0.47	0.03	0.03	1.44	Barsoe	Purnea		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0.67	0.32	0.32	0.03	0.03	1.01	Forbanganj	Purnea		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0.78	0.19	0.37	0.19	0.19	1.45	Kaliganj	Purnea		
...	2	1.07	0.53	0.53	0.32	0.32	1.58	Rajmahal	Northal Parganas		
...	2	0.83	0.73	0.55	0.37	0.73	2.15	Gidda	North		

TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED AT

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DISTRICT RAINFALL TABLE OF THE PROVINCE OF BENGAL
for the month of January 1909.

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION.	DIVISION.	DISTRICT.	DISTRICT OBSERVATIONS.									
			RAINFALL									
			Of month.					Since 16th October 1908.				
			Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation from mean.	Number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation.	Mean number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.
SOUTH-WEST BENGAL.	Burdwan	Burdwan ...	0.40	0.41	-0.01	0.80	0.85	0.40	2.36	-1.96	0.80	3.19
		Birbhum ...	0.62	0.42	+0.20	1.00	0.90	0.62	2.05	-1.43	1.00	3.08
		Bankura ...	0.21	0.30	-0.09	0.78	0.82	0.21	2.06	-1.85	0.78	3.31
		Midnapore ...	0.24	0.24	0	0.29	0.50	0.28	2.84	-2.57	0.67	3.11
		Hooghly ...	Nil	0.36	-0.36	Nil	0.86	0.00	2.50	-2.50	0.00	3.71
		Howrah ...	NH	0.29	-0.29	Nil	0.64	0.08	2.15	-2.07	0.38	3.44
	Presidency	24-Parganas ...	Nil	0.38	-0.38	Nil	0.83	0.11	3.36	-3.25	0.11	4.13
		Calcutta ...	Nil	0.29	-0.29	Nil	0.78	0.39	2.32	-1.93	0.35	4.02
		Nadia ...	0.41	0.40	+0.01	1.20	0.81	0.51	2.77	-2.26	1.26	3.42
		Murshidabad ...	0.39	0.45	-0.06	1.38	0.93	0.39	2.31	-1.92	1.38	3.17
		Jessore ...	0.07	0.43	-0.36	0.40	0.85	0.67	3.22	-2.65	0.94	3.97
		Khulna ...	0.01	0.34	-0.33	Nil	0.67	0.04	3.43	-3.39	0.20	3.98
BIHAR.	Patna	Patna ...	0.19	0.77	-0.58	0.59	1.40	0.19	2.10	-1.91	0.50	3.04
		Gaya ...	0.66	0.70	-0.04	2.00	1.28	0.68	1.90	-1.22	2.00	2.97
		Shahabad ...	0.33	0.78	-0.45	1.18	1.48	0.35	2.47	-2.12	1.18	3.28
		Saran ...	0.19	0.72	-0.53	1.00	1.27	0.19	2.02	-1.83	1.00	2.63
		Champaran ...	0.17	0.72	-0.55	0.75	1.31	0.17	1.66	-1.49	0.75	2.69
		Muzaffarpur ...	0.02	0.77	-0.75	Nil	1.37	0.02	1.82	-1.80	0.00	2.68
	Bhagalpur	Darbhanga ...	0.03	0.74	-0.71	Nil	1.31	0.04	1.65	-1.61	0.00	2.43
		Monghyr ...	0.30	0.77	-0.47	0.80	1.46	0.30	1.88	-1.58	0.80	2.74
		Bhagalpur ...	0.16	0.66	-0.50	0.50	1.31	0.23	1.71	-1.48	0.50	2.60
		Darjeeling ...	0.14	0.83	-0.69	0.50	1.65	0.24	2.98	-2.74	0.71	4.62
		Purnea ...	0.01	0.40	-0.45	Nil	1.01	0.02	1.42	-1.40	0.00	2.18
		Sonthal Parganas ...	0.70	0.62	+0.08	1.67	1.17	0.73	2.19	-1.46	1.73	2.90
ORISSA.	Orissa	Sambalpur ...	0.03	0.44	-0.42	Nil	0.90	0.02	2.01	-1.99	0.00	5.30
		Angul ...	Nil	0.23	-0.23	Nil	0.50	0.00	3.21	-3.21	0.00	5.59
		Cuttack ...	0.11	0.30	-0.19	0.25	0.51	0.11	4.59	-4.48	0.25	5.41
		Balasore ...	0.18	0.33	-0.17	0.80	0.59	0.18	3.44	-3.26	0.80	4.58
		Puri ...	0.09	0.22	-0.13	0.17	0.41	0.13	5.94	-5.81	0.21	6.08
CHOTA NAGPUR.	Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh ...	1.63	0.71	+0.92	2.80	1.32	1.63	2.34	-0.71	2.80	3.26
		Ranchi ...	1.25	0.45	+0.80	3.00	0.95	1.25	1.86	-0.61	3.00	3.27
		Palamau ...	1.56	0.82	+0.74	2.33	1.42	1.57	2.54	-0.97	2.33	3.65
		Manbhum ...	0.61	0.47	+0.14	1.75	1.11	0.61	1.92	-1.31	1.75	3.26
		Singbhum ...	1.15	0.24	+0.91	2.00	0.68	1.15	1.80	-0.65	2.00	3.87

RAINFALL SUMMARY FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1909.

DURING the month of January light showers fell in all districts excepting Hooghly, Howrah, the 24-Parganas and Angul. In Birbhum, Hazaribagh, Ranchi, Palamau, Manbhum, and Singbhum the rainfall was in excess, and in Burdwan, Bankura, Midnapore and the Gaya and Sonthal Parganas it was about the normal. It was below the average in all the Bihar districts except Sonthal Parganas.

On an average South-West Bengal received 0.22 inch, Bihar 0.29 inch, Orissa 0.09 inch and Chota Nagpur 1.06 inches of rain.

The following table gives the Summary of the Rainfall data of each of the four Meteorological Divisions of the Province of Bengal for the month of January 1909:—

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISIONS.	RAINFALL OF MONTH.			RAINY DAYS.			RAINFALL SINCE 16TH OCTOBER 1908.	
	Average.	Normal average.	Variation.	Average number in month.	Normal average number in month.	Variation.	Average.	Normal average.
South-West Bengal ...	0.22	0.36	-0.14	0.57	0.79	-0.22	0.72	2.60
Bihar ...	0.29	0.70	-0.41	0.83	1.31	-0.48	0.29	1.97
Orissa ...	0.09	0.29	-0.20	0.29	0.50	-0.21	0.10	4.71
Chota Nagpur ...	1.06	0.51	+0.55	2.14	1.06	+1.08	1.06	2.05

N. N. BANERJEE,

The 11th January 1909.

for Off. Director of Agriculture, Bengal, on tour.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 13th February 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year

NATURE OF CARGO	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 13TH FEBRUARY 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 15TH FEBRUARY 1908.*		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	902	2,56,155	4,274	899	1,92,884	3,232
Jute	110	47,975 [†]	725	240	73,715 [†]	1,219
Firewood	48	48,150	762	51	38,975	610
Other articles	766	2,37,481	2,722	746	1,96,234	2,389
Total	1,825	5,79,761	8,483	1,436	5,01,808	7,459

* Weight by canal measurement, 53,850 mounds.
† Ditto ditto, 55,537 "

CALCUTTA,
The 16th February 1909.

AMAR NATH DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Blank

Where Imported	FOOD-GRAINS								FIBROUS PRODUCTS		OILSEEDS	
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Grain and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bags†	Linseed	Rape and Mustard
	Rice	Paddy*	Total (in rice)									
GENERAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	71,618	118,099	145,430	.....	66	11,106	2	157,203	23,948	163,028	4,011	2,178
Barthman	46,289	0,164	50,121	42	53	2,110	.....	53,567	46	7,346	5,531	104
Bankura	9,125	0,296	14,833	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,535	1,156	13,475	.....	.....
Bidnapore	571,408	8,446	579,854	106	230	2,952	16	579,378	11,280	210,979	5,688	69
Hooghly	476,407	25,096	492,093	35	474	4,351	1,448	508,460	320,612	29,996,316	8,504	2,430
24 Parganas	1,132,553	94,624	1,191,693	.....	132	1,400	284	1,193,514	1,044,265	68,258,620	676	457
Nadia	7,618	1,045	8,302	14,464	513	309,041	100,069	439,381	778,555	133,967	57,516	678
Murshidabad	43,190	21,206	55,441	6,920	41	99,081	6,311	168,800	209,092	47,080	11,238	2,700
Jessore	31,729	3,831	37,134	169	.....	29,760	230	58,293	304,820	30,090	2,410	1,104
Khulna	78,073	56,776	114,458	.....	39	3,631	40	78,108	561,866	35,450	1,180	330
Total Bengal	2,472,299	343,033	2,686,894	21,736	2,139	464,440	117,280	3,292,339	3,840,614	98,676,100	91,093	10,049
BIHAR												
Patna	1,713	10	1,719	566	.....	226,130	74,188	302,801	486	11,072	361,493	60,616
Gaya	244	.....	364	79	.....	41,186	430	42,005	.....	14,420	139,189	7,001
Shahabad	640	.....	640	342	395	142,669	3,768	147,814	.....	7,385	177,612	3,705
Baran	3	.....	3	115	.....	21,063	1,751	23,552	2,689	11,165	83,436	19,607
Champaran	40	.....	40	.....	.....	18,744	11,855	30,015	277	5,015	247,710	64,146
Muzaffarpur	285	.....	285	2,431	.....	30,465	6,239	44,429	2 M	0,730	356,708	44,688
Darbhanga	858	.....	858	2,900	65	62,980	2,017	63,840	5,626	7,005	354,917	41,777
Monghyr	73	.....	73	14,712	645	389,054	14,743	419,330	5,100	40,525	237,963	139,433
Bhagalpur	191	.....	191	49,401	959	7,139	58,057	187,747	51,634	10,201	198,076	1,7365
Furnee	22	1,254	808	5,482	.....	9,692	3,728	20,008	40,630	10,890	68,012	.....
Ronhal Parganae	777	.....	777	51,169	.....	32,145	12,422	96,435	53,484	14,689	46,189	41,377
Darjeeling	12	10	18	.....	.....	.....	90	117	81,960	333,340	132	.....
Cooh Behar	.....	.....	.....	99	392	.....	.....	401	324,738	9,005	1,630	9,716
Total Bihar	4,983	1,274	6,779	127,728	2,456	1,050,001	168,501	1,374,523	1,461,369	518,131	2,212,148	643,612
ORISSA												
Outlack	69,931	592	70,401	.....	.....	8,755	1,241	80,297	5,810	83,465	198	.....
Balsore	33,860	7,872	38,546	.....	.....	.....	.....	39,209	125,820	350,973	317	.....
Puri	16,569	.....	16,569	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,569	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bambalpur	53,680	.....	53,680	.....	.....	.....	34	53,614	17	840	1	.....
Mourthun State	5,082	360	5,307	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,307	87	385	18	.....
Total Orissa	178,818	8,824	184,333	.....	.....	9,472	1,241	195,049	131,693	431,237	534	.....
CHOTA NAGPUR												
Hazaribagh	3	.....	2	.....	73	261	235	571	.....	12,705	772	.....
Manchi	101	.....	101	.....	.....	.....	.....	101	.....	1,540	.....	.....
Palaman	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	168	.....	168	.....	0,555	1,803	524
Manbhum	2,250	.....	2,256	.....	36	.....	.....	2,292	.....	17,610	134	.....
Siachibum	23,390	6	23,394	.....	67	384	14	24,859	197	16,450	723	.....
Gungpur (Tributary State)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....
Total Chota Nagpur	26,740	0	26,753	.....	176	803	249	29,981	277	57,890	3,431	524
Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal	2,631,890	363,117	2,992,609	149,462	4,771	1,524,760	307,331	4,888,584	5,430,053	99,892,440	2,311,021	654,686
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES												
E. B. and Assam	84,905	87,314	938,400	35,643	2,661	93,277	18,034	1,098,705	12,742,292	1,314,500	169,094	470,185
Burma	6,498,833	3,300,903	8,561,061	.....	.....	73,715	71,006	8,715,275	.....	24,178	.....	8
U. P. of Agre and Ondh	878	.....	878	1,264,823	10,286	843,922	46,842	1,676,463	5,927	57,165	510,731	769,504
Panjab	643	.....	643	1,010,106	20,025	235,142	27,440	1,363,348	.....	21,360	.....	4,605
Sind and British Baluchistan	16,381	.....	16,381	33,360	.....	42,616	.....	92,247	.....	70	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	19,625	419	19,847	59,256	38	74,245	303	153,720	18	11,605	17,491	143
Bombay	830	5	893	3,689	20	9,470	205	14,288	.....	595	.....	612
Madras	45,731	1,550	46,705	.....	.....	95,182	86,646	198,432	.....	15,092	.....	1,034
Cochin	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rajputana and Central India	.....	.....	.....	1,611	19	2,435	3	4,008	.....	3,640	2,747	8,737
Nizam's Territory	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	171	1,408	1,577	.....	35	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppey	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL	10,110,040	3,743,443	12,448,012	2,657,021	67,123	2,494,341	638,409	18,136,985	18,188,100	101,348,079	2,951,087	1,167,783
1908	7,571,408	3,614,037	9,768,152	3,475,102	113,292	2,813,555	619,749	16,789,660	17,157,614	118,102,643	4,837,168	2,454,634
1906	9,557,017	2,342,687	11,021,133	3,016,347	133,900	3,133,389	540,669	17,615,348	15,916,617	107,859,813	2,927,608	1,906,980

* One mound of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 b g

No. II

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. I were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the eight months of April to November 1908

ROUTES	FOOD-GRAINS						FIBROUS PRODUCTS		OILSEEDS	
	Rice	Paddy*	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulses	Other food-grains	Jute, raw	Gunny-bags†	Linseed	Rape and Mustard
By boat	Mds 2,031,812	Mds 140,467	Mds 7,334	Mds 904	Mds 166,177	Mds 1,043	Mds 2,766,599	No. 26,603,607	Mds 38,646	Mds 18,917
.. river steamer ...	44,289	59,573	5,177	189	60,352	7,581	2,032,736	175,140	45,572	423,518
{ B. I. Railway	146,173	49,330	2,408,008	52,508	1,534,435	257,006	1,358,580	425,590	2,705,674	1,374,990
{ B. B. S. Railway (including B. O. Railway)	513,334	121,219	68,840	3,323	477,047	180,194	11,471,275	2,172,998	141,314	88,619
{ A.-B. Railway	1,872	1,144	.....	18	.....	.....	31,046	5,530	.....	.....
.. rail { B.-N. Railway	203,853	14,109	58,373	202	97,935	26,322	12,347	573,930	19,639	151
{ D.-S. Railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,240	.....	.....
{ B. P. Railway	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,170	.....	.....
{ Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheekhala Light Railways	2,225	76	.....	.....	9	.....	2,960	44,698	148	.....
.. road	495,944	57,387	23	.....	311	3,450	444,077	1,224,607	350	725
.. sea	6,549,546	3,330,438	36,870	20	156,075	112,922	128,190	51,708	34	1,583
Total { 1908 ...	10,149,040	3,743,443	2,537,921	57,122	2,494,841	538,409	12,182,190	101,242,039	2,951,087	1,907,783
{ 1907 ...	7,571,408	3,514,647	3,475,102	112,382	2,813,685	619,749	17,157,514	118,102,043	4,637,958	2,454,534
{ 1906 ...	9,557,017	2,342,587	3,016,247	123,910	2,123,389	240,069	15,918,517	107,259,212	2,927,608	1,909,980

ROUTES	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	SUGAR		TOBACCO	
						Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
By boat	Mds	Mds 9,903	Mds 1	Mds 2,069	Mds	Mds 4,958	Mds 156,688	Mds 61,700	Mds 61
.. river steamer ...	686,641	30,215	1,963	3,339	301	216	4,068	11,744	14,630
{ B. I. Railway	1,417	154,264	514	76,970,628	2,074	4,588	29,741	55,195	7,294
{ B. B. S. Railway (including B. O. Railway)	620,992	17,579	11,264	214,251	25	.....	52,126	226,985	332
{ A.-B. Railway	118,871	2,487	.....	222	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.. rail { B.-N. Railway	2,425	75,403	76.7	24,346,010	.....	20,777	8	4,040	2,493
{ D.-S. Railway	117,975	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
{ B. P. Railway	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
{ Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheekhala Light Railways	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	12	2
.. road ... ..	.....	5,679	.....	120,569	.....	228,220	44,891	26,017	7,292
.. sea	8,519	168,637	9	1,361	.....	20,544	.....	24,973	4,145
Total { 1908 ...	1,558,840	463,356	12,915.1	101,762,913	3,400	359,295	287,540	440,866	26,209
{ 1907 ...	1,680,067	644,111	12,113	91,470,141	1,900	329,690	229,081	496,445	21,090
{ 1906 ...	1,548,886	629,200	9,010	89,227,195	1,196	222,274	246,634	619,860	27,723

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 35 seers of rice
† Including gunny & jute, 2 yards = 1 bag

No. III

Imports of certain Articles into Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the eight months of April to November 1908

	COTTON PIECE-GOODS		COTTON YARN		Salt	Kerosene oil
	European	Indian	European	Indian		
From Foreign Countries—	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
United Kingdom	9,82,74,340	.....	70,934	.....	8,585,055	3
Other countries	18,95,170	.....	18,987	.....	5,306,737	2,139,166
Total	10,01,61,510	.....	89,921	.....	8,791,792	2,139,166
Coastwise—						
From British ports in—						
Bengal	.....	450	.....	89	.....	.....
Eastern Bengal and Assam	2,975	720	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bombay	.....	98,10,023	169	115,164	443,460	.....
Sind and British Rajuchistan	4,420	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	1,108	3,23,641	.....	.....	709	.....
Narva	40,841	36,428	11	63	.....	1,791,531
Total	58,484	1,01,71,362	180	115,276	443,178	791,531
Total	10,02,27,944	1,01,71,362	90,101	115,276	9,234,970	2,924,716
Total	14,94,81,856	1,15,98,153	98,649	94,086	10,151,644	3,511,059
Total	11,74,93,247	80,48,514	86,908	80,908	8,332,417	2,898,492

No. IV

Exports of Principal Articles from Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign countries) in the eight months of April to November 1908.

	FOOD-GRAINS								Jute, raw	Gunny bags
	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulses	Other food-grains	Total		
<i>Coastwise—</i>	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
<i>To British ports in—</i>										
Bengal	148,980	97,818	207,781	1	1,608	1,844	8	210,082	.....	20,959
Eastern Bengal and Assam.	4	.....	4	65	7,710	5,861	1	13,641	.....	108,025
Bombay	64,876	.....	64,876	144	.....	.....	5,738	70,258	.....	14,457,675
Sind and British Baluchistan.	200	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	4,748,800
Madras	6,155	1	6,156	3,035	11,357	67,738	4,041	92,324	3	7,005,587
Burma	17,746	.....	17,746	34,670	121,239	230,890	27,704	438,249	459	14,992,015
<i>To Indian ports not British—</i>										
Kathiawar ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....
Pondichery ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90	.....	90	.....	288,400
Goa ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37,500
Alleppey ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	58	56,000
Total	285,441	97,816	306,203	37,915	141,314	311,829	37,489	824,810	525	42,312,722
<i>To Foreign countries—</i>										
United Kingdom	94,230	.....	94,230	.....	.....	27,904	.....	122,134	4,255,116	33,959,875
Other countries	1,610,178	31	1,610,197	13,174	34,759	137,808	20,117	1,810,115	8,195,815	423,916,206
Total	1,704,408	31	1,704,427	13,174	34,759	165,712	20,117	1,938,249	13,050,930	456,876,081
1908	1,989,849	97,545	2,000,690	51,089	176,073	477,601	57,606	2,763,089	13,051,465	490,188,803
1907	2,540,400	4,786	2,543,391	187,241	341,586	727,380	80,053	3,699,600	10,458,413	535,722,662
1906	3,517,837	940	3,518,430	172,103	300,377	656,476	64,411	4,711,797	11,006,654	430,512,364

	OILSEEDS		Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	SUGAR		TOBACCO	
	Linseed	Rape and Mustard						Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
<i>Coastwise—</i>	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
<i>To British ports in—</i>											
Bengal ... ..	.....	7	18	17	.....	75,133	.....	3,084	477	2,826	143
Eastern Bengal and Assam.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	204,137	.....	12,243	2,384	17	23
Bombay	1,701	6,537	23,329	.....	.....	18,843,628	.....	4,625	9	.....	183
Sind and British Baluchistan.	139	.....	549	.....	.....	12,102,729	.....	.....	.....	.....	340
Madras	2,096	12,017	1,322	.....	.....	7,838,422	53	2,101	50	.....	1,081
Burma	15,969	10,073	5,437	247	222	7,348,255	4	9,049	11,518	123,803	2,420
<i>To Indian ports not British—</i>											
Kathiawar ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	411,050	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery ... ..	.....	.....	.....	1,459	.....	43,555	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goa ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	524,408	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppey ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	104	.....	.....	.....	.....	16
Total	19,895	28,634	30,655	1,723	222	47,451,447	57	31,707	14,438	126,646	4,206
<i>To Foreign countries—</i>											
United Kingdom	1,403,817	40,376	1,115,118	17,422	1,455	326	2,006	.....	.....	.....	208
Other countries	1,263,432	553,109	436,156	171,072	6,307	12,418,940	2,304	2,086	.....	10,018	1,528
Total	2,667,249	623,085	1,551,274	188,494	7,762	12,419,266	4,310	2,086	.....	10,018	1,736
1908	2,687,144	652,019	1,551,929	190,217	7,984	50,870,763	4,307	33,793	14,438	136,604	5,842
1907	5,010,256	720,427	1,593,454	364,436	11,187	51,896,406	2,975	55,680	15,744	203,537	8,977
1906	2,586,502	211,708	1,606,500	386,907	11,197	63,711,296	3,690	55,557	10,364	125,610	5,278

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by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the eight months of April to November 1908

Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	SUGAR		TOBACCO		Whence imported
					Refined	Unrefined	Unmanu- factured	Manufactured	
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BENGAL
2	27	5	42,977,778	.....	94	232	2,040	12	Hurdwan
.....	102	281 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....	285	14	Birbhum
.....	203	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	16	1,068	Hankura
1	1,920	251 1/2	6,550	.....	45	35,108	86	.....	Midnapore
.....	2,030	1	105,290	.....	1,160	83,212	47,908	2,622	Hooghly
.....	8,338	.....	97,877 1/2	.....	241,545	51,777	14,799	4,642	24 Parganas
.....	1,868	.....	.....	25	180	25,218	15,970	.....	Nadia
.....	547	5,804	.....	.....	21	2,280	8,158	.....	Murshidabad
.....	8,285	.....	.....	.....	.....	97,843	8,887	.....	Jessore
.....	1,0 5	.....	.....	.....	200	0,902	264	.....	Khulna
3	26,363	6,482 1/2	43,187,401	25	243,251	252,679	83,181	9,350	Total Bengal
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BIHAR
4	129	.....	.....	10	503	1,002	11,260	11,901	Patna
.....	365	.....	.....	.....	182	3,513	1,597	0,792	Gaya
.....	184	.....	.....	.....	2,820	2,378	70	3	Shahabad
.....	64	.....	.....	161	.....	8,223	3,347	2	Saran
.....	218	1,004	.....	123	.....	475	1,915	.....	Champanan
.....	1,285	.....	.....	1,380	.....	0,408	13,959	76	Muzaffarpur
.....	159	.....	.....	882	.....	1,860	24,717	20	Darbhanga
1	2,712	.....	.....	526	.....	605	3,948	2,384	Monghyr
.....	48	.....	.....	235	.....	51	2,218	3	Bagalpur
113	89	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	80,788	682	Purnea
.....	17	0	12,878	.....	.....	.....	124	9	Sonhat Parganas
100,200	.....	.....	1,924	.....	.....	.....	.....	77	Darjeeling
10,220	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,656	.....	Cooch Behar
179,544	5,211	1,073	14,202	8,230	3,444	24,511	154,677	21,349	Total Bihar
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	ORISSA
.....	280	31 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	6	Cuttack
.....	501	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,175	123	Balasore
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Puri
.....	98	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Nambalpur
.....	873	31 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,178	130	Mourbhauj State
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Total Orissa
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	CHOTA NAGPUR
.....	20	.....	1,923,180	.....	.....	.....	0	.....	Hazaribagh
2,430	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Latuchi
.....	9	.....	20,468	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Palamau
.....	7	.....	51,327,688	.....	120	.....	178	.....	Manbhum
.....	424	.....	5,841,983	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Singbhum
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Gangpur (Tributary State)
2,430	462	.....	58,513,467	.....	120	.....	187	.....	Total Chota Nagpur
181,877	32,909	7,537	101,715,190	3,255	246,865	277,100	240,223	31,431	Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES
1,375,179	93,346	6,325	4,071	.....	191	347	158,000	17	E. B. and Assam
.....	13,544	.....	1,361	.....	13,570	.....	23,068	2,388	Burma
887	131,714	28	.....	145	1,057	9,980	4,578	217	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
459	14,409	.....	.....	.....	.....	451	0	37	Punjab
.....	2,394	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	064	1,174	Sind and British Baluchistan
5	62,199	11	.....	.....	.....	383	174	168	Central Provinces and Berar
146	65,308	9	.....	.....	4,170	.....	1,897	151	Bombay
54	.....	.....	.....	.....	93,442	.....	1,651	622	Cochin
130	45,076	5 1/2	45,201	.....	.....	73	.....	1	Madras
.....	4,098	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Majputana and Central India
3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	303	.....	Nizam's Territory
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mysore
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Alleppey
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	Pondichery
1,568,840	483,356	12,915 1/2	101,765,913	3,400	359,295	387,540	4,0,668	36,269	1908 } GRAND TOTAL
1,080,667	644,111	12,113	91,470,141	1,900	339,090	288,081	486,445	31,090	1907 }
1,546,880	629,280	9,010	99,837,195	1,100	283,874	246,634	419,830	27,723	1906 }

No. II

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. I were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the eight months of April to November 1908

ROUTES	FOOD-GRAINS						FIBROUS PRODUCTS		OILSEEDS	
	Rice	Paddy*	Wheat*	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Jute, raw	Gunny-bags†	Linseed	Rape and Mustard
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.	Mds	Mds
By boat	2,031,612	140,467	7,234	964	168,177	1,048	2,766,599	96,003,407	38,646	18,917
.. river steamer ...	44,269	59,373	5,177	189	60,362	7,361	2,032,736	175,140	43,372	422,518
{ B. I. Railway	146,173	49,230	2,408,005	52,506	1,534,435	257,096	1,258,560	485,590	2,705,674	1,374,990
{ E. B. S. Railway (including B. O. Railway)	513,384	121,212	43,840	3,228	477,047	130,194	11,471,275	2,172,995	141,214	88,619
.. rail										
{ A.-B. Railway	1,872	1,144	.....	18	.....	.....	21,046	5,530	.....	.....
{ B.-N. Railway	303,858	14,109	58,273	202	97,985	26,322	18,847	573,930	19,689	181
{ D.-S. Railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,340	.....	.....
{ B. P. Railway	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,170	.....	.....
{ Howrah-Amra and Howrah-Sheekhala Light Railways	2,235	78	.....	.....	9	.....	2,360	44,695	148	.....
.. road	405,944	27,387	23	.....	811	3,450	444,077	1,824,907	360	725
.. sea	6,540,546	3,320,438	35,370	20	166,075	112,922	128,190	51,705	34	1,983
Total ... { 1908 ...	10,129,040	3,743,443	2,587,921	57,122	2,494,841	538,409	18,188,190	101,342,069	2,951,087	1,907,783
{ 1907 ...	7,571,498	3,514,647	3,475,102	113,263	2,813,085	619,749	17,167,514	118,102,043	4,837,958	2,454,534
{ 1906 ...	9,557,017	2,862,587	3,016,247	133,910	3,132,389	340,609	16,915,617	107,259,813	2,927,008	1,909,080

ROUTES	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	SUGAR		TOBACCO	
						Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By boat ... ..	.....	9,903	1	8,069	.....	4,953	156,668	61,700	61
.. river steamer ...	688,641	30,213	1,962	3,339	301	216	4,088	11,744	14,830
{ B. I. Railway	1,417	155,254	514	76,970,682	2,074	4,585	29,741	55,195	7,294
{ E. B. S. Railway (including B. O. Railway)	620,902	17,879	11,354	314,551	25	.....	52,126	256,985	332
.. rail									
{ A.-B. Railway	118,871	2,467	.....	232	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
{ B.-N. Railway	2,426	73,403	75	24,346,010	.....	20,777	8	4,040	2,493
{ D.-S. Railway	117,978	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
{ B. P. Railway	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
{ Howrah-Amra and Howrah-Sheekhala Light Railways	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	12	2
.. road ... ..	.....	5,679	.....	120,569	.....	238,220	44,691	26,017	7,232
.. sea	8,519	168,827	9	1,261	.....	90,544	.....	24,973	4,145
Total ... { 1908 ...	1,558,840	463,356	18,915	101,765,913	3,400	359,295	287,540	440,696	36,209
{ 1907 ...	1,660,667	644,111	12,113	91,470,141	1,900	330,690	289,081	406,445	21,099
{ 1906 ...	1,546,886	629,299	9,010	90,857,195	1,196	288,874	246,634	419,860	27,723

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

No. III

Imports of certain Articles into Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the eight months of April to November 1908

	COTTON PIECE-GOODS		COTTON YARN		Salt	Kerosene oil
	European	Indian	European	Indian		
From Foreign Countries—	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
United Kingdom	9,82,74,840	.....	70,981	.....	3,685,055	3
Other countries	18,95,170	.....	18,987	.....	5,203,737	2,133,160
Total	10,01,61,510	.....	89,921	.....	8,791,792	2,133,163
Coastwise—						
From British ports in—						
Bengal	.....	480	.....	50	.....	.....
Eastern Bengal and Assam	2,975	730	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bombay	.....	98,10,023	169	115,164	642,469	.....
Sind and British Baluchistan	4,420	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	1,128	3,33,641	.....	.....	709	.....
Barne	49,541	36,423	11	53	.....	1,791,551
Total	58,434	1,01,71,262	180	115,276	643,178	791,551
Total	10,02,37,944	1,01,71,262	90,101	115,276	9,434,970	3,924,714
Total	14,94,51,856	1,15,96,153	96,640	94,086	10,151,654	3,511,080
Total	11,74,23,247	60,48,514	86,906	80,906	8,333,417	2,809,492

No. IV

Exports of Principal Articles from Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign countries) in the eight months of April to November 1908.

	FOOD-GRAINS								Jute, raw	Gunny bags
	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total		
<i>Coastwise—</i>	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
<i>To British ports in—</i>										
Bengal ...	146,960	97,818	207,781	1	1,008	1,244	8	210,042	.....	20,969
Eastern Bengal and Assam.	4	.....	4	65	7,710	5,861	1	43,641	.....	105,025
Bombay ...	64,876	.....	64,876	144	.....	.....	5,735	70,255	.....	14,457,975
Sind and British Baluchistan.	200	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	4,749,800
Madras ...	6,155	1	6,156	3,035	11,357	67,735	4,041	92,324	3	7,005,557
Burma ...	17,746	.....	17,746	34,670	121,239	234,890	27,704	438,249	450	14,992,015
<i>To Indian ports not British—</i>										
Kathiawar ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	99	.....	99	.....	298,400
Goa ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37,500
Alleppey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	58	86,600
Total ...	285,441	97,314	220,263	37,915	141,814	311,829	37,480	824,810	525	42,512,722
<i>To Foreign countries—</i>										
United Kingdom	94,230	.....	94,230	.....	.....	27,904	.....	122,134	4,855,115	33,959,875
Other countries	1,010,178	31	1,610,197	13,174	34,750	137,868	30,117	1,810,115	8,195,815	422,916,206
Total ...	1,704,408	31	1,704,427	13,174	34,750	165,772	20,117	1,938,249	13,050,930	456,876,081
1908 ...	1,030,840	97,343	2,000,590	51,089	176,673	477,601	57,696	2,768,039	13,051,455	498,188,803
1907 ...	2,540,400	4,786	2,543,391	187,341	361,686	727,390	80,658	3,699,660	10,458,413	535,722,652
1906 ...	3,517,637	940	3,518,480	172,103	800,377	656,476	64,411	4,711,797	11,095,654	430,512,364

	OILSEEDS		Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	SUGAR		TOBACCO	
	Linseed	Rape and Mustard						Refined	Unrefined	Un-manufactured	Manufactured
<i>Coastwise—</i>	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
<i>To British ports in—</i>											
Bengal ...	.....	7	18	17	.....	75,133	.....	2,684	477	2,826	143
Eastern Bengal and Assam.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	204,137	.....	12,248	2,394	17	23
Bombay ...	1,701	6,537	23,329	.....	.....	18,843,628	.....	4,625	9	.....	743
Sind and British Baluchistan.	130	.....	549	.....	.....	12,102,729	.....	.....	.....	.....	340
Madras ...	2,006	12,017	1,322	.....	.....	7,838,422	53	2,101	50	.....	1,081
Burma ...	15,959	10,073	5,437	247	222	7,343,255	4	9,649	11,518	123,803	2,420
<i>To Indian ports not British—</i>											
Kathiawar ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	411,056	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	1,459	.....	43,555	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goa ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	524,408	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	164	.....	.....	.....	.....	16
Total ...	19,895	28,634	30,658	1,723	222	47,451,497	57	31,707	14,436	126,640	4,306
<i>To Foreign countries—</i>											
United Kingdom	1,403,817	40,876	1,115,118	17,422	1,455	336	2,008	.....	.....	.....	208
Other countries	1,383,432	583,109	430,156	171,072	5,807	12,418,340	2,304	2,086	.....	10,018	1,528
Total ...	2,667,249	623,985	1,551,374	188,494	7,702	12,419,260	4,310	2,086	.....	10,018	1,736
1908 ...	2,687,144	652,619	1,581,929	190,217	7,984	59,870,753	4,367	33,793	14,436	186,604	5,942
1907 ...	5,010,256	720,427	1,593,454	364,436	11,187	51,808,405	2,875	55,680	15,744	203,537	8,977
1906 ...	2,585,502	211,708	1,605,500	386,907	11,107	63,711,295	3,690	55,557	10,354	125,610	5,278

No. V

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the eight months of April to November 1908.

Whither exported	COTTON PIECE-GOODS*		COTTON YARN		Salt	KEROSENE OIL		Gunny bags†
	European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge	
BENGAL	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.
Burdwan	21,08,632	1,70,808	1,478	9,355	253,550	3,391	90,282	265,250
Birbhum	13,33,646	60,459	433	10,233	141,930	202	25,333	102,090
Bansura	4,18,137	19,431		7,077	83,704	8	40	30,806
Midnapore	17,24,346	4,69,914	5,977	9,467	381,404	2,105	91,103	105,381
Hoochly	8,50,039	5,48,400	3,052	6,033	185,800	25,050	80,815	191,322
24 Parganas	13,66,389	8,09,169	3,251	496	124,630	102,024	163,018	213,736
Calcutta							568,188	
Nadia	24,59,833	4,57,138	5,023	10,121	163,690	7,765	80,164	279,090
Murshidabad	13,06,681	1,48,855	787	3,274	118,185	861	58,779	100,531
Jessore	46,519	6,03,084	97	8,773	111,011	14,713	80,897	44,390
Khulna	8,89,651	5,40,458	781	1,820	80,524	29,045	29,899	31,265
Total Bengal	1,19,20,922	30,09,576	21,748	62,048	1,631,555	185,724	1,208,830	1,801,368
BIHAR								
Patna	22,37,355	29,561	2,070	6,893	221,362	319	143,084	961,970
Gaya	15,48,469	15,421	96	16,991	141,293	105	49,839	167,378
Shahabad	27,74,030	15,411	96	3,352	137,173	290	33,711	171,327
Baran	27,46,716	14,497	900	2,435	152,082	169	24,679	137,366
Chhapra	36,24,880	65,289	10	3,387	167,800	48	37,172	359,566
Muzaffarpur	34,26,721	17,489	0	2,667	258,666	1,356	39,212	314,545
Darbhanga	35,48,385	30,500	135	7,924	215,186	604	69,684	386,082
Monohyr	22,51,841	15,901	104	8,988	274,616	48	57,504	739,080
Bhagalpur	38,80,801	65,606	693	7,851	185,560	180	63,560	625,692
Purnea	26,06,007	68,095	636	6,878	201,516	615	72,690	146,381
Sonchal Parganas	14,11,774	23,451	313	13,354	140,928	594	62,321	279,300
Darjeeling	8,67,999	1,27,003	127	3,244	63,540	84	21,100	23,642
Cooch Behar	5,80,987	35,243		669	31,240	829	3,026	80,601
Total Bihar	3,27,57,701	5,71,985	4,198	84,965	2,202,910	6,673	688,195	4,419,315
ORISSA								
Cuttack	5,61,928	15,536	5	12,901	15,840	129		74,370
Balasore	3,19,830	8,367	1,277	16,681	192,826	160	11,818	58,291
Puri	1,24,065	2,106	6	2,662	30	65		8,167
Sambalpur	1,93,003	421		216	496	122		91,121
Mourbhadj State	71,613	564		131	25,453	65		1,436
Total Orissa	12,60,339	26,998	1,288	32,788	2,44,145	469	11,919	235,671
CHOTA NAGPUR								
Hazaribagh	4,17,812	23,378	23	4,078	90,161	377	14,775	8,145
Ranchi	3,62,000	44,613	1	690	78,787	106	65	9,418
Palamau	3,06,952	2,556	2	176	46,855	42	6,021	13,090
Manbhum	10,41,056	17,217	21	8,878	162,833	3,336	41,577	35,210
Singbhum	2,30,881	3,399		2,143	92,055	214	30	39,200
Gangpur (Tributary State)	69,816			6	1,188	69	5	4,616
Total Chota Nagpur	25,41,417	91,198	47	15,881	471,677	4,943	62,489	100,676
Total Exports to the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	4,84,80,379	46,69,017	27,581	194,682	4,632,287	196,808	1,979,722	6,121,919
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES								
E. B. and Assam	3,16,44,664	56,48,185	66,154	55,214	2,245,672	120,642	959,929	1,831,451
Burma	6,26,015	1,40,032	5,268	43,399	95		1	14,092,016
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	2,48,41,761	3,43,417	4,662	5,203	316,085	4,437	528,118	2,298,610
Panjab	58,74,300	74,220	4,489	375	384	1,100	24,737	2,545,066
Sind and British Baluchistan	812							4,779,320
Central Provinces and Berar	8,88,294	15,040	361	377	6,305	753	6,843	1,120,310
Bombay	61,366	28,247		790				17,125,360
Madras	7,31,340	72,341	356	10,679	158	226	712	6,458,487
Kashmere Territory	547							
Rajputana and Central India	10,29,903	15,947	388	1	1	1,047	11,163	124,110
Nizam's Territory	48,073		31	210				95,006
Mysore		223						338,904
Alleppey								66,104
Pondichery	3,827							288,400
Goa								37,604
Port Blair	2,500		1	275			189	
Nicobar	928	240					11	504
1908	11,42,36,799	1,10,67,418	109,284	211,274	7,19,987	335,102	2,502,474	69,513,309
1907	11,82,35,819	81,37,076	141,395	308,213	7,014,158	331,047	3,139,173	70,286,258
1906	11,59,05,310	41,31,513	162,069	266,219	7,423,914	347,745	2,979,617	64,589,908

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.

† Including gunny cloth, 3 yards = 1 bag.

‡ Represents the trade registered at the traffic registering stations only.

No. VI

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. V were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the eight months of April to November 1908.

ROUTES		COTTON PIECE-GOODS*		COTTON YARN		Salt	KEROSENE OIL		Gunny-bags†	
		European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge		
		Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	
By boat	...	6,18,500	9,21,490	6,962	58	946,835	169,311	246,337	204,026	
„ river steamer	...	1,88,04,940	21,04,420	61,025	21,247	1,406,228	19,469	699,919	1,352,106	
„ rail	E. I. Railway	3,25,59,558	5,63,823	6,840	77,088	1,253,366	9,949	817,446	4,769,068	
	E. B. S. Railway (including B. U. Railway)	2,24,84,940	35,26,820	11,443	59,513	1,475,633	15,556	1,145,288	1,276,870	
	A. B. Railway	15,11,819	21,90,417	4,572	14,416	4,602	3,254	2,961	169,129	
	B. N. Railway	47,80,123	1,60,756	400	57,315	658,127	2,687	8,645	1,376,075	
	D. and N. W. Railway	2,27,11,244	1,90,422	1,476	19,403	1,298,790	4,404	329,059	2,668,400	
	O. and B. Railway	47,22,066	37,418	386	63	.....	853	215,163	334,110
	Howrah-Amra and Light Railways and Howrah-Sheakhala	5,14,990	.....	1,568	.....	10,110	1,617	.....	8,125
„	Minor Railways	33,42,748	1,80,133	4,052	6,806	19,611	1,891	17,061	8,947,586	
„ road	...	12,94,465	8,62,667	3,741	976	69,205	96,711	6,277	126,300	
„ sea	...	1,10,410	2,01,092	6,841	53,851	67,300	.....	11,288	42,312,722
Total		1908	11,42,36,799	1,10,67,418	109,284	311,278	7,199,887	325,102	3,502,474	60,513,399
		1907	11,82,53,319	84,37,076	141,295	308,213	7,024,158	331,407	2,939,153	70,286,258
		1906	11,50,95,310	61,31,613	152,069	266,249	7,423,911	347,745	2,079,617	54,569,906

* The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

February 16th, 1909

F. NOEL-PATON,
Director-General of Commercial Intelligence

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal

Vital Statistics of the districts of Bengal for the month of November 1908.

DIVISION.	DISTRICTS.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.										REMARKS.					
		Population under registration.	Ratio per 1,000 of population.	CHOLERA.	SMALL-POX.	PLAGUE.	FEVER.	DIARRHÆA.	RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURY.	OTHER CAUSES.			TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES.	Ratio per 1,000 of population.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population.	
									ed.	ed.		ed.	ed.						ed.
Burdwan	Burdwan	1,592,716	24.48	13	7	0.4	23.28	74	4.8	17	1.9	13	0.8	504	3.84	3,613	28.20	5,484	43.36
	Burdwan	2,945	31.08	10	17	1.9	30.49	6	0.6	2	0.2	18	1.2	189	2.40	2,687	36.04	3,465	47.28
	Burdwan	3,426	26.04	18	21	1.2	29.04	35	3.6	8	0.8	7	0.7	480	5.16	3,280	35.28	3,381	36.00
	Burdwan	3,515	37.98	71	46	1.9	18.44	104	3.6	17	0.7	23	0.8	1,333	6.84	3,682	35.33	3,823	36.00
	Burdwan	2,941	33.60	38	11	1.9	20.88	121	2.16	38	3.6	33	3.6	582	5.88	3,065	35.43	4,115	47.04
Presidency	Calcutta	8,949	40.08	45	38	3.6	11.76	252	3.48	75	9.6	49	3.6	525	7.32	1,764	24.84	2,680	37.28
	Calcutta	8,075	39.19	63	32	1.9	14.76	100	4.8	39	1.9	80	3.6	741	4.20	3,614	30.76	6,250	36.88
	Calcutta	8,853	26.64	81	15	1.2	3.56	146	3.04	434	6.12	43	3.6	572	11.64	1,778	35.08	2,387	33.88
	Calcutta	5,316	39.60	20	12	1.2	22.80	3	0.1	4	0.2	34	2.4	52	4.08	3,583	27.48	10,004	72.12
	Calcutta	4,892	41.98	11	6	0.4	19.92	6	0.3	1	0.08	21	1.2	471	4.20	2,798	34.60	6,772	60.84
Patna	Calcutta	1,813,155	38.88	2	...	...	31.80	8	0.4	7	0.3	43	3.6	688	1.84	3,571	36.84	9,021	29.64
	Calcutta	7,251	35.32	79	72	...	27.60	28	2.4	...	...	50	4.8	1,159	3.76	5,082	37.44	5,864	43.68
	Calcutta	4,953	30.84	23	68	...	34.56	28	1.68	11	1.08	70	3.6	589	4.92	7,522	42.12	7,302	43.92
	Calcutta	8,843	38.64	21	108	...	35.52	9	0.4	...	...	62	3.6	1,302	7.32	6,777	31.40	7,680	53.04
	Calcutta	6,324	39.84	60	108	...	35.52	9	0.4	...	...	62	3.6	1,302	7.32	6,777	31.40	7,680	53.04
Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur	7,981	35.76	1	81	...	21.60	253	1.08	42	1.2	20	1.2	1,355	6.84	4,573	30.60	8,866	38.88
	Bhagalpur	7,790	51.96	...	33	1.2	21.60	3	0.1	2	0.1	20	1.2	1,355	6.84	4,573	30.60	8,866	38.88
	Bhagalpur	11,451	50.04	10	15	0.6	19.32	43	1.2	13	0.6	43	1.2	1,121	4.20	6,724	23.84	9,081	37.20
	Bhagalpur	13,063	37.60	94	15	0.6	18.48	3	0.1	...	...	24	0.8	1,044	6.12	6,973	38.28	9,139	49.68
	Bhagalpur	5,592	48.00	...	10	0.4	27.48	4	0.3	...	...	23	1.2	739	4.44	5,573	37.56	8,493	54.36
Orissa	Bhagalpur	5,314	47.88	...	13	0.7	39.16	18	0.9	...	...	27	1.2	235	1.44	5,573	37.56	8,493	54.36
	Bhagalpur	7,424	47.40	3	...	...	35.36	35	1.80	6	0.24	5	0.4	133	6.00	883	42.48	733	37.56
	Bhagalpur	1,674,704	36.00	...	...	...	31.56	57	3.6	12	0.7	27	1.2	235	1.44	5,573	37.56	8,493	54.36
	Bhagalpur	4,598	39.04	134	37	...	31.56	57	3.6	12	0.7	27	1.2	235	1.44	5,573	37.56	8,493	54.36
	Bhagalpur	5,710	33.12	481	16	0.8	24.72	123	7.08	88	4.8	104	6.0	1,884	11.52	6,177	47.68	4,670	30.96
Chota Nag.	Bhagalpur	2,827	36.64	48	19	1.2	15.56	117	1.56	1	0.1	53	3.6	1,844	16.40	3,315	34.92	3,897	43.20
	Bhagalpur	2,760	39.52	79	23	...	13.80	573	6.72	268	2.40	54	3.6	1,116	13.08	3,295	38.04	2,877	38.20
	Bhagalpur	1,917,284	...	...	...	...	16.32	114	2.04	43	0.84	13	0.4	601	11.28	1,651	29.40	1,119	21.24
	Bhagalpur	689,880	...	...	...	...	16.32	114	2.04	43	0.84	13	0.4	601	11.28	1,651	29.40	1,119	21.24
	Bhagalpur	1,177,961	...	...	...	...	16.32	114	2.04	43	0.84	13	0.4	601	11.28	1,651	29.40	1,119	21.24
Chota Nag.	Hasaribag	2,919	29.64	8	73	1.9	39.36	29	0.4	8	0.3	48	3.6	470	4.68	4,489	45.72	3,257	33.12
	Ranchi	3,150	31.26	25	33	...	42.60	179	1.80	2	0.1	46	3.6	743	7.44	3,471	35.04	2,998	24.84
	Palam	1,631	31.66	5	41	0.7	24.88	17	0.24	3	0.04	33	3.6	248	2.88	2,438	31.36	2,108	40.80
	Manbhum	2,841	26.16	49	9	0.7	20.64	5	0.3	...	...	34	3.6	277	1.44	2,654	24.12	2,556	21.00
	Singbhum	1,411	27.48	9	1	0.1	29.40	18	3.6	...	...	19	1.2	76	1.44	1,681	31.80	1,072	20.88
Total		56,528,446	39.36	1,602	858	318	103,489	3,972	9.4	1,208	2.4	1,238	2.4	82,274	7.56	145,080	34.44	177,893	42.12
Average of corresponding month of previous five years		173,267	41.04	15,516	544	1,413	123,215	4,007	9.4	998	1.9	1,238	2.4	30,458	7.20	177,333	42.12	...	...
Difference + or -		-7,355	-1.68	-13,914	-430	-1,095	-7,128	-36	Equal	+	+1.12	Equal	+	+1,816	+3.6	-32,343	-7.68	...	...

For two years.
Not under re-
gulation.F. C. CLARKSON, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,

The 9th February 1909.

Vital Statistics of Towns in Bengal with a population of 20,000 and over during the month of November 1908.

Towns.	Population under registra- tion.	BIRTHS.		CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.		DYSENTERY AND DIARRHÆA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INFLU.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES.		AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PRE- VIOUS FIVE YEARS.		REMARKS.
		Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number Registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.			
1. Burdwan	35,955	49	16.56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Bankura	30,737	39	26.56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Midnapore	33,140	55	34.68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Hooghly and Chinsura	32,383	116	35.84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Barrackpore	44,451	116	31.80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Howrah	157,504	333	26.76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Coimbatore-Chitpur	43,750	41	19.34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Manikala	32,357	61	30.48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. South Burdwan	28,311	68	17.64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Garden Reach	25,432	26	16.92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11. Baranagar	21,840	28	16.92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. Bhattacharya	21,840	28	16.92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Calcutta	94,756	1,536	26.94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Krishnagar	24,547	63	25.80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. Santipur	34,332	77	22.43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16. Berhampore	24,337	71	29.03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17. Patna City	123,051	275	21.48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18. Bihar	45,463	81	17.76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Dinapore Nizamut	33,693	56	17.32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20. Gaya	71,410	157	21.92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21. Asaram	46,170	91	23.64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22. Sasaram	23,634	29	14.63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23. Chapra	37,729	143	37.93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24. Bettiah	45,331	59	24.94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25. Muzaffarpur	45,611	188	56.24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
26. Hajipur	21,328	79	44.26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27. Darbhanga	66,244	215	38.88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28. Monghyr	33,821	152	60.76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29. Bhagalpur	75,760	140	29.08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30. Cuttack	51,361	84	20.04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31. Raipur	29,581	32	16.36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
32. Puri	40,881	54	13.08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
33. Ranchi	23,510	54	27.19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of all towns with a population of 20,000 and over.	2,122,870	3,991	26.88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Average of correspond- ing month of previous five years	.....	5,035	27.94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Difference + or -	.....	-64	-36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,

F. C. CLARKSON, Lieut.-Col., I.M.S.,

1000's of new titles

Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

**Abstract of the Results of Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory
in the month of January 1900.**

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month	29.970		
The average pressure of January from 44 years' registers ...	30.014		
The highest pressure in the month	30.132	11th	10
The lowest pressure in the month	29.816	17th	16
The range of pressure	0.316		
	Hours.		
The total number of hours of bright sunshine during the month	226.4		
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ...	337.3		
The mean temperature of the month	69.1		
The average temperature of January from 19 years' registers ...	65.2		
The highest temperature in the month	87.1	26th	
The lowest temperature in the month	51.0	30th	
The range of temperature during the month	36.1		
The mean daily range of temperature	23.2		
The greatest range of temperature in one day	24.1	12th	
	Per cent.		
The mean humidity of the month	62		
The average humidity of January from 19 years' registers ...	69		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension of the month	0.442		
The average vapour tension of January from 19 years' registers	0.423		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	1.81		
The average cloud proportion of January from 32 years' registers ...	1.53		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	Nil		
The total rainfall indicated by a Beckley's self-registering rain-gauge (mouth of the gauge about 8 feet above the ground)	Nil		
The average fall of January from 23 years' registers ...	0.29		
The greatest fall in 24 hours	Nil		
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month	Nil		
The average number of rainy days in January from 23 years' registers ...			
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation during the month	126.6		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures	44.9		
The greatest sun temperature	132.5	3rd	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature	52.2	3rd	
The mean temperature of the nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	52.6		
The mean depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature at 4 feet above the ground	5.9		
The greatest depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature	8.3	7th	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day	70.1		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	202	29th	
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour	17	29th	11 to noon.

The number of hours with winds from each of the eight points—

N. 171, N.E. 37, E. 29, S.E. 30, S. 20, S.W. 53, W. 124, N.W. 157, Calm 108.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), the 15th February 1900.

C. W. PEAKE,
for Director-General of Observatories.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 7th to 13th February 1909.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 59° Fahr.	TEMPERATURE.				HYGROMETRY.				WIND.		Rain.	WEATHER.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1909.				Inches.						Inches		%			Inches.	
Feb.	7th	133.4	6.9	30.029	69.0	77.7	15.7	62.0	61.4	0.458	56.4	62	SE by S, NE by N and calm.	53	Nil	Partially cloudy.
"	8th	130.2	8.4	.081	67.3	80.4	24.5	55.9	56.3	.316	46.4	49	ENE, WNW and calm.	61	Nil	Clear, d.
"	9th	133.3	8.5	.014	66.9	83.3	31.0	52.3	56.7	.327	47.2	52	NW by N, NNW and NW.	70	Nil	Clear, d.
"	10th	132.5	8.4	.050	69.0	84.4	29.0	55.4	60.1	.396	52.4	57	NW, NNW and calm.	48	Nil	Partially cloudy. d.
"	11th	131.8	8.5	.070	68.4	83.5	28.5	55.0	58.5	.352	49.2	51	WSW, NNE and N.	53	Nil	Clear, d.
"	12th	133.5	8.6	.030	67.1	82.7	29.4	53.3	56.4	.319	46.6	50	N, NNW and calm.	54	Nil	Clear, d.
"	13th	131.5	8.6	.024	68.2	82.9	27.7	55.2	57.8	.341	48.4	50	NNE and calm	41	Nil	Clear, d.

The mean pressure of the seven days															Inches.
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office															30.035
The total number of hours of bright sunshine															Hours.
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine															57.9
The mean temperature of the seven days															68.0
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office															71.4
The extreme variation of temperature															32.1
The maximum temperature															84.4
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour															Miles.
The mean relative humidity															9
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office															%
															53
The total fall of rain from 7th to 13th February 1909															Inches.
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office															Nil
The total fall from 1st January to 13th February 1909															0.38
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office															0.10
															0.99

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

▲, dew.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 30th January 1909 on 2,292.37 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. (b) A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	529,855	(a) 5,27,544 0 0	72,21,221 0	10,89,491 0 0	55,892 0 0	16,72,927 0 0	164,145	215,768	379,913
Or per mile of railway ...	230	230 2 1	...	475 4 4	24 6 1	729 12 6	...	...	...
Or previous 3½ weeks of half-year ...	1,618,466	15,43,034 0 0	2,30,10,644 0	37,01,443 0 0	1,54,430 0 0	53,98,907 0 0	544,936	681,572	1,226,508
Total for 4½ weeks ...	2,148,321	20,70,578 0 0	3,02,31,865 0	47,90,934 0 0	2,10,322 0 0	70,71,834 0 0	1,709,071	897,340	1,006,411
COMPARISON.									
Or for corresponding week of previous year ...	648,579	6,60,235 12 5	73,09,589 20	11,78,728 14 6	39,932 3 2	18,78,896 14 1	165,132	224,161	389,293
Or per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	288 11 0	...	515 6 3	17 7 4	821 8 7	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 4½ weeks of previous year ...	2,287,395	21,86,852 12 5	3,38,53,055 10	52,22,116 8 4	1,81,055 3 2	75,90,023 7 11	789,532	998,307	1,787,729

(a) Decrease is due to "Aradhaya Joga" in the corresponding period of 1908.
(b) Decrease is chiefly in coal.

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No. Rate.
2,292.37	First 9 days of Jan. ...	529,855	5,27,544	91,60,173	14,45,222	55,892	20,79,007	907	427,946
2,292.37	Week ended 16th ..	490,312	4,45,270	66,91,733	11,01,566	48,809	15,95,845	696	371,121
2,292.37	" " 23rd ..	540,521	5,22,048	71,58,738	11,54,055	47,552	17,34,255	752	373,123
2,292.37	" " 30th ..	529,855	5,27,544	72,21,221	10,89,491	55,892	16,72,927	730	379,913
	Totals up to date ...	2,148,321	20,70,578	3,02,31,865	47,90,934	2,10,322	70,71,834	720	1,606,411

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded

1908.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,287.05	First 11 days of Jan. ...	685,522	6,38,380	1,08,16,017	18,49,635	66,133	25,54,157	1,117	536,113	4 5 9
2,287.05	Week ended 18th ..	453,317	4,10,731	75,46,502	10,78,557	37,151	15,26,439	667	376,073	4 0 11
2,287.05	" " 25th ..	479,877	4,77,407	72,10,947	11,15,196	37,839	16,30,533	713	386,250	4 3 7
2,287.05	" " 1st Feb. ...	648,579	6,60,235	73,09,589	11,78,728	39,932	18,78,897	822	399,203	4 13 5
	Totals up to date ...	2,267,295	21,86,853	3,38,53,055	52,22,117	1,81,055	75,90,023	726	1,737,729	4 6 11

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 30th January 1909 on 22.21 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	23,583	(a) 5,002 0 0	28,044 0	1,875 0 0	7 0 0	6,884 0 0	1,317	159	1,476
Or per mile of railway ...	...	225 8 5	...	70 14 7	0 5 1	236 7 1	...	...	...
Or previous 3½ weeks of half-year ...	76,277	16,871 0 0	41,526 0	1,873 0 0	21 0 0	18,765 0 0	4,392	526	4,918
Total for 4½ weeks ...	99,860	21,873 0 0	69,170 0	3,448 0 0	28 0 0	23,347 0 0	5,709	685	6,394
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	40,613	10,477 8 9	20,135 10	847 0 0	0 5 0	11,324 14 6	1,632	148	1,780
Or per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	471 5 2	...	38 1 8	0 0 3	509 7 1	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 4½ weeks of previous year ...	117,103	23,041 6 6	38,579 10	3,256 14 0	29 14 3	31,386 2 9	6,471	683	7,154

(a) Decrease is due to "Aradhaya Joga" in the corresponding period of 1908.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—concluded.

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.				No.	Rate.
22'21	First 9 days of January ...	27,669	8,549	12,996	6'7	8	7,188	222	1,916	3 10 3
22'21	Week ended 16th " ...	24,768	5,027	12,176	4'6	6	6,829	219	1,473	3 11 11
22'21	" " 23rd " ...	23,853	5,701	14,444	7'0	7	6,078	274	1,470	4 1 11
22'21	" " 30th " ...	23,683	5,003	23,644	1,575	7	6,584	296	1,478	4 7 4
	Totals up to date ...	99,860	21,873	66,170	3,449	28	25,340	300	6,304	8 15 5

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded.

1908

	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.				No.	Rate.
22'28	First 11 days of January ...	32,463	7,803	24,098	1,049	9	8,911	405	2,378	8 12 4
22'28	Week ended 18th " ...	21,007	4,605	13, 62	373	10	4,984	225	1,494	3 6 4
22'28	" " 25th " ...	22,733	5,056	24,816	982	10	6,043	272	1,478	4 0 7
22'28	" " 1st Feb. ...	40,013	10,147	20,135	817	1	11,335	509	1,780	6 8 10
	Totals up to date ...	117,103	23,011	85,379	3,257	30	31,393	308	7,154	4 6 1

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 30th January 1909 on 162'36 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	19,134	Rs. A. P. 16,592 0 0	Mds. s. 2,60,201 0	Rs. A. P. 17,139 0 0	Rs. A. P. 60 0 0	Rs. A. P. 33,774 0 0	12,400	3,711	16,201
Or per mile of railway ...	112 5 1	102 5 1	1,592 0 0	105 8 8	0 4 11	208 0 8	...	...	...
For previous 52 weeks of half-year.	74,264	68,760 0 0	7,92,033 0	57,800 0 0	197 0 0	1,10,697 0 0	41,166	12,320	53,486
Total for 4½ weeks ...	93,398	75,292 0 0	10,01,234 0	71,938 0 0	247 0 0	1,50,475 0 0	53,636	10,031	69,667
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	23,103	16,908 9 10	2,47,698 30	19,030 1 0	60 5 6	36,050 0 4	11,918	5,190	17,108
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	141 8 3	104 8 3	...	117 8 4	0 5 11	222 1 0	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 4½ weeks of previous year ...	110,056	71,983 0 10	11,81,688 30	81,353 14 0	276 0 6	1,53,619 8 4	53,860	24,029	77,887

1909

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.				No.	Rate.
162'36	First 9 days of Jan. ...	23,730	15,580	3,08,743	21,090	80	30,730	220	21,179	1 11 9
162'36	Week ended 16th " ...	24,376	20,418	2,67,939	16,994	60	39,872	240	16,065	2 7 9
162'36	" " 23rd " ...	24,178	22,392	2,30,351	17,716	67	40,108	247	16,242	2 7 6
162'36	" " 30th " ...	19,134	16,592	2,09,201	17,139	60	33,778	208	16,201	2 1 4
	Totals up to date ...	93,398	75,292	10,61,234	74,938	247	1,50,475	210	69,637	2 2 7

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded.

1908.

	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.				No.	Rate.
162'36	First 11 days of Jan. ...	36,141	22,980	3,54,576	26,451	104	48,944	301	25,451	1 14 9
162'36	Week ended 18th " ...	22,223	15,781	2,89,202	16,043	50	31,824	186	17,138	1 18 9
162'36	" " 25th " ...	25,409	16,809	2,00,212	19,832	61	36,702	227	18,200	2 0 4
162'36	" " 1st Feb. ...	26,193	16,069	2,47,699	19,030	60	36,059	223	17,108	2 1 9
	Totals up to date ...	110,056	71,583	11,81,689	81,356	275	1,58,619	207	77,897	1 18 7

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 30th January 1909 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and on additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	73,000	48,001 0 0	340,000 0	40,000 0 0	8,500 0 0	94,500 0 0	14,000	18,530	34,130
Or per mile of railway ...	95.05	62.50	440.99	51.88	8.43	123.81	19.02	25.33	44.35
For previous 4 weeks of half-year ...	231,500	1,45,000 0 0	1,319,500 0	1,44,500 0 0	14,500 0 0	3,04,000 0 0	60,274	68,468	109,102
Total for 5 weeks ...	304,500	1,93,000 0 0	1,559,500 0	1,81,500 0 0	21,000 0 0	3,98,500 0 0	60,883	82,418	143,301
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	63,714	62,519 0 0	201,078 0	32,232 0 0	1,285 0 0	96,036 0 0	17,006	17,348	35,344
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	103.74	81.40	261.97	41.81	1.67	123.88	23.43	22.50	45.93
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	316,489	2,13,229 0 0	1,131,313 0	1,62,854 0 0	16,159 0 0	3,92,342 0 0	69,183	90,827	169,010

FINANCIAL YEAR.—Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 30TH JANUARY 1909.			RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 1ST FEBRUARY 1909.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1908 TO 30TH JANUARY 1909.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1907 TO 1ST FEBRUARY 1908.			Total increase in 1909.	Total decrease in 1909.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			Rs.
771	94,500	122.81	771	96,036	124.58	771	38,68,465	...	771	40,42,741	...	...	1,74,376

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 6th February 1909 on 1,379 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	515,350	2,19,620 0 0	16,74,010 0	2,47,510 0 0	21,190 0 0	4,98,320 0 0	78,373	(b) 40,034	118,327
Or per mile of railway ...	374	169 0 0	1,314 0	180 0 0	(a) 1 0 0	(a) 360 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 5 weeks of half-year ...	1,809,230	8,47,540 0 0	89,66,900 0	13,89,010 0 0	1,65,540 0 0	23,42,090 0 0	331,634	225,996	550,830
Total for 6 weeks ...	2,324,580	10,67,160 0 0	1,06,40,010 0	15,76,520 0 0	1,86,730 0 0	28,30,410 0 0	338,007	248,050	689,957
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	479,171	(c) 2,87,844 0 0	15,36,914 0	2,11,238 0 0	17,837 0 0	5,16,013 0 0	87,608	41,711	129,377
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,374 miles) ...	455	226 0 0	1,199 0	166 0 0	1 0 0	393 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	2,939,561	12,01,264 0 0	1,01,57,376 0	12,40,587 0 0	1,48,575 0 0	27,80,716 0 0	449,337	242,567	691,904

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 19,700.
 (b) Excluding ballast train-miles, 9,353.
 (c) Includes Ardhodaya Joge pilgrim traffic.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 6th February 1909 on 86 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	48,870	15,630 0 0	64,400 P	5,690 0 0	50 0 0	21,370 0 0	5,358	(a) 1,344	7,000
Or per mile of railway ...	568	182 0 0	749 0	65 0 0	...	248 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 5 weeks of half-year ...	197,700	65,410 0 0	302,780 0	20,070 0 0	900 0 0	95,380 0 0	24,240	8,391	32,531
Total for 6 weeks ...	246,630	81,040 0 0	427,180 0	34,790 0 0	950 0 0	116,750 0 0	29,598	9,635	39,531
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	49,581	13,617 0 0	91,208 0	6,485 0 0	87 0 0	20,189 0 0	5,686	1,706	7,372
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	548	158 0 0	1,061 0	76 0 0	1 0 0	235 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	251,632	80,221 0 0	571,778 0	40,905 0 0	1,078 0 0	1,22,302 0 0	32,050	10,238	42,278

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 400.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 6th February 1909 on 33.6 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	3,530	1,840 0 0	47,570 0	1,880 0 0	10 0 0	3,710 0 0	480	(a) 1,090	1,480
Or per mile of railway ...	105	55 0 0	528 0	55 0 0	...	110 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 5 weeks of half-year ...	19,700	7,800 1 0	96,160 0	8,230 0 0	40 0 0	16,970 0 0	1,901	7,027	8,928
Total for 6 weeks ...	23,230	9,640 0 0	113,730 0	10,060 0 0	50 0 0	19,780 0 0	2,381	8,127	10,448
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	2,655	1,330 0 0	17,513 0	1,813 0 0	6 0 0	3,158 0 0	420	1,633	2,053
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	79	40 0 0	521 0	54 0 0	...	94 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	22,945	9,237 0 0	127,170 0	10,421 0 0	60 0 0	10,718 0 0	2,441	8,095	10,536

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 700.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 6th February 1909 on 54 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	19,270	5,500 0 0	33,170 0	1,750 0 0	30 0 0	7,370 0 0	2,106	(a) 490	2,596
Or per mile of railway ...	357	103 0 0	614 0	32 0 0	1 0 0	136 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 5 weeks of half-year ...	73,470	21,570 0 0	3,54,900 0	20,970 0 0	130 0 0	42,670 0 0	9,109	3,913	13,112
Total for 6 weeks ...	92,740	27,100 0 0	3,88,130 0	22,720 0 0	160 0 0	50,040 0 0	11,207	4,403	15,710
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	17,357	4,170 0 0	40,005 0	2,804 0 0	23 0 0	6,805 0 0	2,108	346	2,454
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	321	77 0 0	741 0	48 0 0	1 0 0	126 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	81,071	22,068 0 0	1,81,308 0	11,899 0 0	2,406 0 0	32,161 0 0	11,988	2,408	14,446

(a) Ballast train-miles, &c.



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REPORT ON THE STATE OF THE SALT MARKET FOR THE THIRD QUARTER OF THE YEAR 1908-09.

No. 682B., dated Calcutta, the 11th February 1909.

From—SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI, Esq., M.A., B.L., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L. P., Mis. Revenue Dept.,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department.

I AM directed to submit the following report on the state of the salt market for the third quarter of the year

Member in charge :
THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I. 1908-1909, comprising the months of October, November and December 1908.

2. The quantity of salt of every description cleared during the quarter, amounted to 26,60,570 maunds, as compared with 25,90,510 maunds in the previous quarter, and 26,65,577 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year. The net amount of duty levied thereon was Rs. 24,05,311 as against Rs. 23,41,801 in the previous quarter, and Rs. 24,38,387 in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

3. The subjoined Table I shows in detail the importations into the port of Calcutta and the total clearances of sea-imported salt during the quarter, as compared with the figures of the corresponding quarters of the two previous years:—

TABLE I.

WHENCE IMPORTED.	1906-1907.		1907-1908.		1908-1909.	
	Third quarter.		Third quarter.		Third quarter.	
	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom ...	11,19,903	10,04,053	8,22,028	8,63,038	14,21,331	6,67,718
Hamburg and Bremen.	4,52,769	3,14,885	1,46,549	2,89,850	93,804	2,13,146
Port Said ...	1,93,691	1,50,355	1,88,479	72,522	1,42,895	1,32,627
Spain ...	3,18,922	4,11,968	4,41,127 ^m	3,25,668	4,88,429	4,61,982
Salif ...	2,72,102	3,35,297	7,97,275	4,30,277	6,49,643	4,95,579
Rawayah ...	...	3,770	...	...	...	...
Aden ...	3,32,565	3,00,005	5,18,688	3,82,700	4,82,248	4,15,021
Muscat, Linga, Hanjam, &c.	42,616	34,350	...	...	...	...
Rock Salt ...	...	5,286	1,340	4,878	6,806	3,836
Bombay ...	2,63,537	2,45,617	2,71,729	2,15,249	2,86,843	2,32,549
Phocce ...	...	...	...	50,775	...	10,240
Total ...	29,91,105	28,95,586	31,87,215	26,34,957	35,71,999	26,32,698

Compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year and the same quarter of 1906-1907, importations were greater by 12.1 per cent. and 19.4 per cent., respectively, but clearances were less by .09 and 6.2 per cent.

4. Table II shows the quantity of sea-imported salt remaining in the warehouses at the close of the quarter, as compared with the preceding four quarters:—

TABLE II.

WHERE STORED.	Third quarter of 1907-1908.	Fourth quarter of 1907-1908.	First quarter of 1908-1909.	Second quarter of 1908-1909.	Third quarter of 1908-1909.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Sulkea Government Salt godas ...	19,00,950	18,51,003	17,25,637	16,30,038	18,47,334
Kidderpore Dock Ditto ...	5,33,667	2,44,932	3,37,195	5,06,053	5,77,465
Chandbali (private bonded Salt warehouses) ...	11,700	8,000	3,103	9,000	6,000
Total ...	24,46,317	21,03,935	20,65,935	21,45,091	24,30,799

The stocks remaining in the golas at the close of the quarter were considerably greater than those of the previous three quarters, but less than those of the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

5. The figures showing the despatches of salt from Calcutta by different routes during the quarter under report will be published as usual in the *Calcutta Gazette* by the Director-General of Commercial Intelligence when they are available.

6. The quantity of salt despatched during the quarter by the East Indian Railway to stations beyond Buxar amounted to 1,325 maunds, as against *nil* both in the previous quarter and in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

7. The quantity of salt excised in the refineries of Bengal during the quarter amounted to 2,773 maunds, as compared with 5,464 maunds in the previous quarter and 1,863 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

8. The shipments of Liverpool salt during the quarter for the port of Calcutta, according to the published market reports, amounted to 48,800 tons.

It is reported that the vessels noted in the margin* are on the sea bound for Calcutta with cargoes of salt from Hamburg. The quantity given against each ship is approximate only.

9. Table III shows the average wholesale prices* per 100 maunds of Liverpool salt and other descriptions of salt during each fortnight of the quarter:—

TABLE III.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	Fortnight ending 15th October 1908.	Fortnight ending 31st October 1908.	Fortnight ending 15th November 1908.	Fortnight ending 30th November 1908.	Fortnight ending 15th December 1908.	Fortnight ending 31st December 1908.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Liverpool <i>panga</i> ...	49 0 0	49 0 0	49 15 0	51 0 0	49 12 9	49 0 0
Hamburg <i>karkach</i> ...	36 0 0	36 0 0	36 0 0	36 0 0	35 9 0	35 6 10
Bombay Ditto ...	45 0 0	45 0 0	45 0 0	44 9 10	44 1 2	43 1 9
Aden crushed ...	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 1 9	39 15 3	40 0 0	40 0 0
Salif Do. ...	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	39 14 4	39 6 6	39 0 0
Spanish <i>karkach</i> ...	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0

During the quarter the prices of Liverpool *panga* and Aden crushed rose and fell again, while those of Hamburg *karkach*, Bombay *karkach* and Salif crushed fell. The price of Spanish *karkach* remained stationary. No imports of Madras salt were made into the port of Calcutta during the quarter.

10. The quantity of sea-imported salt admitted into, and cleared from, bond at the inland warehousing station of Chandbali in the district of Balasore, during the quarter and the corresponding quarter of the previous year, is given below:—

Description of salt.	ADMITTED INTO BOND.		CLEARED.	
	Third quarter of 1907-1908.	Third quarter of 1908-1909.	Third quarter of 1907-1908.	Third quarter of 1908-1909.
1	2	3	4	5
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
English <i>panga</i> ...	34,200	25,440	30,620	27,872

* These prices are exclusive of Port Commissioners' special toll of annas 4 per ton and Customs duty of Rs. 1 per maund.

As compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year, the quantities admitted into bond and cleared were less by 25·61 and 8·97 per cent., respectively.

11. The quantity of Madras and Bombay salt imported inland and consumed in the littoral districts of the Orissa Division, or despatched to the Tributary States, during the quarter and the previous two quarters, is shown below :—

NAME OF DISTRICT.	MADRAS SALT.			BOMBAY SALT.		
	First quarter of 1908-1909.	Second quarter of 1908-1909.	Third quarter of 1908-1909.	First quarter of 1908-1909.	Second quarter of 1908-1909.	Third quarter of 1908-1909.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Cuttack ...	2,64,971	1,84,980	2,57,582	22,573	1,477	8,460
Balasore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Puri ...	1,02,756	60,729	78,558	...	...	...
Total ...	3,67,727	2,45,709	3,36,140	22,573	1,477	8,460

The following report is published for general information.

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Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 20th February 1909.

REPORT ON THE WORKING OF THE STEAM TRAWLER GOLDEN CROWN FOR THE QUARTER ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1908. .

DURING the quarter under review the *Golden Crown* made seven voyages to the Bay of Bengal, viz.:—

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| (1) From October 1st to 5th. | (4) From November 11th to 18th. |
| (2) " " 11th to 14th. | (5) " " 21st to 1st December. |
| (3) " " 22nd to 29th. | (6) " December 4th to 13th. |
| (7) From December 17th to 22nd. | |

She also left for sea on December 30th, but as practically no fish were caught until the midnight on the 31st, the result of this voyage has been kept for inclusion in the report on the first quarter for 1909. It may be mentioned here that between the third and fourth voyages (October 29th to November 11th) the *Golden Crown* went into dry dock for a few days for sundry repairs.

DETAILS OF JOURNEYS.

The items mentioned above include the whole of the journey from Prinsep's Ghat to the sea and back, so that at least one complete day must be allowed for the outward journey and a similar amount for the return voyage. For an average voyage, however, it would be well not to allow less than three whole days for the actual steaming to and from the fishing grounds, so that, although the trawler was actually away from Calcutta altogether 52 days during the quarter, the actual number of days engaged in trawling is somewhat less than this. In the case of a single vessel engaged in commercial trawling, it is immaterial whether, in summarising results and comparing receipts with expenditure, one takes the number of days actually spent in trawling or the number of days the vessel is away from port as a basis for calculation of the amount of fish caught per day, since obviously expenses are accumulating even when the vessel is not actually fishing. In the case, however, of a small fleet of trawlers with a special vessel or vessels (carrier or cutter) engaged in conveying stores outwards and fish homeward, the ratio of trawling days to journey days would naturally be higher than in the case of a single vessel; in order to facilitate comparison with such a fleet the trawling day has therefore been taken as the unit of time in the case of the *Golden Crown*. Where later in the report the amount of fish caught per day is referred to, it must be understood that the 'day' means a day actually engaged in fishing, exclusive of the time taken in travelling to and from the fishing grounds. The point is not an unimportant one, since, other things being equal, the longer the vessel is away from port the higher the average catch per day should be. In the case of a port with a long and difficult approach and heavy pilotage dues, it naturally would not pay to have one or two vessels making very short and frequent trips.

During the month of October the *Golden Crown* was engaged in fishing for 14 days, during November 10 days, and during December 11 days, making 35 days in all.

On the first trip (October 1st to 5th) trawling was tried off the Orissa coast between Konarak (Black Pagoda) and Puri in from 10 to 18 fathoms of water, the nature of the bottom varying from soft mud to sand and shells. From the 11th to 14th October she trawled between False Point and Konarak in depth from 11 to 17 fathoms on muddy, sandy and shelly ground. From

the 22nd to 29th October she again trawled off the Orissa coast between False Point and Konarak in from 9 to 15 fathoms on similar ground except that coral sand and stones were encountered.

On the fourth voyage (November 11th to 18th), after a preliminary unsuccessful trial off the Eastern Sunderbans, trawling was tried in the vicinity of South-Patches light vessel off the Arakan coast in depths from 8 to 13 fathoms on a muddy and sandy bottom. Again from November 21st to December 1st, after a trial near the intermediate light-vessel, fishing was carried on off Konarak in from 14 to 21 fathoms. From December 4th to 13th, after a trial trip 26 miles from Pilot's Ridge light-vessel, the ground off the Orissa coast between Konarak and Puri was again visited. From the 18th to the 21st December fishing was tried near the Mutlah light-vessel.

It may be advisable to explain here that a steam-trawler engaged in fishing for commercial purposes trawls during the whole of the 24 hours, and this is precisely what occurs on the *Golden Crown*. All modern trawlers are fitted up with two full sets of gear in readiness for immediate use, one on the port and one on the starboard side, so that, as soon as one net is hauled, the other may, if required, be shot. The *Golden Crown*, however, is unable to use her starboard gear and, as a consequence, frequent annoying, though unavoidable, delays occur. In surveying unknown grounds it is impossible at times to avoid serious damage to the nets, and all this damage must be repaired before the net can again be used. Hence, every time the net is torn on the *Golden Crown* she has to remain idle, while all hands turn to and effect the necessary repairs. This may at times cause serious delay and must be taken into account in estimating the weight of fish caught per day's trawling. The amount of delay, which would almost invariably be nil on a properly equipped vessel varies on the *Golden Crown* from nil to 25 per cent. of the time actually spent on the fishing grounds.

In addition, the impossibility of using the starboard gear on board the *Golden Crown* makes her handling at all times a more hazardous matter than it would otherwise be, and in comparing the *Golden Crown* catches with those of a moderately well-equipped vessel, this fact must not be omitted from consideration.

It does not appear that any absolutely fresh trawling ground was opened up during the quarter, and although the accumulation of evidence respecting the condition of each fishing ground in the Bay during each particular month of the year is undoubtedly of some service, still one or more voyages per quarter should be devoted in future to opening up absolutely new grounds, even though it will be necessary for this purpose to provide the vessel with additional, better and more varied gear than she at present possesses.

WEIGHT AND QUANTITY OF FISH CAUGHT.

The returns of weight per voyage are:—

					Weight. Lbs.
First voyage	...	...	...	...	8,660
Second "	...	...	...	...	14,239
Third "	...	...	...	...	12,344
Fourth "	...	...	...	...	4,634
Fifth "	...	...	...	...	16,968
Sixth "	...	...	...	...	18,195
Seventh "	...	...	...	...	8,574
Total					82,614

Thus the weight of fish caught during 35 days' trawling amounted to an average of 2,360 lbs. per day.

This excludes (except in one instance where their weight was included) turtles and all sawfish and sharks. If commercial trawling were attempted in the Bay, doubtless some use would be found for the livers and fins of these gigantic *Elasmobranchs*. So far then as the actual quantity of fish caught per

dium is concerned, the results are not unfavourable. Similar quantities in European waters, such as the North Sea, would render trawling a commercial success. In making this comparison it is, of course, necessary to make certain assumptions which may not turn out to be justifiable, and one of the most important of these is that the fish is of approximately equal edible value and commands a ready sale at similar prices to sea-fish in the markets of Northern Europe.

Some of these considerations need further investigation, and fortunately sufficiently reliable data exist for the comparison of the kinds of fish landed during each separate voyage, in some instances even for separate hauls of the trawl. This latter information, while doubtless of value for future work, whether of a scientific or commercial nature, is not analysed in the present report, and attention is solely directed to the quantities of each kind of fish landed per voyage. The question of sale and the many factors connected with it cannot be considered here. In England when strange sea-fish were first put on the market the public demand for them was practically nil. Many instances could be given of this; it will perhaps suffice to mention the Hake. This fish was formerly considered to be worthless, but the popular demand for it is now considerable, and it fetches a good price.

DETAILS OF THE "GOLDEN CROWN" CATCHES.

The detailed account of the *Golden Crown's* catches is given in the table below. The names of the fish are those given by the European crew of the trawler who, in some cases, have adopted local names (not always correctly); and in other cases have utilized the common names of European fish on account of some assumed external resemblance, or have even been driven to invent entirely new names for fish for which no local names were readily forthcoming and which had no resemblance to common European marine species.

The local names, or names already in use in India, adopted for the purposes of classification on the trawler, are Begti, Bummaloh, Tropsi and Pomfret. The Pomfret, as is well known, is a *stromateus* and two species are frequently caught in the trawler, namely *cinereus* and *niger*. The former is the more abundant and in greater demand on account of its more attractive appearance. The Bummaloh (*Harpodon Nehereus*) is a *scopeloid* and is well known as the "Bombay duck." The name Tropsi is given to several species of *Polynemus*, including both *indicus* and *plotius*, although strictly speaking it should only be applied to *paradisus*. The Begti of the *Golden Crown* is not the Begti (*lutes carifer*) of Bengal, but comprises two or more forms, notably the Datueh (*Chrysophrys datueh*) and a Pericoid form (*Pristipoma maculatum*).

Of the names applied to fish in the Bay, which have been adopted on account of the presumed similarity to European species, the chief are whiting, herring, gurnards, halibut, conger, prawns, skate, soles, lobster and rock salmon. Of these the whiting, gurnard and rock salmon are structurally very dissimilar to those of European waters, and the names are based on a misconception of the nature of the Indian species. They are, however, sufficiently useful to be retained as market terms, though they should, strictly speaking, be always quoted in inverted commas. It would be difficult to replace them by any terms which would be understood by the public.

The Gadidae (cod, whiting, haddock, etc.) are not represented, and the so-called whiting of the *Golden Crown* include quite a number of very different forms, mostly species of *sciæna*, *sciænoids* and more rarely *umbrina*. The gurnards are siluroids of the genus *arius*, very largely *arius dussumieri*. As the siluroids are unknown in English markets it is not surprising that these gurnards are absolutely unlike the English gurnards. The name is evidently given on account of the hard bony plates protecting the head which are found in both forms. It is strange that neither the whiting nor the gurnard finds a ready sale in the New Market, although both these fish, especially the former, are good eating. Possibly the rather numerous bones and, in the case of whiting, the small size are prejudicial to a ready sale.

The rock salmon is entirely distinct from the true salmon. No member of the salmon family has been discovered in Bengal waters, and the name

"rock salmon" has been bestowed on *Otolithus Maculatus* on account of the spotted surface of the latter bearing resemblance to a salmon. This form and *Otolithus Ruber* are really scienoids.

The Halibut (*Psettodes erumei*) and the soles (species of *Cynoglossus* *synaptura* and *plaguria*), although differing from the British species similarly named, are nevertheless true flat fish (*Plueronectidæ*). The Conger eel is *murænox cinereus*, the skates (large) mostly species of *Trygon* or string rays or (small) *mylobatis* and *ætobates*. The herring are Clupeoids of the genera *Pellona* and *Chalæssus*. The prawns are principally *Percidæ* and *Palæmonidæ*, and the lobster is a *Panulerus* or spiny lobster, and in all these cases the names are sufficiently correct for commercial purposes. A few species of fish are grouped under the somewhat unintelligible headings of red flats, small flats, mixed flats and mixed. The red flats are *Pagrus spinifer*, a most excellent edible fish; the small flats vary considerably usually they consist almost entirely of various species of House mackerel (*Caranx*), but sometimes *deepens punctata* and *ephippus orbis* predominate, and then the term mixed flats is sometimes employed, although there is no precision in the use of the terms. Under the heading of mixed fish we find very diverse forms; *saurena tumbil* is almost invariably present and mackerel (*Scomber Microlepedotes*) is also common.

TABLE SHOWING DETAILS OF CATCH PER VOYAGE.

(All weights expressed in lbs.)

Trip number	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Number of days fished	5	4	5	4	6	7	4
Name of Fish.							
Whiting ...	2,150	3,710	4,900	Details for this haul not to hand.	3,108	4,502	2,749
Gurnards ...	1,450	1,540	1,555		2,688	4,568	1,688
Prawns ...	1,400	3,250	2,100		1,680	1,699	369
Rock Salmon ...	700	1,150	515		410	217	191
Herring and Flats ...	700	800	590		...	...	...
Conger eels ...	500	954	490		40	904	464
Pomfrets ...	500	275	470		672	166	112
Bummaloos ...	450	350	315		...	...	...
Begti ...	410	520	840		2,050	814	526
Skate ...	400	760	468		220	738	1,913
Soles ...	...	230	101		...	...	...
Turtles ...	...	1,290	...		(Five in No.)	...	(One in No.)
Halibut ...	...	...	...		60	122	112
Small Skates ...	...	...	...		...	...	61
Small Flats ...	...	...	...		1,680	2,811	291
Mixed ...	...	...	...		756	240	108
Red Flats ...	...	...	...		2,504	1,416	...
Total	8,660	14,239	12,344	4,634	15,968	18,195	8,574
GRAND TOTAL	Orissa coast.	Orissa coast.	Orissa coast.	Arakan coast.	Orissa coast.	Orissa coast.	82,614 lbs. Matlah light-vessel.

It would be well to refrain from too minute a comparison of the different fishery grounds at the present juncture. No stress can be laid on the

discrepancy between the result observed off the Arakan coast and the Orissa coast; all, one can say; is that with the gear at present on board the *Golden Crown* the latter coast is more profitable. With nets capable of being used on rocky ground (i.e., with a bobbin foot rope) precisely the reverse statement might conceivably be made. The weight for the fourth trip is probably considerably under-estimated, even so the total weight for 35 days' fishing is 82,614 lbs., or 2,360 lbs. per day. That is to say, inspite of the drawbacks under which the *Golden Crown* has had to work, she has caught during the quarter well over a ton of fish per day's fishing. As explained above, with a trawler properly equipped, an increase of at least 25 per cent. could be expected.

It may not be amiss to remark here that the *Golden Crown* is a small and ancient type of trawler, and that her gear is by no means adequate for the work she has to perform, viz., the exploitation of the Bay. It is difficult to compare her catching power with a modern vessel with improved gear, but some appreciable percentage should be added to her catch if she be compared with a vessel of that type.

THE HANDLING AND MARKETING OF FISH.

When the catch is got aboard it is sorted, washed, weighed and then placed below in the ice-hold. When the vessel reaches Calcutta the fish is landed, some sent to the Linde Cold Storage, some to the Sir Stuart Hogg Market and some to Chingrighatta. The prices charged for the fish at the *Golden Crown* stall in the New Market are appended for reference. It would be an easy matter to calculate from these figures the value of each separate landing from the *Golden Crown*, but as these prices are absolutely fixed it would serve no useful purpose to do so. Assuming the average catch per day's fishing of the *Golden Crown* to be not less than 2,400 lbs. then at the rate of 2d. per lb., the result of each day's fishing would be £20.

The figures given above of the weight caught per voyage need to be collected for a longer period, if only for the purpose of determining seasonal variations on different grounds.

CONCLUSION.

An appendix is attached with the names of the fish so far identified from the *Golden Crown's* catches. The list is provisional and incomplete and, in some cases, notably in the sciennoids, requires revision. So far as it goes, one learns that over 150 species of fish have been identified, and of these at least six are new to science. For the identification of the Elasmobranchs, I am much indebted to Dr. Annandale, Superintendent of the Indian Museum.

APPENDIX.

List of fishes captured by "Golden Crown" to December 31st.

This list must not be regarded as complete, but contains merely those identified at the time this report was written.

ELASMOBRANCHII—

Carchariidæ	...	{	Carcharius laticaudus.
			" sorrah.
			" menisorah.
			" sp. nov.
			" temineckii.
		{	Tygarras blochii.
Scoliodon	...	{	Stegostoma tigrinum.
			Chiloscyllium griseum.

ACANTHOPTERYGH—continued.

Charedontidæ	...	...	{	Scatophagus argus.
				Ephippus orbis.
				Drepane punctata.
Mulidæ	...	...	{	Upeneoides vittatus.
				„ sulphureus.
Sparidæ	...	...	{	Pagrus spinifer.
				Chrysophrys datnia.
				„ berda.
Scorpenidæ	...	...	{	Pterois russellii.
				Apistus carinatus.
				Minous coccineus.
				„ monodaetylus.
				Sebastichthys strongis.
Beryidæ	...	...		Holocentrum rubrum.
Kurtidæ	...	...		Kurtus indicus.
Polynemidæ	...	...	{	Polynemus sextarius.
				„ indicus.
				„ plebius.
Scienidæ	...	...	{	Umbrina dussumieri.
				Sciæna diacanthus.
				„ ossea.
				Sciænoides brunneus.
				Otolithus maculatus.
				„ ruber.
Trichiuridæ	...	...	{	Trichiurus muticus.
				„ Haumela.
				„ savala.
			{	Caranax rotteri.
				„ kurra.
				„ guptæ. (sp. nov.)
				„ djedabe.
				„ atropus.
				„ gymnotus.
				„ malabaricus.
				„ gallus.
Carangidæ	...	...	{	„ ciliaris.
				„ sp. nov.
				Seriola nigrofasciata.
				Chorimemus lysan.
				„ moadetta.
				Equula edentula.
				„ splendens.
				„ insidiatrix.
				„ ruconius.
Stromateidæ	...	...	{	Stromateus sinensis.
				„ cinerius.
				„ niger.
Coryphænidæ	...	...		Mene maculata.
Scombridæ	...	...	{	Scomber microlepidotus.
				Cybium guttatum.
				Elacate nigra.
				Echeneis naucrates.
Uranoscopidæ	...	...	{	Uranoscopus cognatus.
				„ guttatus.
				„ orassiceps.
Trachinidæ	...	...	{	Sillago panijus.
				„ sihama.
Pediculati	...	...		Halicutæa stellata.
Cottidæ	...	...	{	Platycephalus scaber.
				„ insidiatri.
Cataphracti	...	...		Dactylopterus orientalis.
Callionymedæ	...	...		Callionymus longicandatus.
Sphyrænidæ	...	...		Sphyræna.
Aulostomatidæ	...	...		Fistularia serrata.
Centriscidæ	...	...		Amphisile scutata.

ACANTHOPTERYGH—concluded.

				Psettodes erumi.
				Pseudorhombus arsius.
				Platophrys pantherina.
				Soleaoculus.
				Synaptura commercianiana.
Pleuronectidæ	...	...		„ altipinnis.
				Plagusea marmorata.
				Cynoglossus puncticeps.
				Rhomboidichthys valdestratus.
				„ polylepis.
				„ aureus.
PLECTOGNATHI—				
				Triacanthus biaculeatus.
Sclerodermi	...	...		„ brivirostris.
				Ostracion nasus.
				Tetrodon oblongus.
Gymnodontes		„ outoutia.
				„ nigropunctatus.
				„ stellatus.

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**FOURTH REPORT ON THE COTTON CROPS OF BENGAL,
FEBRUARY 1908-09.**

The following note is published for general information.

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The 20th February 1909.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

**FOURTH REPORT ON THE COTTON CROPS OF BENGAL,
FEBRUARY 1908-09.**

[On an average of the five years ending 1906-07, the area under cotton crop in the territory to which this forecast relates has represented some 0.38 per cent. of the total area under cotton crops in India.]

Explanatory.—This is the final of the four reports on the cotton crops of Bengal to be issued during the season 1908-09. It deals with revised estimates of the area and outturn of the crop after the publication of the third report in December.

Character of the season.—For the early crop the season was generally favourable. In Sambalpur and the Sonthal Parganas, however, the most important of the early cotton growing districts, the crop suffered to some extent—in the former district owing to excessive rain in August and in the latter district to drought in the beginning of the season. In the districts of Chota Nagpur, where the crop is also important, the season was favourable. The season was less favourable for the late cotton crop which was injuriously affected owing to the cessation of rain early in October. Excepting Saran, the most important of the late cotton districts, and also Singhbhum, where the condition of the crops is reported to be fair, the outturn in other districts is likely to be poor.

Area sown.—The area sown with the early variety is estimated at 34,114 acres as against 35,341 acres estimated last year and that sown with the late variety is reported to be 32,869 acres, an estimate which is 2,055 acres less than that given last year.

The outturn of early cotton amounts to 4,805 bales and that of late cotton to 9,352 bales. The corresponding figures of last year were 3,654 and 10,768 bales respectively. Adding to this year's estimates 5 per cent. for the cotton crop grown in the Native States for which no statistics have been received, the outturn of the early and late crops works out to 5,045 and 9,820 bales respectively. The total outturn of the cotton crops for the whole Province is estimated at 14,865 bales against 15,143 bales last year.

CALCUTTA, } W. R. GOURLAY,
The 10th February 1909. } *Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Forecast of the cotton crops of Bengal, February 1908-09.

District.	Area (in acres) —						Yield (in bales of 400 lbs. each) —						Figures from the cadastral survey.				Remarks by District Officer.	
	Average of preceding —			Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or is less than (-) area in—			Of previous year, i.e., of			Average of preceding —			Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.					
	Of current year's crops (1908-09).			Column 3.			Of current year, i.e., of			Column 8.			Years during which the cadastral survey took place.					
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15				
Bankura—	200	300	365	365	—45'21	100	180	135°	—33'33	—45'35	—45'35	1889 to 1903 and 1906-07.	Not avail.	The date of harvesting of early cotton was normal. The decrease in the output of the early and late varieties was due to cessation of rain since October last. Late cotton is in good condition. Harvesting has not yet commenced.	538	1889 to 1903 and 1906-07.	The output of early and late cotton has been good. The date of harvesting of the early variety was normal and that of the late variety was normal at Contal and late at the Sedar and Tamruk subdivisions where it has not yet begun.	
	1,400	1,400	1,800	1,780	—15'06	1,130	1,130	1,119	—	—	—	16,488	538					
Midnapore—	1,700	1,700	1,820	1,820	—6'39	510	55	494	+29'41	—68'02	—74'06	1893 to 1898.	538	The weather was not favourable. The condition of the crops was poor. The date of harvesting was normal.	5	1893 to 1901.	The general condition of the crop is reported to be fair. The date of harvesting was normal.	
	680	470	1,940	2,030	+55'00	46	24	849	+91'67	—92'31	—94'98	73,164	5					
Patna—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	The general condition of the crop is reported to be fair. The date of harvesting was normal.	...	...	...
	1,000	1,300	1,910	1,430	—23'08	63	163	369	—61'35	—74'07	—82'92	1000 to 1901.	...					
Shahabad—	530	512	461	461	+1'36	149	245	184	—39'18	+72'73	+72'73	...	...	The general condition of the crop is reported to be fair. The date of harvesting was normal.	...	...	...
	545	836	867	867	—51'68	163	208	249	—39'55	—34'94	—34'94	...	...			

Figures for 1904 only.
+ Average for two preceding years only.
: Average for three preceding years only.

DISTRICT.		ARF. (IN ACRES).—				YIELD (IN BALES OF 400 LBS. EACH).—				FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.				Remarks by District Officer.		
		Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or is less than (—) area in—		Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+) or is less than (—) yield in—		Total area of the district which has been actually surveyed.	Years during which the cadastrol survey took place.	Area found under cotton during the cadastrol survey.				
		Of previous year's crops (1907-08).	Of current year's crops (1908-1909).	Column 3.	Column 1.	Of previous year's crops, i. e., of area in column 2.	Of current year's crops, i. e., of area in column 3.	Column 8.	Column 9.							
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		13	14	15
Manbhum—	Early	4,000	4,000	5,360	8,280	5 yrs. 10 yrs.	620	500	1,244	1,835	5 yrs. 10 yrs.	+ 39'18	— 68'21	Not cadastrally surveyed.	Acres.	The weather was favourable and the general condition of the crop was good. The date of harvesting was normal this year. The low output was due to cessation of rain in October last.
	Late	1,290	1,200	1,120	1,211*	180	300	515	337	— 40'00	— 65'05	— 64'06				
Sinebbhum—	Early	4,000	4,000	3,990	4,760	5 yrs. 10 yrs.	590	570	920	1,392	5 yrs. 10 yrs.	— 5'65	— 63'39	1,701,994	1,313	The general condition of the crop was fair. The date of harvesting was normal this year.
	Late	3,090	3,000	2,550	...	375	375	917	979	...	— 34'10	— 67'34				
Total—	Early	34,114	35,344	45,400	62,831	...	4,505	3,054	8,294	15,247	...	— 46'58	— 68'49	...	...	...
	Late	28,969	34,924	39,106	50,632	...	9,339	10,768	12,555	14,643	...	— 37'25	— 43'46			

*Average of 9 preceding years

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 22nd February 1909.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Radar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	..	9	9	Rainfall at Itaniganj 0·03 inch. Threshing of paddy finished. Pressing of sugarcane commenced at places. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
2	BIRBHUM ...	0·03	9	9	Rainfall at Rampurhat nil. Threshing of paddy still continuing. Fodder and water sufficient. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of mustard continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Sowing of summer rice and tobacco continuing in the Ghatal subdivision. Prospects of sugarcane fair except in the Contai subdivision, of tobacco and linseed fair, and of rapeseed and mustard good in the Contai subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Salbani, Mohan-pore, Jharguon, Binpur, Narayanagarh and Keshiari. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 11 seers per rupee at Contai, 8½ seers at Tamluk and 10½ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	9	8½	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of rabi crops and potatoes fair. Threshing of winter paddy not yet completed. Prices of food-grains falling. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Rabi crops doing well. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. No cattle-disease reported.
7	24-PARGANAS	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Common rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 10 seers at Basirhat, 9 seers at Diamond Harbour and at 8½ seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	9	8½	Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of rabi crops commenced. Pressing of sugarcane continuing. Ploughing of lands going on. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains barely sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Meherpur and Gangani thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Madar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD	0·02	9	8½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Kandi 0·03, at Jangipur 0·14 inch and at Lalbagh nil. Harvesting of <i>aman</i> paddy still continuing in the Lalbagh subdivision. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops fair. <i>Boro</i> paddy being transplanted in the Jangipur subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from thana Bharatpur. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JHARKH ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops indifferent. Rain wanted for cultivation. Fodder and water generally sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good.
11	KHULNA ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of scarcity at present. Prospects of standing crops not very favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	0·16	9 15½*	9 15½*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops and pressing of sugarcane going on. Prospects of standing crops fair. Condition of agricultural stock good. Food-stocks supplemented by imports. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Earthquake was felt at Bihar on the 17th at 10·40 P.M. The shock was slight. No damage to life and property.
13	GAYA ...	0·11	10½† 14½*	10½† 14½*	Weather seasonable and occasionally cloudy. Harvesting of mustard, peas and <i>masur</i> continuing. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops good. The price of Burma rice fallen at Nawadah and Aurangabad; stationary elsewhere. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Pakribarawan.
14	SHAHABAD ...	0·08	9 13*	9 13*	Rainfall at Buxar 0·12, Sasaram 0·01 and at Dehri 0·03 inch. Harvesting of peas and oilseeds in progress. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing well. Sugarcane-pressing continuing. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal. Agricultural stock in normal condition. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease still reported from Nokha.
15	SARAN ...	0·03	10½ 15*	10 15*	Rainfall at Gopalganj 0·19 inch. Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of rape and mustard going on. <i>Rabi</i> crops ripening. Fields being prepared for indigo. Planting of sugarcane commenced. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, &c.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	0·06	{ 9½ 15½ }	{ 9½ 15½ }	Rainfall at Bettiah nil. Weather getting warmer. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of rape and mustard continuing. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water as yet sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	0·05	{ 9½ 15 }	{ 9½ 15 }	Weather seasonable. <i>Rabi</i> crops suffering from want of moisture. Cattle-disease reported in Belsand, Bela, Pupri, Katra and Muzaffarpur thanas. Fodder sufficient at present. Water-supply running short in many parts of the district. Distress apprehended in parts of the Sitamarhi subdivision. Number of persons on test-works—79 men, 29 women and 19 children—total 127. Common rice and maize selling at 9 and 14½ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur, and at 9 and 14 seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi.
18	DARBHANGA ...	0·03	{ 8½ 13½ }	{ 8 13½ }	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of mustard in progress at places. Rain wanted for preparation of lands for next season's crops. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing to be very bad. No cattle-disease. Food-stocks sufficient. Fodder available. Number of persons on relief-works on 18th instant—44,245. Number gratuitously relieved in declared areas—4,820. Number of persons on test-works in observation areas 29,849 and gratuitously relieved 887. <i>Makar</i> selling at 13½ seers at Sadar, but dearer in the interior.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	{ 8½ 13½ }	{ 8½ 13½ }	Weather seasonable—getting hot. Condition of standing crops fair. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing in some places. Sugarcane-pressing nearly finished. Fodder and water reported to be scarce in some places in the Jamui subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from thana Gogri. Prices of staple food-crops almost stationary.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	0·05	{ 8½ 13½ }	{ 7½ 13½ }	Rainfall at Supaul 0·03 inch. Weather seasonable. Rain required in places where there is no means of irrigation. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. 125 men, 365 women and 326 children—total 816—relieved gratuitously in Madhipura, and 85 men, 129 women and 299 children—total 513—in the Supaul subdivision. 1,716 men, 1,716 women and 499 children—total 3,931 on test-works in Madhipura, and 1,183 men, 1,002 women and 510 children—total 2,695 in Supaul.
21	PURNA ...	0·08	{ 9† 11½ }	{ 7½ 11 }	Weather getting little warm. Rainfall at Kishanganj 0·93 and at Araria 0·65 inch. Standing crops benefited by the recent rain in the Kishanganj and Araria subdivisions, but the prospects on the whole bad. Mango blossoms partly injured by hail-storms in the Araria subdivision. Ploughing for <i>rabi</i> crops and jute going on. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder and water getting scarce in many places. Stocks of food-grains sufficient due to imports. Cattle-disease reported from Raniganj, Forbesganj and Dhamdaha thanas. Men deputed to open test-works in Amore and Gopalpur. Prices showing a tendency to fall. 11 men, 33 women and 3 children—total 47—relieved gratuitously. Common rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Araria and at 7 seers at Kishanganj.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Bangoon rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	DARJEELING ...	0·22	{ 8 14*	{ 8 14*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Wheat and barley growing. Oilseeds being harvested. Fields being prepared for the sowings of maize in some places. Terai—Sugarcane and potatoes being harvested. Lands being ploughed for the next sowings. Rain wanted. Prospects fair. Prices stationary. Fodder and water sufficient.
23	SONTHAL PARAGANAS.	0·22	{ 9 7/8 11 1/2*	{ 9 1/2 11*	Rainfall at Deoghar 0·03, Godda 0·06, Jamtara 0·23, Pakour 0·19 and at Rajmahal 0·16 inch. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water not sufficient in the Godda, Pakour and Rajmahal subdivisions.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10 1/2	10 1/2	Tobacco and cotton growing. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. Threshing of <i>saradh</i> paddy, pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. <i>Dalua</i> paddy thriving. Vegetables doing well. Fodder and water and food-stocks sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice selling at 13 seers a rupee at Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	15	15	Weather seasonable. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 10 1/2 seers per rupee at the Khondmals. Fodder and water available.
27	PURI ...	...	...	9 1/2*	Report not received.
28	SAMBALPUR	12	12 1/2	A few showers in the interior of the Sadar tahsil. Sugarcane being pressed. Rice and sugarcane fields being ploughed for the next harvest. Condition of standing crops—Sugarcane and vegetables good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water-supply sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Rinderpest and mouth diseases reported. Common rice selling at 14 seers a rupee at Bargarh.

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No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Gadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
29	HAZARIBAGH...	Inches. 0.08	8½ 2	9 12	Weather seasonable. Fields being prepared for next season's crops. Sugarcane being planted in places. Prospects of standing crops fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from one thana.
30	RANOHI ...	Nil	9	9	Weather slightly cloudy in the afternoon. Lands being prepared for the next sowing. State of standing crops good. Cattle-disease reported from four thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. <i>Sarson</i> being harvested; <i>rabi</i> crops doing well. Condition of agricultural stock normal. Fodder and water available. Some cattle-disease. 150 persons on gratuitous relief from charitable funds in pargana Japla.
32	MANIKHUM ...	0.37	11½	11	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Harvesting of <i>tii</i> and tobacco over. Sugarcane-pressing nearly finished. Outturn of early and late cotton estimated at 72 and 74 per cent., respectively. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Nirsha. Condition of agricultural stock good. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Common rice selling at 9 seers per rupee at Dhanbad. Stocks of food-grains adequate.
33	SINGHBHUM ..	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Ploughing for early rice going on. Cattle-disease reported from outpost Kalikapur. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 10 and 12 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	0.09	8	8	Weather seasonable. Preparation of lands for <i>bhiti</i> paddy and jute continuing. Prospects and condition of standing crops fair. Price of staple food-grains almost stationary. No apprehension of scarcity and famine. Fodder and water sufficient.
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.†	.....	.....	.....	Weather seasonable. Sugarcane-pressing continuing in Narsinghpur, Daspalla, Khandpara, Pallabera, Koonjhar, Baramba, Dhenkanal, Nilgiri, Kulahandi, Patna and Rairakhol. Harvesting of gram in Athmallik, Baud and Nayagarh, of <i>maag</i> in Narsinghpur, of <i>kulhi</i> in Ranpur, Narsinghpur and Nayagarh, of mustard in Dhenkanal, Nayagarh and Baramba and of <i>arhar</i> in Baud going on. State of standing crops good in Daspalla, Baud and Gangpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 9 seers in Koonjhar and 12 seers in Mayurbhanj and Narsinghpur to 16½ seers in Baud and 18 seers in Patna and Talchor.

• The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† The report is for the week ending the 15th February 1909.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—During the week under report light showers fell in Bihar (except in Monghyr) and also in Burdwan, Birbhum, Murshidabad, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Manbhum and Ooooh Behar. More rain is wanted in North Bihar for the preparation of lands for the next season's crops. The pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of oil-seeds and pulses continue. Some damage has been done to the mango blossoms by hailstorms in Purnea. Prospects of *rabi* crops continue unfavourable in Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Bhagalpur and Purnea. The price of common rice has risen in Monghyr, the Sonthal Parganas, Sambalpur and Hazaribagh, and has fallen in Hooghly, Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore, Saran, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Manbhum. Cattle-disease is reported from Midnapore, Nadia, Murshidabad, Gaya, Shahabad, Muzaffarpur, Monghyr, Purnea, Sambalpur and Chota Nagpur. The fodder and watersupply is getting scarce in parts of North Bihar. 36,602 persons attended test-works in Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga and Bhagalpur. Gratuitous relief was given to 7,233 persons in Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Palamau. The number of persons on famine relief-works in Darbhanga was 44,245.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 23rd February 1909.

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Table II.—Showing the monthly and annual average rainfall

Meteorological division.	Division.	District	Station.	Year.	January.	February.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	Burdwan	Kalna	30—31	0.40	1.17
			Burdwan	40—41	0.38	0.89
			Katwa	30—31	0.40	1.15
			Raniganj	31—33	0.43	1.05
			Markur	15—16	0.42	0.68
		Birbhum	Suri	45—49	0.44	0.91
			Hetampur	25—26	0.47	0.91
			Rampur Hat	27—28	0.57	0.84
			Bolpur	15—16	0.39	0.77
			Muriari	10—13	0.34	0.55
			Lalpur	6—7	0.27	0.37
		Bankura	Bankura	43—46	0.33	1.03
			Vishnupur	21—22	0.29	1.08
			Maliara	20—21	0.35	0.71
			Khajra	20—21	0.32	0.73
			Indas	16—17	0.31	0.86
			Kotalpur	16—17	0.30	0.92
			Onda	16—17	0.18	0.82
			Gangajalghati	15—16	0.38	0.62
			Raipur	15—16	0.15	0.89
			Sonamukhi	15—16	0.41	0.85
		Midnapore	Contai	31	0.24	1.29
			Tamluk	30—31	0.26	1.09
			Midnapore	37—42	0.55	0.91
			Ghatal	24—25	0.33	0.89
			Kukrabaty	13—14	0.22	1.28
			Garhbata	15—16	0.26	0.82
			Panskura	7—8	0.01	0.37
		Dantan	Dantan	7—8	0.04	0.41
		Hooghly	Serampore	29—30	0.37	1.21
			Hooghly	37—40	0.38	1.20
			Arambagh (Jahanabad.)	29—30	0.33	1.04
		Howrah	Howrah	32—33	0.41	1.14
			Mohesreka	25—26	0.35	1.25
			Ulubaria	9—10	0.10	0.58
		24-Parganas	Saugor Island	33—34	0.28	1.07
			Diamond Harbour	30—31	0.42	1.47
			Canning Town	15—16	0.28	0.92
			Alipore (Obay.)	23—24	0.29	1.02
			Barrackpore	30—31	0.38	1.21
			Dum-Dum	30—31	0.46	1.10
			Barasat	30—31	0.47	1.33
			Basirhat	30—31	0.36	1.01
	Presidency	Nadia	Ranaghat	30—31	0.43	1.08
			Krishnagar	37—40	0.43	1.10
			Chuadanga	30—31	0.38	1.10
			Meherpur	30—31	0.40	1.08
			Kushtia	31	0.36	1.09
		Murshidabad	Kandi	26—28	0.46	1.03
			Berhampore	46—48	0.47	0.92
			Lalbagh	23—25	0.30	0.68
			Azimganj	27—29	0.53	0.72
			Jangipur	27—30	0.54	0.71
			Lalgola	26—28	0.57	0.75
			Akriganj	14—15	0.58	0.75
			Patkabari	12—14	0.21	0.63
			Dumkal	19	0.41	0.62

at 231 rainfall-recording stations in Bengal.

March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
1.27	2.62	5.73	9.98	11.24	11.34	7.08	3.42	0.87	0.14	55.26
1.24	2.20	5.56	10.17	12.32	11.49	8.59	3.93	0.64	0.13	57.54
1.17	1.58	5.51	9.99	10.71	11.18	8.35	3.63	0.59	0.07	54.33
0.76	1.59	3.77	9.93	14.15	13.01	7.60	3.22	0.54	0.08	56.13
0.87	1.40	4.85	10.70	12.82	11.79	10.40	2.55	0.49	0.06	57.03
0.78	0.92	3.48	11.35	12.90	12.54	9.77	3.49	0.33	0.12	57.03
0.66	1.06	3.63	10.68	12.76	12.09	10.08	3.11	0.45	0.07	55.97
0.80	1.26	4.08	10.62	11.33	11.75	11.14	3.65	0.37	0.11	56.52
0.98	1.12	4.86	10.30	11.64	10.18	9.78	3.39	0.67	0.06	54.14
0.45	1.12	4.21	11.40	14.92	10.56	11.09	3.25	0.34	0.01	58.24
0.33	1.39	4.17	11.41	11.40	8.43	10.48	4.22	0.23	0.00	52.70
1.30	1.52	3.86	10.29	12.87	11.58	8.75	4.05	0.51	0.13	56.22
1.21	1.65	5.05	11.17	11.85	13.18	9.23	3.16	0.45	0.14	58.47
0.70	0.97	3.63	10.19	12.68	11.35	6.93	3.17	0.26	0.11	51.05
1.14	0.95	4.18	12.37	13.45	12.01	9.42	3.69	0.79	0.21	59.26
0.92	1.68	5.64	10.43	12.07	9.95	9.33	2.66	0.46	0.07	54.38
1.09	1.73	3.99	10.73	12.85	11.97	7.55	3.00	0.57	0.08	54.77
0.60	1.08	3.51	9.80	10.33	11.76	9.61	2.45	0.30	0.07	50.51
0.81	1.21	3.77	11.35	12.16	12.17	8.48	2.52	0.68	0.10	54.25
1.41	1.02	5.59	11.44	12.27	14.34	9.15	3.99	0.71	0.13	61.09
0.78	1.44	4.34	10.54	11.68	10.52	8.52	2.80	0.68	0.08	52.64
1.10	1.21	5.07	9.78	14.52	13.26	11.06	7.52	1.32	0.20	66.67
1.51	1.50	5.22	9.76	12.18	13.18	9.23	4.22	0.45	0.18	58.78
1.39	1.62	5.21	10.39	11.90	12.14	8.72	4.42	0.56	0.21	58.02
1.43	1.87	5.54	10.04	12.47	13.65	9.49	3.17	0.51	0.14	53.56
0.88	0.95	5.93	10.12	12.58	12.02	10.88	4.43	0.83	0.01	60.13
1.52	1.48	4.88	11.18	12.58	13.74	9.00	2.68	0.42	0.12	58.68
0.61	1.90	5.82	10.79	11.09	12.48	10.01	3.57	0.62	0.01	57.31
0.59	1.80	5.45	9.82	12.13	12.07	8.47	5.25	0.35	0.03	56.41
1.13	2.05	5.34	9.96	12.64	12.08	9.27	4.27	0.65	0.21	59.18
1.58	2.46	5.85	10.56	11.28	11.64	8.40	3.83	0.66	0.19	58.03
1.15	1.69	5.31	10.31	12.13	13.86	8.81	3.65	0.45	0.13	58.86
1.46	1.80	4.95	11.39	12.04	12.12	9.42	4.06	0.50	0.18	59.47
1.03	1.38	5.68	10.10	12.14	13.00	8.79	3.72	0.52	0.19	58.15
0.58	1.74	5.17	11.29	10.42	9.08	10.15	3.60	0.51	0.02	53.24
1.18	1.06	4.75	10.79	15.53	15.18	12.10	9.13	1.81	0.22	72.60
1.24	1.65	5.55	10.39	14.96	14.18	11.07	5.07	0.79	0.18	66.97
1.27	1.41	6.10	11.72	12.61	14.96	9.74	4.81	1.28	0.04	65.14
1.14	1.64	5.60	11.04	12.31	12.69	10.40	3.87	0.62	0.31	60.83
1.35	1.89	5.21	10.39	11.98	11.77	8.81	3.86	0.74	0.20	57.79
1.28	1.90	5.58	11.05	11.93	12.32	9.88	4.52	0.54	0.18	60.79
1.19	1.94	5.48	10.28	10.96	12.04	9.43	4.45	0.55	0.20	58.32
1.55	2.26	5.75	11.60	12.82	12.53	9.19	4.64	0.51	0.14	62.36
1.44	2.75	5.96	9.73	10.55	11.60	7.72	3.59	0.82	0.14	55.81
1.11	2.43	6.56	9.90	10.37	10.25	7.97	4.20	0.74	0.10	55.16
1.50	2.75	7.38	9.50	10.29	11.11	8.75	4.39	0.91	0.09	58.15
1.78	3.18	6.18	10.02	10.11	11.27	8.33	3.87	0.52	0.11	56.85
1.59	2.98	7.51	10.83	10.50	10.58	9.62	4.16	0.70	0.12	60.04
0.93	1.75	4.88	10.34	12.16	10.76	9.63	3.76	0.64	0.14	55.98
1.05	1.75	4.88	9.87	10.31	10.98	9.79	4.71	0.40	0.10	55.23
0.88	1.35	5.09	9.21	12.03	12.38	10.05	4.10	0.67	0.08	56.82
0.89	1.54	5.04	9.56	10.75	11.25	9.30	4.11	0.33	0.07	54.09
0.64	1.30	4.73	9.57	10.92	10.92	10.40	3.36	0.30	0.09	53.51
0.92	1.43	5.24	10.03	11.49	10.82	10.91	4.17	0.46	0.08	56.87
0.92	1.78	5.95	11.63	11.34	9.11	9.15	3.43	0.45	0.00	55.09
0.67	2.25	5.42	10.33	8.85	6.82	6.51	2.66	0.70	0.03	45.08
1.16	1.69	5.46	10.80	10.28	11.04	8.38	3.40	0.46	0.12	53.82

Meteorological division.	Division.	District.	Station.	Year.	January.	February.
South-West Bengal —conold.	Presidency— conold.	Jessore	Narail	29—30	0.59	1.23
			Jessore	41—46	0.48	1.01
			Jhenida	29—30	0.38	1.23
			Magura	29—30	0.37	1.11
			Bangaon	31	0.35	1.18
		Khulna	Satkhira	30—31	0.39	0.96
			Bagerhat	29—30	0.52	1.20
			Khulna	29—30	0.45	1.31
			Nakipur	11—12	0.07	0.80
			Rampal	10—11	0.24	1.06
		Patna	Patna	48—49	0.72	0.53
			Dinapore	31	0.68	0.43
			Bihar	30—31	0.74	0.71
			Barh	30—31	0.65	0.58
			Bikram	14—15	0.81	0.70
		Gaya	Hilsa	14—15	1.02	0.78
			Aurangabad	30—31	0.65	0.55
			Gaya	39—41	0.71	0.64
			Nawadah	30—31	0.70	0.63
			Jahanabad	28	0.71	0.61
		Shahabad	Arwal	15—16	0.82	0.74
			Daudnagar	14—16	0.61	0.53
			Sherghati	14—16	0.71	0.66
			Rajauli	12—16	0.64	0.68
			Pakri Parawan	15—16	0.73	0.48
Bihar	Patna	Shahabad	Buxar	31	0.79	0.49
			Dehri	17—18	0.59	0.52
			Lhabhua	30—31	0.69	0.69
			Sasaram	30—31	0.58	0.59
			Arrah	42—45	0.88	0.61
		Saran	Mohanea	14—16	1.19	0.47
			Ageaon	8—9	0.84	0.78
			Ramnagar	9	0.82	0.72
			Koath	9	0.66	0.86
			Sikroul	9	0.85	0.81
		Champanan	Bassowan	9	0.73	1.04
			Monaharpur	9	0.72	1.04
			Gopalganj	21—23	0.69	0.46
			Siwan	30—31	0.83	0.57
			Ekma	7—8	0.66	0.31
			Chapra	45—48	0.74	0.49
			Amnour	7—8	0.69	0.44
			Basantpur	7—8	0.71	0.34
		Muzaffarpur	Motihari	40—43	0.57	0.37
			Bettiah	29—30	0.67	0.48
			Bagaha	15—16	0.90	0.53
			Burharwa	15—16	0.72	0.34
			Sitamarhi	30—31	0.69	0.40
		Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	42—45	0.79	0.47
			Hajipur	29—30	0.77	0.58
			Paru	15—16	0.61	0.41
			Mahua	13—16	0.83	0.58
			Shiuhar	14—16	0.97	0.46
			Pupri	12—16	0.72	0.36

March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
1.78	3.21	6.82	11.22	9.83	10.19	7.44	4.01	0.84	0.14	57.30
1.82	3.90	7.85	13.17	11.62	11.22	9.00	5.30	1.18	0.15	63.70
1.90	3.23	6.69	11.93	10.29	10.90	8.88	4.44	0.88	0.10	60.90
2.10	3.67	8.11	11.75	10.61	9.47	8.13	3.87	0.88	0.10	60.17
1.47	2.45	6.15	10.33	10.86	11.57	8.78	4.56	0.62	0.21	58.53
1.92	2.93	6.20	11.69	12.35	11.82	9.12	4.79	0.66	0.21	63.04
1.62	2.98	7.06	14.47	14.53	12.40	9.91	5.38	0.88	0.19	71.09
1.79	2.87	6.61	13.06	12.28	11.78	9.37	4.47	0.72	0.20	64.91
0.94	1.92	5.64	12.42	12.62	12.17	9.16	5.65	1.10	0.08	62.57
1.18	2.42	6.75	12.19	13.71	13.42	10.18	5.77	1.27	0.07	68.26
0.35	0.30	1.70	7.76	11.41	10.72	7.82	2.89	0.20	0.14	41.54
0.33	0.22	1.56	7.98	12.33	11.66	7.30	3.14	0.22	0.17	46.02
0.36	0.28	1.89	7.01	12.90	11.26	6.73	2.50	0.19	0.11	44.68
0.34	0.17	1.93	6.17	12.35	10.47	7.57	2.36	0.18	0.09	42.86
0.32	0.36	1.70	8.79	13.14	11.27	6.93	2.95	0.30	0.06	47.33
0.48	0.35	1.72	8.53	12.30	11.86	6.83	2.15	0.07	0.04	46.13
0.39	0.22	1.19	6.33	12.82	13.52	6.64	2.47	0.25	0.27	45.30
0.45	0.27	1.08	6.78	12.30	11.08	6.87	2.32	0.27	0.17	42.94
0.44	0.23	1.59	6.93	12.07	11.42	6.84	2.24	0.16	0.16	43.41
0.34	0.18	1.32	6.22	12.26	13.00	6.13	2.72	0.25	0.13	43.87
0.41	0.13	1.42	5.82	12.53	9.98	7.18	2.24	0.16	0.28	42.71
0.20	0.06	0.85	6.33	12.48	11.40	5.60	1.81	0.26	0.28	40.41
0.52	0.08	0.74	6.46	10.49	11.59	6.92	2.82	0.09	0.17	41.25
0.63	0.32	1.26	7.48	12.61	12.02	6.73	2.19	0.24	0.23	45.08
0.44	0.08	1.18	6.35	13.00	11.46	6.03	1.62	0.10	0.23	41.70
0.28	0.14	0.80	5.36	11.72	11.03	6.98	2.97	0.38	0.19	41.13
0.53	0.10	0.82	6.53	11.64	12.92	6.46	2.49	0.23	0.32	43.20
0.47	0.13	0.85	5.40	12.28	12.33	6.72	2.57	0.54	0.28	43.35
0.36	0.15	0.96	5.58	11.76	12.49	6.84	2.79	0.27	0.23	42.60
0.47	0.17	1.47	6.96	13.35	10.59	8.23	2.77	0.21	0.13	46.05
0.09	0.33	0.47	6.79	13.80	13.20	8.37	2.70	0.28	0.45	46.14
0.11	0.14	0.80	9.16	13.76	9.22	8.36	2.69	0.39	0.13	46.38
0.09	0.13	0.74	7.18	13.15	10.37	7.57	1.86	0.21	0.08	42.92
0.27	0.13	0.37	5.98	13.18	11.62	6.63	1.75	0.43	0.23	42.11
0.16	0.05	0.90	5.43	11.48	11.37	6.08	1.64	0.45	0.17	39.39
0.14	0.05	0.32	6.00	14.04	12.04	7.27	3.86	0.23	0.19	46.21
0.23	0.23	0.67	6.90	12.10	12.51	6.16	2.89	0.47	0.17	44.09
0.23	0.24	2.42	6.86	12.38	10.81	8.01	3.58	0.14	0.14	45.96
0.26	0.27	1.62	7.24	11.83	11.51	8.62	3.07	0.17	0.11	46.10
0.06	0.22	0.76	9.09	10.45	11.83	8.22	2.07	0.25	0.07	43.99
0.38	0.32	1.35	6.66	11.29	9.73	7.22	2.63	0.25	0.09	41.15
0.05	0.21	1.44	9.28	12.38	11.74	8.85	2.76	0.14	0.04	48.02
0.00	0.51	1.73	8.58	12.28	10.35	8.26	1.91	0.29	0.13	45.09
0.49	0.67	2.65	8.90	12.49	12.24	9.46	3.38	0.12	0.13	51.47
0.45	0.60	2.73	8.79	13.98	12.23	10.36	3.25	0.04	0.17	53.75
0.45	0.61	3.01	11.40	16.35	14.01	11.16	3.82	0.22	0.14	62.60
0.35	0.50	2.06	8.27	12.04	12.78	8.58	2.66	0.07	0.16	48.53
0.57	1.10	2.65	8.79	12.54	9.61	9.15	2.79	0.07	0.10	48.16
0.43	0.47	2.41	7.26	11.90	10.60	8.17	2.92	0.12	0.07	45.61
0.42	0.28	1.76	7.43	12.23	10.77	7.73	3.39	0.15	0.08	45.59
0.26	0.42	2.08	6.38	12.38	12.50	8.91	2.01	0.08	0.11	46.15
0.20	0.38	2.16	7.25	13.22	11.98	7.58	2.52	0.15	0.06	46.91
0.37	0.41	2.13	7.21	10.48	10.15	8.18	3.13	0.17	0.14	43.80
0.43	0.76	2.85	7.57	11.48	11.38	7.49	1.48	0.00	0.10	44.62

Meteorological division.	Division.	District.	Station.	Year.	January.	February.
Bihar--contd. ...	Patna	Darbhanga	Tajpur (Samasti- pur).	30—31	0.73	0.46
			Darbhanga	30—31	0.65	0.45
			Madhubani	28—30	0.78	0.47
			Bahera	15—16	0.82	0.36
			Roserha	15—16	0.73	0.34
		Monghyr	Begusarai	30—31	0.69	0.70
			Monghyr	46—49	0.51	0.67
			Jamui	30—31	0.75	0.71
			Gogri	15—16	1.19	1.02
			Jamalpur	6	0.80	0.50
			Shaikpura	15—16	0.68	0.48
			Chakai Bayda	8—9	0.85	0.87
			Chupreon	7—8	0.39	0.26
			Gidhour	6—7	0.89	0.82
			Khargpur	6	1.00	0.47
	Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur	Madhipura	27—31	0.58	0.66
			Bargaon (Syfabad)	9—12	0.34	0.37
			Supaul	29—30	0.58	0.46
			Pratapganj	15—16	1.16	0.30
			Bhagalpur	46—47	0.55	0.68
			Banka	30—31	0.69	0.60
			Colgong	15—16	0.68	0.67
			Bansil	6	0.71	0.30
		Darjeeling	Siliguri	17—18	0.60	0.53
			Darjeeling	40—43	0.76	1.08
			Kalimpong	17—19	0.86	0.73
			Mongpoo	8	0.86	0.89
			Kurseong	17—18	0.88	1.01
			Pedong	7—8	1.01	1.09
	Purnea	Purnea	Kishanganj	29—30	0.63	0.47
			Araria	29—30	0.48	0.52
			Purnea	29—31	0.47	0.56
			Gondwara (Korah)	14—16	0.69	0.22
			Barsoe	8—9	0.15	0.32
			Forbesganj	8—9	0.47	0.46
			Kaliaganj	14—16	0.32	0.33
		Sonthal Par- ganas.	Rajmahal	29—30	0.37	0.41
			Godda	28—29	0.56	0.63
			Pakaur	24—25	0.55	0.45
			Naya Dumka	30	0.59	0.70
			Deoghur	31	0.55	0.71
			Jamtara	25—27	0.51	0.51
			Nanihat	14—16	0.38	0.61
			Assenboni	6—7	0.52	0.12
			Katikund	7	0.67	0.52
			Madhupur	6—7	0.66	0.45
			Sarwan	6—7	0.88	0.49
			Sarath	5—7	0.62	0.47
			Barkope	5—7	0.89	0.48
			Bhagya	6—7	0.81	0.58
			Mohespore	7	0.38	0.42
			Barharwa	6—7	0.71	0.53
			Sahibganj	6—7	0.89	0.40

March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total.
0.26	0.41	2.26	7.43	12.89	11.04	8.34	2.47	0.17	0.00	46.51
0.37	0.69	2.59	7.66	12.13	12.24	9.33	2.80	0.07	0.11	49.09
0.40	0.90	2.91	8.36	12.18	11.79	9.80	2.40	0.05	0.06	50.10
0.54	0.99	2.69	7.63	13.11	14.10	12.16	1.56	0.15	0.06	54.17
0.31	0.43	2.37	6.28	12.64	13.38	10.70	1.58	0.12	0.09	48.97
0.31	0.55	2.14	6.79	12.18	10.86	7.65	2.64	0.22	0.07	44.80
0.44	0.50	2.18	7.01	12.42	11.03	8.71	3.5	0.20	0.07	47.19
0.41	0.45	1.88	7.30	13.95	11.65	7.45	2.17	0.12	0.07	46.91
0.42	0.50	3.66	7.42	14.75	12.87	11.30	1.65	0.04	0.16	54.98
0.27	0.67	2.07	9.02	15.72	12.86	11.25	2.37	0.01	0.02	55.56
0.38	0.16	1.74	7.43	11.65	11.37	6.48	2.34	0.08	0.17	42.96
0.42	0.70	2.39	10.62	16.16	9.56	9.92	3.10	0.08	0.07	54.74
0.25	0.50	2.21	5.85	11.67	11.77	12.25	2.07	0.04	0.04	47.30
0.18	0.83	1.85	7.10	12.23	10.30	9.67	2.64	0.07	0.04	46.62
0.39	0.43	1.49	7.62	12.28	11.82	11.05	2.44	0.00	0.02	49.01
0.42	1.07	3.81	8.25	12.87	11.91	11.07	3.36	0.06	0.05	54.11
0.49	0.91	2.51	5.59	12.89	13.46	9.90	1.75	0.04	0.00	48.25
0.40	0.84	3.45	8.70	12.50	12.27	10.36	2.41	0.04	0.07	52.08
0.43	1.38	4.58	10.85	10.09	11.83	11.98	1.95	0.01	0.06	59.62
0.44	0.88	2.79	8.28	12.21	11.26	8.48	3.54	0.17	0.07	49.35
0.48	0.72	2.63	8.08	12.14	10.95	8.90	3.28	0.13	0.09	48.69
0.61	0.76	3.74	8.71	12.40	10.74	10.46	2.02	0.06	0.05	50.90
0.22	0.65	1.71	8.18	11.66	10.88	10.33	2.32	0.08	0.14	47.18
1.08	4.05	10.22	23.57	32.38	24.17	20.66	4.77	0.37	0.07	122.47
2.01	4.08	7.83	24.19	31.74	25.98	18.34	5.35	0.24	0.20	121.80
1.41	3.44	5.92	16.80	25.18	18.15	13.52	2.96	0.37	0.18	89.52
1.95	4.44	9.91	26.90	32.07	25.29	17.41	3.99	0.16	0.18	124.05
1.47	4.16	12.60	31.86	45.23	33.57	24.49	4.95	0.35	0.15	160.72
2.64	5.40	9.26	16.84	25.90	22.01	15.01	3.38	0.38	0.51	103.43
0.69	1.83	6.06	15.46	19.17	15.80	15.90	3.19	0.05	0.09	79.34
0.64	1.48	5.97	13.40	17.49	14.16	14.22	3.09	0.05	0.06	71.56
0.40	1.36	4.32	10.41	15.00	13.90	14.34	3.43	0.07	0.10	64.36
0.49	1.29	4.98	9.31	14.53	11.27	12.96	2.40	0.22	0.10	58.46
0.24	1.46	4.46	11.74	17.12	17.19	14.85	2.09	0.03	0.00	69.65
0.33	1.51	5.55	11.66	18.19	13.69	17.44	2.41	0.30	0.00	71.71
0.63	2.06	6.56	16.28	25.58	18.78	18.40	3.35	0.08	0.09	92.46
0.40	1.11	4.25	9.80	12.41	10.01	11.25	3.17	0.11	0.05	53.34
0.49	0.55	3.39	7.90	11.80	10.51	9.71	2.79	0.27	0.08	48.68
0.59	0.87	4.60	10.70	13.27	11.64	12.47	4.82	0.36	0.07	60.39
0.81	1.02	3.59	9.96	14.14	13.41	10.01	3.91	0.31	0.16	58.61
0.63	0.98	2.88	8.45	14.00	12.09	8.71	3.82	0.20	0.13	53.15
0.84	0.69	3.31	9.43	13.80	12.69	7.84	3.57	0.49	0.16	53.84
0.63	0.43	2.01	7.00	12.28	9.49	7.32	1.94	0.21	0.19	42.49
0.47	0.94	1.93	9.06	13.14	14.56	10.87	3.57	0.49	0.00	55.67
0.17	1.09	2.01	12.25	16.00	13.30	12.88	3.97	0.66	0.05	63.57
0.22	0.80	2.40	10.23	12.87	12.57	8.53	2.78	0.24	0.09	51.84
0.13	0.78	1.35	11.30	12.61	10.30	9.19	3.63	0.24	0.09	50.99
0.26	0.88	2.54	9.67	12.65	11.89	9.69	3.19	0.20	0.08	52.14
0.39	0.35	1.52	9.93	9.81	11.47	14.74	2.04	0.21	0.11	51.94
0.30	0.90	2.33	9.24	9.27	9.70	12.62	1.95	0.00	0.00	47.70
0.15	1.09	2.59	10.35	12.31	12.29	11.55	3.11	0.48	0.03	54.73
0.48	0.76	3.02	9.83	12.58	10.76	14.58	3.30	0.19	0.04	56.78
0.34	0.69	3.03	11.33	12.59	11.38	16.79	2.02	0.07	0.02	59.55

Meteorological division.	Division.	District.	Station.	Year.	January.	February.
Orissa	Orissa	Sambalpur ...	Sambalpur ...	40	0.53	0.58
			Bargarh ...	...	0.35	0.34
		Orissa Feudatory States.	Gangpur ...	18—19	0.43	1.27
			Jagatsingpur ...	28—30	0.31	0.86
		Cuttack ...	Banki ...	18	0.20	0.55
			Cuttack ...	40—43	0.33	0.49
			False Point ...	33—34	0.49	0.90
			Kendrapara ...	30—31	0.33	0.90
			Jajpur ...	28—31	0.31	1.06
			Dhamsala ...	15—16	0.29	0.70
			Salepur ...	14—16	0.16	0.42
		Balasore ...	Akhyapada ...	16—17	0.27	0.76
			Chandbali ...	27—28	0.36	1.01
			Bhadrak ...	30—31	0.31	1.27
			Soro ...	27—28	0.19	0.97
			Balasore ...	41—42	0.56	1.21
		Angul ...	Jellasore ...	27—28	0.44	1.01
			Angul ...	19—20	0.18	0.77
		Orissa Tribu- tary Mahals.	Bissipara ...	19—20	0.27	0.32
			Baramba ...	8—12	0.27	0.34
			Kunjabongarh ...	18—20	0.18	0.29
			Dhenkanal ...	19—20	0.24	0.64
			Keonjhor ...	18—20	0.18	0.56
			Anandapur ...	8—9	0.12	1.17
			Baripada ...	22	0.16	0.86
			Narsingpur ...	14—15	0.17	0.29
			Navagarh ...	7—8	0.02	0.79
			Pal Lahera ...	8—9	0.19	0.94
			Ranpur ...	7—8	0.05	0.72
			Talchar ...	19—20	0.18	0.77
Chota Nagpur	Chota Nagpur	Puri ...	Puri ...	42—46	0.25	0.99
			Khurda ...	30—31	0.25	0.53
			Bhanpur ...	21—22	0.26	1.20
			Gop ...	14—16	0.19	0.45
			Satpara ...	10—11	0.14	1.03
			Pipli ...	12—15	0.22	0.29
		Hazaribagh ...	Pachamba (<i>Giridih</i>) ...	28—31	0.52	0.76
			Hazaribagh ...	39—41	0.59	0.81
			Barhi ...	15—16	1.02	0.73
			Chatra ...	15—16	0.92	0.99
			Kharagdiha ...	15—16	0.58	0.83
		Ranchi ...	Kamgar ...	14—16	0.62	0.79
			Lohardaga ...	17	0.81	0.83
			Ranchi ...	43—45	0.69	1.08
			Silli ...	13—15	0.23	0.39
			Palkot ...	7—8	0.29	0.80
			Tamar ...	7—8	0.12	0.66
			Chainpur ...	6—7	0.57	1.16

March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
0.89	0.57	1.41	12.08	19.87	16.39	8.86	2.13	0.42	0.05	63.95
1.03	0.39	1.05	8.84	16.87	13.96	7.75	1.73	0.44	0.25	53.00
0.84	0.87	1.33	9.86	17.53	16.63	8.32	2.78	0.69	0.40	60.95
1.04	0.73	3.77	7.75	12.01	12.48	9.94	6.86	1.89	0.23	57.87
1.39	0.76	2.79	9.66	10.86	11.55	10.02	5.15	1.42	0.40	54.75
1.31	1.38	3.54	10.91	12.06	12.42	10.48	5.73	1.36	0.31	60.35
1.02	1.73	4.46	9.27	13.71	13.91	11.17	9.56	2.74	0.47	69.43
0.92	1.27	4.59	9.47	11.85	13.17	10.24	6.30	1.79	0.31	61.14
1.16	1.60	5.26	9.91	12.73	12.32	10.19	5.48	1.08	0.41	61.51
1.52	1.47	5.14	10.11	11.69	12.55	10.04	4.95	1.32	0.06	59.84
1.02	1.20	4.32	10.60	10.21	13.76	9.47	5.42	1.74	0.10	58.42
1.58	1.41	4.85	9.38	10.88	12.92	10.02	4.74	1.42	0.09	58.32
1.06	1.13	5.21	8.38	12.24	11.97	11.42	6.26	1.85	0.34	61.23
1.47	2.16	5.50	9.58	12.21	11.77	10.39	5.25	1.17	0.31	61.39
1.76	2.04	5.40	8.20	11.73	10.68	11.02	5.83	0.99	0.10	58.91
1.78	2.66	5.14	10.37	11.75	12.27	12.95	6.59	1.18	0.19	66.65
1.29	1.36	4.27	8.73	12.34	11.44	10.99	4.57	0.65	0.13	58.22
1.20	1.18	2.75	9.67	11.07	10.01	8.57	4.32	1.22	0.35	51.29
0.71	1.53	2.03	9.88	13.27	10.89	10.56	4.73	0.96	0.24	55.44
0.93	1.08	3.04	9.62	10.74	11.84	8.93	5.48	1.24	0.04	53.55
1.13	1.45	3.16	8.89	11.20	9.67	9.57	5.24	1.11	0.10	51.99
1.33	0.53	3.09	10.48	12.92	11.97	10.56	4.69	1.15	0.28	57.98
0.74	1.48	2.13	6.78	10.46	7.70	6.50	2.93	0.83	0.28	40.27
1.19	2.59	4.15	10.29	12.29	10.78	9.70	4.57	0.80	0.10	57.75
1.43	1.57	4.84	10.95	12.99	12.04	11.81	4.72	0.81	0.14	62.32
0.64	0.61	1.92	9.14	9.63	9.76	7.30	4.32	1.24	0.05	45.07
0.53	1.67	2.66	9.68	14.44	12.40	10.33	6.75	1.09	0.00	69.36
1.18	1.63	2.90	12.05	22.36	16.88	8.80	3.52	0.40	0.11	70.96
0.39	0.88	2.27	10.02	11.25	13.23	9.75	7.10	0.67	0.02	56.35
1.21	1.03	2.69	9.59	13.42	11.29	8.04	3.19	1.06	0.18	52.65
0.62	0.78	2.89	7.66	9.76	11.60	9.91	8.23	2.68	0.55	55.92
1.12	0.62	3.40	9.38	12.82	13.00	10.56	6.86	1.77	0.37	60.68
1.00	0.78	2.17	8.24	10.92	11.89	9.64	7.17	2.14	0.65	55.16
0.70	0.45	4.06	7.09	10.98	12.53	9.91	7.56	3.77	0.17	57.86
0.96	0.43	2.91	8.41	6.23	8.81	8.96	7.24	1.97	0.09	47.18
0.96	0.49	3.33	8.22	11.56	14.48	9.92	6.09	1.51	0.19	57.17
0.68	0.60	2.44	8.79	12.99	12.11	8.53	3.04	0.19	0.17	50.82
0.69	0.43	1.77	8.78	13.62	12.72	8.26	3.31	0.30	0.21	51.49
0.67	0.27	1.52	7.02	13.47	11.98	7.82	3.13	0.17	0.24	48.04
0.65	0.19	1.68	8.81	16.22	11.75	7.57	2.55	0.24	0.28	51.85
0.88	0.59	2.28	8.96	14.88	13.31	9.58	2.77	0.33	0.09	55.08
0.64	0.28	1.64	8.19	14.78	13.69	8.48	3.95	0.65	0.33	54.04
0.84	0.63	1.73	8.52	12.51	13.31	9.19	2.45	0.46	0.40	51.68
1.33	0.75	2.24	8.21	13.20	11.97	8.62	2.99	0.21	0.18	51.57
0.85	0.64	2.40	8.87	13.27	13.25	7.76	1.75	0.26	0.15	49.82
0.36	1.78	1.43	11.63	18.64	17.59	8.83	2.81	0.39	0.18	64.73
0.25	1.59	1.54	12.75	13.10	12.62	9.06	2.69	0.41	0.04	54.83
0.35	1.01	0.82	7.92	15.55	11.10	6.36	3.07	0.47	0.23	48.61

Meteorological division.	Division.	District.	Station.	Year.	January.	February.
Chota Nagpur— <i>concl'd.</i>	Chota Nagpur — <i>concl'd.</i>	Palamau ...	Palamau (<i>Dalton- ganj.</i>)	30—31	0·75	0·53
			Balumath	14—16	0·75	0·65
			Hussainabad	15—16	0·74	0·68
			Garhwa	15—16	1·03	0·66
		Manbhum ...	Purulia	35—38	0·44	1·02
			Gobindpur	29—31	0·59	0·89
			Raghunathpur	15—16	0·47	0·54
			Barahabhum	15—16	0·25	0·65
			Jhalda	13—16	0·49	0·80
			Chas	14—16	0·63	0·48
			Pandra	9	0·41	0·78
		Singhbhum ...	Chaibassa	30—31	0·51	0·96
			Chakradharpur	13—16	0·34	0·87
			Ghatsila	15—16	0·48	0·93
			Baharagura	15—16	0·11	0·72
			Gailkura	7—8	0·07	0·86
			Kalikapur	7—8	0·09	0·52
			Monaharpur	5—7	0·09	0·53

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The 11th February 1909.

March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
0.63	0.27	1.04	6.12	12.51	12.11	7.54	2.40	0.35	0.29	44.54
0.48	0.27	1.02	8.56	14.00	14.51	8.54	2.85	0.33	0.46	52.42
0.37	0.18	0.88	6.52	16.48	12.49	7.55	2.61	0.23	0.35	49.08
0.56	0.16	0.81	6.03	12.89	14.58	6.95	2.90	0.23	0.29	46.59
0.98	0.99	2.94	10.09	12.23	12.28	8.14	3.24	0.24	0.18	52.77
0.77	0.69	2.60	9.34	14.12	13.40	8.92	3.49	0.22	0.16	55.19
0.74	0.75	3.06	7.47	13.25	12.73	7.95	1.72	0.47	0.08	49.23
0.94	1.32	2.61	10.94	12.82	11.73	9.36	2.39	0.53	0.13	53.67
1.23	1.30	2.53	10.21	12.56	15.00	7.96	2.71	0.27	0.14	55.20
0.74	1.07	2.74	8.06	12.13	12.46	8.34	2.43	0.32	0.14	49.54
0.83	1.00	3.23	11.00	12.51	11.86	8.94	2.89	0.14	0.04	53.13
1.12	1.03	3.70	8.40	13.33	13.11	8.30	2.68	0.40	0.26	53.80
0.56	1.10	2.87	8.98	13.86	12.28	8.18	2.54	0.73	0.23	52.54
1.06	1.22	3.97	10.62	12.92	14.71	8.74	3.21	0.58	0.22	53.66
1.17	1.69	4.47	10.28	11.73	11.85	9.42	3.03	0.52	0.18	54.67
0.31	1.44	2.98	8.85	17.10	16.88	8.07	2.47	0.27	0.17	59.47
0.40	2.23	4.05	15.48	14.36	13.60	9.54	3.86	0.22	0.09	64.44
0.72	1.41	1.31	11.35	22.17	19.88	5.09	1.83	0.21	0.08	64.67

W. R. GOURLAY,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

District.		Station.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
Bihar—contd.	PATNA—contd.	Gopalsanj	+0.81	+0.30	-0.13	-0.24	-2.37	-3.95	-2.86	-3.81	+3.75	-3.88	-0.14	-0.14	-12.39
		Siwan	+0.40	+0.23	-0.26	-0.27	-1.62	-4.03	-6.01	+0.35	+1.14	-1.24	-0.17	-0.11	-14.71
		Bhama	+0.17	+0.71	+0.29	-0.28	-0.36	-5.38	-8.74	+6.01	+3.45	-1.30	-0.25	-0.07	-18.61
		Chhapra	+0.01	+0.84	-0.31	-0.38	-1.33	-4.47	-8.78	+5.05	+1.17	-2.16	-0.25	-0.09	-21.54
		Amor	+0.26	+0.05	-0.05	-0.21	-1.44	-6.58	-5.48	+7.32	+4.01	-0.07	-0.14	-0.04	-27.77
		Basantpur	+0.44	+0.08	+0.36	-0.31	-1.78	-6.35	-6.18	-0.50	-1.66	-0.79	-0.20	-0.13	-16.21
	CHAMPARAN	Motihari	-0.41	+0.18	-0.27	-0.27	-1.84	-5.14	-5.70	-9.44	-3.31	-2.14	-0.18	-0.13	-30.44
		Dehri	-0.40	-0.05	-0.25	-0.20	-3.38	-4.63	-5.01	-3.07	+1.90	-1.04	-0.04	-0.17	-17.71
		Katwa	-0.58	-0.20	+1.50	-0.61	-1.05	+0.25	-2.33	-2.27	+1.79	-3.67	-0.23	-0.14	-7.48
		Burhura	-0.44	+0.07	-0.19	-0.30	-1.97	-3.38	-6.32	-5.86	+4.34	-1.36	-0.07	-0.16	-13.84
	MUZAFFARPUR	Sitamarhi	-0.64	+0.10	+0.18	-1.00	+1.86	-6.90	-7.15	-6.71	-1.31	+0.42	-0.07	-0.10	-21.15
		Muzaffarpur	-0.46	+0.47	-0.20	-0.47	-2.19	-5.05	-6.35	-6.25	-4.31	-1.24	-0.18	-0.07	-25.14
		Hajipur	-0.08	+1.30	-0.29	-0.28	-1.26	-1.25	-4.22	-3.35	-2.42	-3.30	-0.15	-0.08	-15.42
		Paru	-0.21	+0.29	-0.28	-0.68	-1.56	-5.13	-5.53	-4.56	-3.30	-0.08	-0.11	-0.07	-17.60
Bihar—contd.	DARBHANGA	Mahua	+0.10	+0.09	-0.08	-0.36	-1.30	-3.05	-5.38	-2.11	-3.62	-0.15	-0.06	-0.14	-14.99
		Shihar	-0.05	-0.11	+0.18	-0.16	-0.45	-5.05	+2.80	-6.13	+1.45	-2.34	-0.07	-0.14	-11.47
		Puri	-0.73	+0.55	-0.22	-0.66	-0.34	-1.61	-1.26	-7.98	-4.78	-0.45	0	-0.10	-10.47
		Tajpur (S. mastipur)	+0.04	+1.38	-0.07	-0.41	-2.14	-5.79	-5.97	-7.49	-2.05	-2.38	-0.17	-0.05	-25.71
	MONGHYR	Darbhanga	-0.43	+0.72	-0.20	-0.35	-1.75	-3.37	-1.29	-7.71	+1.79	-2.80	-0.07	-0.06	-21.01
		Madhubani	-0.43	+0.08	-0.28	-0.38	-0.42	-4.74	-3.68	-10.78	-3.90	-0.90	-0.05	-0.06	-24.01
		Bahera	-0.43	+1.10	+0.24	-0.28	-3.17	-5.01	-5.10	-11.64	-5.12	-1.56	-0.15	-0.46	-34.17
		Roshera	+0.15	+1.61	-0.11	-0.43	-1.89	-3.82	-8.65	-6.87	-4.11	-1.46	-0.12	-0.03	-25.71
	KHAGALPUR	B. g. sarai	+0.25	+2.20	-0.15	-0.55	-0.13	-3.16	-5.00	-2.82	-2.15	-2.15	-0.32	-0.07	-11.15
		Madhyani	+0.55	+1.87	-0.38	-0.50	-0.54	-5.38	-8.71	-3.94	-2.00	-3.36	-0.20	-0.08	-20.08
		Jamui	-0.45	+0.91	-0.41	-0.45	+0.40	-5.04	-3.35	-5.03	-1.61	-1.30	-0.12	-0.07	-15.50
		Gogri	-0.50	+1.05	-0.10	-0.40	-2.34	-6.29	-7.80	-7.41	-9.74	-1.65	-0.04	-0.10	-34.00
Bihar—contd.	DARJEELING	Jamui	-0.10	+1.31	-0.28	-0.67	-0.93	-6.50	-11.74	-7.96	-5.71	-2.34	-0.01	-0.03	-34.40
		Shahpura	?	+1.67	-0.38	-0.16	+0.61	-6.46	-0.08	-8.36	+0.55	-3.34	-0.04	-0.17	-13.10
		Chakki Bamda	-0.73	+0.29	-0.35	-0.70	-0.04	-6.50	-3.71	-1.60	-4.51	-2.41	-0.08	-0.07	-20.40
		Chuprasa	-0.39	+1.10	-0.11	-0.50	-0.88	-4.00	-7.81	-9.12	-5.77	-0.90	-0.04	-0.01	-27.91
	KHAGALPUR	Gidhour	-0.89	+0.48	-0.18	-0.83	-0.16	-3.84	-3.40	-3.29	+1.26	-1.64	-0.07	-0.04	-12.71
		Khatagpur	-0.89	+0.81	-0.20	-0.43	-0.17	-4.13	-2.46	-4.44	-1.87	-1.80	?	-0.02	-18.81
		Madhipura	-0.63	+1.03	-0.30	-1.07	-0.67	-5.83	-10.30	-7.90	-4.08	-2.03	-0.03	-0.05	-30.21
		Jangson (Bylabad)	+0.31	+1.25	-0.49	-0.21	-0.51	-3.61	-7.81	-8.88	-2.23	-1.01	?	?	-28.07
	DARJEELING	Sapaul	-0.50	+1.08	-0.14	-0.81	+0.63	-5.17	-7.51	-8.88	-1.35	-0.04	-0.02	-0.02	-28.07
		Pratapganj	-0.09	+0.76	+0.17	-1.28	-1.08	-7.77	-6.40	-7.04	-8.33	-1.12	-0.01	0	-31.01
		Bhawalpur	-0.27	+1.12	-0.36	-0.88	-1.03	-5.66	-8.73	-7.41	-4.83	-2.78	-0.07	-0.07	-31.23
		Banka	-0.62	+4.33	-0.48	-0.72	-1.48	?	-3.05	-4.66	+3.07	-2.30	-0.13	-0.00	-13.20
Bihar—contd.	DARJEELING	Chong	-0.42	+1.10	-0.50	-0.76	-1.49	-3.25	-6.75	-8.01	-6.66	-0.77	-0.06	-0.05	-23.51
		Bansil	+0.26	-0.10	-0.04	-0.05	-0.08	-1.78	-5.50	-8.13	+4.15	-0.36	-0.08	-0.14	-7.40
		Riliguri	-0.27	-0.05	-0.27	-4.43	+7.84	-8.44	-15.37	+0.40	+1.43	-2.63	-0.37	-0.07	-17.57
		Darjeeling	+0.07	+0.11	+0.65	-2.81	+2.41	-6.07	-0.91	-0.69	-3.30	-4.44	-0.24	-0.20	-31.11
	PURNIA	Kalimpong	-0.60	-0.02	+1.03	-2.83	+4.45	-5.91	-4.04	-5.32	-6.54	-1.96	-0.37	-0.18	-20.01
		Mouppon	+0.27	+1.05	+0.78	-0.46	+0.16	-14.83	-1.17	-8.75	+0.40	-3.01	-0.10	-0.18	-25.81
		Kurseong	-0.15	-0.68	-0.10	-3.42	+2.50	-6.58	+1.08	-8.06	-1.34	-3.35	-0.36	-0.15	-22.01
		Pedong	-0.62	-0.44	+1.03	-2.14	+2.06	+2.92	-3.26	-3.25	-4.00	-1.42	+0.7	-0.51	-9.77
	PURNIA	Kishanganj	-0.22	+0.71	+0.84	-1.53	-0.93	-10.65	-11.00	-10.24	-11.09	-2.89	-0.05	-0.09	-47.11
		Araria	-0.12	+1.05	+0.19	+0.11	-1.93	-0.81	+1.04	-7.53	-4.58	-1.98	-0.03	-0.03	-34.14
		Purnia	+0.35	+0.86	-0.36	-0.60	-1.05	-5.25	-6.78	-11.42	-10.41	-3.12	-0.67	-0.10	-33.34
		Gondwana (Korah)	-0.13	+0.28	-0.49	-1.29	+0.10	-4.69	-10.49	-7.74	-6.75	-2.27	-0.22	-0.10	-30.40
Bihar—contd.	SONBHIL PAR. GANAJ.	Barnes	+0.60	+0.41	-0.14	-1.46	-2.38	-5.30	-0.10	-15.04	-13.15	-0.09	-0.03	?	-32.91
		Poonchuanj	-0.13	+1.98	+0.78	-0.14	-1.06	-9.27	-7.24	-4.90	-11.48	-0.45	+0.03	-0.09	-57.90
		Kalaganj	-0.32	-0.33	-0.63	-1.06	+0.24	-8.13	-19.13	-14.38	-9.40	-3.95	-0.08	-0.09	-67.90
		Rajmahal	-0.07	+2.20	-0.30	-1.09	-0.71	-5.74	-5.53	-2.46	-6.69	-2.19	+0.30	-0.05	-30.65
	SONBHIL PAR. GANAJ.	Godda	-0.50	+0.65	-0.20	-0.37	-0.38	-4.21	-3.60	-3.80	-4.32	-2.42	-0.27	-0.08	-16.09
		P. Kaur	-0.13	+0.17	-0.59	-0.01	-3.77	-3.07	-3.64	-6.33	-4.08	-4.82	-0.36	-0.07	-21.94
		Naga Juma	-0.07	+0.72	-0.78	-1.02	-2.38	+3.45	+0.02	-2.67	-4.64	-3.91	-0.31	-0.16	-11.70
		Deoghar	-0.23	+0.47	-0.59	-0.98	+0.08	-1.45	-0.64	-7.45	+0.31	-2.05	-0.13	-0.13	-13.89
	SONBHIL PAR. GANAJ.	Jamtara	+0.13	-0.06	-0.42	-0.50	-0.26	+3.30	-2.68	-0.89	+1.15	-3.45	-0.49	-0.16	-10.81
		Namhat	+0.73	-0.08	-0.63	-0.43	-1.30	+3.73	+5.35	+7.91	+0.04	-1.94	-0.21	-0.19	+16.89
		Assamboni	?	?	?	?	+1.30	+5.64	+2.79	-6.31	?	-2.27	-0.40	?	-20.32
		K. Titund	-0.22	+0.04	-0.14	-1.09	-0.04	-1.20	-3.68	-5.74	-3.97	-0.66	-0.05	-0.09	-20.32
Bihar—contd.	NAMBALPUR	Madhupur	+0.19	+0.88	-0.02	-0.60	-0.45	-4.21	+2.05	-4.44	-0.21	-1.84	-0.22	-0.09	-9.32
		Siwan	-0.67	+0.72	-0.13	-0.48	?	-2.04	+1.89	-5.00	-2.84	-3.14	-0.23	-0.09	-13.66
		Sarath	+0.20	+0.03	-0.26	-0.84	-0.04	-1.30	+0.21	-5.02	-3.04	-2.09	-0.20	-0.08	-13.83
		Goorya	?	?	?	?	?	-3.27	-2.31	-5.22	-7.10	-1.62	-0.21	?	-16.01
	NAMBALPUR	Bhuga	+0.57	-0.26	+0.20	-0.90	+0.26	-3.08	-5.22	-7.14	-5.25	+2.45	-0.48	-0.03	-30.84
		Mohor	+0.04	+1.30	-0.10	-1.09	-0.73	+1.07	-2.76	-4.23	-7.19	-2.37	-0.19	-0.04	-10.67
		Barharwa	-0.33	+0.45	-0.40	-0.70	-0.70	-2.17	-2.07	-1.07	-1.02	-2.37	-0.19	-0.04	-10.67
		Sahlganj	-0.57	+3.08	-0.23	-0.69	-0.70	-3.29	-1.33	-4.62	-13.03	+0.33	-0.07	-0.02	-21.96
	NAMBALPUR	Sambhalpur	-0.19	-0.58	-0.89	-0.54	-1.11	-3.45	+11.23	+13.39	-1.41	-1.65	-0.42	-0.25	+14.11
		Barharwa	+0.41	-0.22	-1.01	-0.38	-0.46	-0.68	+1.28	+16.39	-1.78	+0.63	-0.45	-0.25	+13.70
Bihar—contd.	URIA PRUDATORY STATION.	Gangpur	+0.69	-0.46	-0.84	-0.82	-0.71	-3.37	+0.68	+5.63	-2.71	-1.85	-0.00	-0.40	+4.61
		Jazatsingpur	+0.64	-0.80	-0.74	-0.73	-2.39	+11.76	+2.87	+6.93	-1.11	-5.61	-1.89	-0.23	+8.61
		Banki	+1.17	-0.55	-1.10	-0.34	-1.61	+6.62	-1.60	+12.22	-1.51	-2.87	-1.42	-0.40	+8.61
		Outback	+0.04	-0.49	-0.78	-1.38	-1.85	+5.21	-1.00	+14.68	+0.01	-4.52	-1.36	-0.34	+0.60
	UTTAR	False point	+1.03	-0.90	+1.00	-1.73	-1.08	+0.67	-0.41	+2.66	-2.08	-7.46	-2.74	-0.47	-14.61
		Kendrapara	+1.80	-0.90	+1.20	-1.27	-3.40	+4.25	-1.74	-3.68	-3.63	-6.83	-1.79	-0.31	-15.60
		Jaipur	+0.44	-1.06	+0.87	-1.32	-3.44	+1.79	-1.75	+8.77	-7.04	-3.08	-1.08	-0.41	-7.61
		Dharmasala	+0.65	+0.70	-0.91	-1.17	-3.72	+2.12	+2.00	+2.30	-4.78	-2.43	-1.32	-0.00	-7.94
	BALASORE	Kalepur	+0.90	-0.42	+0.04	-1.20									

Meteorological Division.	DISTRICT.	STATION.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
CHINA—continued.	Puri ...	Puri ...	+0.08	-0.08	-0.08	-0.78	+0.08	+4.18	-2.81	+7.09	-0.55	-5.29	-2.67	-0.88	-1.94
		Khurda ...	+1.07	-0.28	-1.12	-0.68	-0.24	+1.00	-1.91	+6.67	+1.38	-6.21	-1.77	-0.37	-2.95
CHINA—continued.	Puri ...	Bhanpur ...	+2.21	-1.28	-0.58	-0.78	-1.19	+0.72	+0.78	+5.00	-1.11	-5.04	-2.14	-0.85	-5.88
		Gop ...	+1.08	-0.48	+0.01	-0.48	-0.68	+0.18	+2.11	+6.17	+0.80	-3.56	-3.77	-0.17	+11.45
CHINA—continued.	Puri ...	Satpara ...	+0.78	-1.08	-0.98	-0.48	-2.20	-0.87	-2.19	+11.87	+1.08	-4.18	-1.97	-0.01	+0.07
CHINA—continued.	Hasaribagh ...	Pachamba (Giri-dih) ...	-0.18	+2.14	-0.23	-0.60	-1.55	-2.58	-4.67	+1.04	-0.29	-2.74	-0.19	-0.17	-0.14
		Hasaribagh ...	-0.28	+2.28	-0.10	-0.43	-0.06	+0.01	+0.06	-3.78	-4.80	-1.48	-0.20	-0.21	-4.14
CHINA—continued.	Hasaribagh ...	Bachi ...	-0.48	+3.48	-0.67	-0.27	-0.88	+2.28	+0.24	-3.74	-5.58	-3.17	-0.17	-0.21	-2.20
		Chattri ...	-0.71	+1.67	-0.59	-0.19	-1.28	-0.21	-0.20	-1.58	-3.88	+0.68	-0.24	-0.28	-12.81
CHINA—continued.	Hasaribagh ...	Kharagdiha ...	-0.48	+0.24	-0.28	-0.28	-0.69	-5.40	-2.11	-7.78	-4.99	-2.77	-0.28	-0.09	-25.08
		Ramgar ...	+0.23	+3.67	-0.64	-0.28	-0.89	+1.24	-0.04	-0.88	-4.01	-5.35	-0.85	-0.28	-7.80
CHINA—continued.	Ranchi ...	Lohardaga ...	-0.08	+1.10	-0.63	-0.63	-0.49	-5.40	+0.11	-2.24	-5.75	-0.27	-0.46	-0.40	-17.41
		Ranchi ...	+0.08	+0.25	-1.33	-0.75	+0.05	+1.04	+0.49	+2.14	+0.01	-2.29	-0.21	-0.18	+2.84
CHINA—continued.	Ranchi ...	Billi ...	+0.20	+0.84	-0.88	-0.64	+1.38	-0.20	-1.86	+1.20	-0.78	-1.85	-0.28	-0.15	-2.86
		Palikot ...	+0.29	+0.29	-0.20	-1.78	-0.16	+1.24	+1.72	+12.88	+2.28	+1.29	-0.29	-0.18	+18.47
CHINA—continued.	Ranchi ...	Tamar ...	-0.18	+0.39	-0.25	-1.89	+0.29	-0.47	-1.24	?	-2.80	-2.80	-0.41	-0.04	-5.85
		Chainpur ...	+0.71	+1.71	+0.16	-0.99	+0.16	-4.16	-0.04	+7.14	+4.28	-2.06	-0.47	-0.21	-2.48
CHINA—continued.	Palamau ...	Palamau (Dalton-ganj) ...	-0.28	+2.29	-0.27	-0.27	-1.08	-5.00	-1.27	-0.88	-4.09	+0.26	-0.26	-0.29	-11.29
		Kalunath ...	-0.78	+4.58	+1.17	-0.27	-1.08	-1.06	-0.25	-2.94	-3.48	-2.85	-0.23	-0.48	-10.23
CHINA—continued.	Palamau ...	Kalunath ...	+0.06	+1.68	-0.27	-0.18	-0.88	-0.28	-0.28	-4.99	-0.58	-2.61	-0.26	-0.25	-21.00
		Garhwa ...	+0.14	+2.78	-0.27	-0.16	-0.70	-2.58	-3.89	-7.49	+3.00	-1.84	-0.23	-0.21	-11.60
CHINA—continued.	Manbhum ...	Purulia ...	+0.20	-0.48	-0.98	-0.99	+0.63	-2.11	+1.68	+3.48	+0.01	-1.06	-0.24	-0.17	-0.78
		Gobindpur ...	+0.27	+0.16	-0.80	-0.89	-0.10	+0.49	+0.58	+1.04	-2.29	-2.64	-0.22	-0.16	-0.40
CHINA—continued.	Manbhum ...	Raghunathpur ...	+0.04	+0.89	-0.74	-0.78	-1.28	+1.25	+2.75	-1.86	-5.21	-1.73	-0.47	-0.08	-7.01
		Brahmabhum ...	+1.08	+0.08	-0.94	-1.23	+1.21	+2.25	+1.49	-2.09	-7.08	-2.00	-0.53	-0.18	-6.91
CHINA—continued.	Manbhum ...	Jhaisa ...	+0.71	+0.88	-1.23	-1.20	-0.75	-0.07	-1.26	-2.22	-2.28	-0.91	-0.27	-0.14	0.90
		Chas ...	-0.08	+0.82	-0.68	-1.07	-0.29	-1.17	-6.29	+2.48	-0.23	-2.08	-0.28	-0.14	-6.21
CHINA—continued.	Manbhum ...	Pandra ...	+0.29	+0.18	-0.04	-1.00	-1.10	+0.28	+2.08	+0.47	-1.27	-1.80	-0.16	-0.04	-2.18
CHINA—continued.	Singbhum ...	Chabassa ...	+0.19	-0.88	-1.12	-1.08	-0.06	+2.23	-6.09	+4.89	-0.08	-1.79	-0.40	-0.28	-4.16
		Chakradharpur ...	-0.20	-0.87	-0.86	-1.10	?	-8.27	+0.28	-2.79	-0.08	-0.73	-0.28	-0.23	-6.44
CHINA—continued.	Singbhum ...	Chasolia ...	-0.09	-0.93	-1.06	-1.28	-0.07	?	-1.04	+0.80	-0.28	-2.25	-0.28	-0.23	-5.28
		Baharagura ...	+0.42	-0.72	-1.17	-1.69	0	-8.4	+0.14	+0.86	-2.28	-2.28	-0.22	-0.18	-2.21
CHINA—continued.	Singbhum ...	Galkura ...	+0.23	-0.28	-0.13	-1.44	-1.08	-0.08	+2.25	+11.70	-1.18	-2.23	-0.27	-0.17	+12.20
		Kalkapur ...	+0.28	-0.22	-0.41	-2.28	-1.01	-2.09	-3.15	+2.23	-3.01	-1.47	-0.23	-0.09	-12.26
CHINA—continued.	Singbhum ...	Monaharpur ...	?	-0.47	-0.66	-1.21	+0.21	+1.04	-7.01	+11.96	+1.26	-1.70	-0.21	-0.08	+4.67

DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,

The 23rd February 1909.

W. R. GOURLAY,

Off. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 20th February 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.*

NATURE OF CARGO.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 20TH FEBRUARY 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 22ND FEBRUARY 1908.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	814	4,47,490	3,792	938	2,91,176	4,694
Jute	113	57,750*	854	252	84,018†	1,440
Firewood	44	54,825	779	73	63,360	925
Other articles	747	1,98,250	2,491	1,110	3,25,353	4,022
Total.	1,718	7,58,315	7,916	2,373	7,63,847	11,081

* Weight by canal measurement, 58,437½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 95,500 "

CALCUTTA,
The 23rd February 1909.

AMAR NATH DAS,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters.

			QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN																	
DIVISION.	Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			COMMON RICE.						JOWAR OR OHOLUM (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>).			BAJRA OR CUMBU. (<i>Pennisetum typhoid- eum</i>).		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Average.			Cheapest.			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
									Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.						
BENGAL.			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BURDWAN DIVISION.	1	Burdwan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	7 0	9 0	9 0	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Birbhum ...	7 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	New 9 0	New 9 0 Old 7 8	6 12	New 9 0 Old 7 8	6 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Bankura ...	7 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	9 8	8 4	17 4	10 0	8 12	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4	Midnapore ...	6 0	7 0	6 8	...	...	...	10 12	10 12	7 6	11 7	10 12	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5	Hooahly ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 7	6 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Howrah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	6 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
PREMANGUT DIVISION.	7	24-Parganas ...	7 8	7 4	7 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Calcutta ...	7 0	7 0	6 8	12 0	11 4	8 0	7 0	6 14	6 0	9 8	9 0	8 0	...	...	...	13 0	11 0	7 0
	9	Nadia ...	Not available.	6 0	9 0	...	...	...	8 6	8 6	6 6	8 14	9 0	6 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	10	Murshidabad ...	8 0	7 8	8 12	13 0	12 8	12 8	7 12	7 8	7 4	9 4	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11	Jessore ...	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 4	7 3	7 5	9 0	9 6	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	12	Khulna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
BIHAR.																				
PATNA DIVISION.	13	Patna ...	8 0	8 8	7 4	17 4	16 8	10 8	9 0	9 0	7 6	10 4	10 0	7 12	16 0	...	8 14	...	...	...
	14	Gaya ...	7 8	7 8	6 8	13 0	13 0	8 0	Not reported.	9 0	6 8	9 10	9 8	7 2	14 9	14 4	8 0	...	...	...
	15	Shahabad ...	8 0	8 8	7 8	14 0	13 0	Not sold.	9 0	9 0	7 10	9 4	9 8	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	16	Saran ...	8 0	8 4	6 12	16 0	16 0	10 8	9 0	8 0	7 0	11 0	9 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	17	Champanan ...	8 0	8 0	6 8	16 8	15 8	12 0	8 0	8 0	7 2	9 4	9 8	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	18	Muzaffarpur ...	8 8	8 0	6 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	9 8	9 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Darbhanga ...	7 11	8 8	6 9	15 6	15 6	11 0	7 11	6 8	6 9	8 12	8 0	8 12	...	...	...	...	...	...

- A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 20½ seers; Asansol 21 seers; Kalna 22½ seers; Raniganj 21 seers.
 B. At Rampur Hat the retail price of salt is 22 seers per rupee.
 C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 22 seers per rupee (panga).
 D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contal 20 seers; Tamluk 20 seers; Ghatal 22½ seers.
 E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 20 seers; Arambagh 16 seers.
 F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 20 seers per rupee (panga).
 G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 22½ seers (karkatch); Barasat 16 seers; Baduria 21½ seers; Mograhat 21 seers; Barrackpore 16 seers.
 H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushia 21 seers (panga); Jhudadanga 16 seers (karkatch); Meherpur 20 seers (karkatch); Managhat 17 seers (crushed).

Station Basars of the districts of Bengal on the 15th February 1909.

SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.																		WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS.			Number.
MARUA OR RAGI (Eleusine Corocana).			KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica).			GRAM, UHANA, ORHOLA, KADALAY OR HUNAGA (Pisum arvense).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (Zea mays).			ARHAR (dal) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (Cajanus indicus).			SALT.			SALT.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	10 0	6 8	7 0	21 0	21 0	20 8	1 12 8	1 12 0	1 12 0	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	7 12	5 4	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	6 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 15 0	2 15 0	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	8 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 0	6 8	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	3
...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0 to 8 0	8 0 to 8 8	7 0 to 8 0	...	...	...	7 0	6 0	17 0	D Bombay 19 0 Crushed 20 0	10 0 11 8 20 0	11 8	1 14 0	Bombay Crushed 1 14 0	1 12 0	4
...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	7 8	7 0	...	...	...	6 8	5 8	6 0	20 0	20 0	17 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 3 0	5
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	9 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	7 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	6
...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	8 0	8 12	...	...	...	8 0	7 8	7 12	24 0	24 0	25 0	1 9 6	1 9 0	1 9 6	7
...	...	...	8 12	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 0	8 0	12 0	11 0	8 6	7 0	6 8	7 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	1 9 6	1 15 0	1 10 0	8
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 14	9 0	8 0	...	...	...	6 2	6 0	6 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 14 0	9
...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	8 4	8 12	...	...	...	8 0	7 8	7 0	21 0	21 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	10
...	8 0	8 0	8 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	22 8	21 0	20 0	1 12 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	11
...	8 0	8 0	7 4	6 8	6 8	7 4	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 6 0	12
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13 0	12 0	11 0	8 0	10 0	9 8	7 12	14 8	14 4	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 0	M	20 0	20 0	19 8	2 0 0	2 0 0	14
...	10 0	10 4	9 0	13 0	14 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	6 12	N	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	15
15 0	Not available	10 0	Not available.	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	15 0	15 0	9 0	9 8	9 12	8 0	21 0	O	21 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 8	1 15 0	16
15 0	15 0	11 8	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	10 0	15 4	15 8	9 4	8 0	8 0	6 8	P	17 0	17 0	17 0	2 4 9	2 4 9	17
12 0	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	9 0	8 0	8 0	15 0	14 12	9 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	Q	19 0	19 0	18 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	18
13 8	13 8	11 0	...	...	...	8 12	9 4	7 11	14 4	13 8	11 0	8 12	8 8	6 0	R	19 12	19 12	19 12	2 0 3	2 0 3	19

I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 20 seers; Lalbagh 20 seers; and Kandi 20 seers.

J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 18½ seers; Magura 16 seers; Bangaon 21 seers; and Narail 14½ seers (panga).

K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 16 seers (panga); Satkhira 22½ seers.

L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 20 seers; Dinapore 17 seers; and Bihar report not received.

M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Aurangabad 20 seers; Jehannabad 20 seers; and Nawadah 20 seers.

N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 20 seers; Bhahua 19½ seers; and Sasaram 20 seers.

O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 21½ seers (panga); Gopalganj 19½ seers (panga).

P. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 19 seers per rupee.

Q. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sitamarhi report not received; Hajipur 18½ seers.

R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 20 seers; Madhubani 19½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

		QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN																		
DIVISION.	Number.	DISTRICTS	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			COMMON RICE.						JOWAR OR CHOLUM (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>)			BAJRA OR CUMBU (<i>Pennisetum typhoid.</i> sum).		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Average.			Cheapest.			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
									Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.						
BIHAR—concluded.			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BHAGALPUR Division.	20	Monghyr ...	8 12	8 12	7 0	12 0	11 0	Not sold.	8 6	7 9	7 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	21	Shahjpur ...	8 3	8 3	6 10	13 4	13 4	11 6	7 4	7 4	7 9	8 14	8 14	8 3	...	...	...	...	...	...
	22	Fa pa ...	7 8	7 8	7 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 0	7 8	7 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	23	Darjeeling ..	5 8	5 8	6 0	6 0	5 8	6 0	7 0	6 0	5 0 to 6 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	24	Ronthal Parganas.	7 0	7 0	6 0	9 0	10 0	7 0	8 15	8 8	7 0	9 13	9 12	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
ORISSA.																				
ORISSA Division.	25	Cuttack ..	6 14	6 14	7 14	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	7 10	10 8	10 8	7 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	26	Balasore ..	7 2	7 8	7 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	8 8	12 0	12 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	27	Angul ...	5 0	5 0	5 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	8 0	15 0	15 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	28	Puri ...	7 8	7 3	7 14	...	...	...	9 8	9 13	7 8	10 8	10 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	29	Sambalpur...	7 8	7 8	7 12	...	...	...	11 8	11 12	8 8	12 0	12 4	9 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR																				
CHOTA NAGPUR Division.	30	Hasaribagh	6 12	6 12	6 8	9 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 4	9 0	8 8	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	31	Ranchi ...	6 4 to 6 8	6 12 to 7 0	6 8 to 7 4	10 0 to 10 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	6 8	9 8	9 12	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	32	Palamau ...	6 12	7 5	6 12	...	13 8	...	6 12	7 14	7 5	9 9	9 4	8 7	...	...	...	...	...	...
	33	Manbhum ..	7 8	7 0	7 0	10 0	11 0	8 0	10 0	9 8	7 0	11 0	11 0	7 8	...	...	...	12 0	10 0	...
	34	Stagbhum	7 0	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	6 0	9 8	9 8	6 8	...	...	...	...	...	...

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai 20 seers; Jamal 20 seers.
 T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 17½ seers; Madhipura 13 seers; Supaul report not received.
 U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 18 seers; Basantpur 18 seers.
 V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 15 seers; Siliguri 16 seers.
 W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Gudga 16 seers; Deoghur 20 seers; Pakour 20 seers; Rajmahal and Jamtara reports not received.

CALCUTTA.

The 20th February 1909.

Station Basars of the districts of Bengal on the 15th February 1909—concl'd.

SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLARS.

SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLARS.																		WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS.						Number.
MARUA OR RAGI (Eleusine Coracana).			KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica).			GRAM, UHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAG (Cicer arvense).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (Zea mays).			ARHAR (dal) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (Cajanus indicus).			SALT.			SALT						
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.				
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.				
...	10 8	10 0	8 8	13 8	13 0	8 8	7 4	7 4	6 4	20 0	18 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	20			
...	9 8	9 7	8 14	13 14	13 14	9 2	7 8	7 8	7 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	1 14 3	1 14 3	1 14 7½	21			
...	7 8	7 8	8 0	11 0	12 0	10 0	6 8	6 8	5 4	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	22			
11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	7 0	6 8	6 8	14 0	14 0	11 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	14 0	13 0	13 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	23
...	8 8	8 8	7 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	8 8	8 8	6 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	24			
...	Biri or kalai.			...	...	...	10 8	10 8	11 2½	22 0	22 0	22 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	25			
...	Chhola.			...	...	...	6 0	6 8	7 0	21 0	21 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	26			
...	Biri.			...	...	...	11 0	13 0	10 8	16 0	15 0	15 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	27			
...	9 0	9 0	8 0	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	10 8	16 0	16 0	15 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	27			
...	9 8	9 13	8 13	...	...	...	7 3	6 9	6 9	26 0	26 0	24 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 10 0	28			
...	7 4	7 4	7 8	...	...	...	to to to			6 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	29			
4 0	14 0	8 8	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	7 8	12 0	12 8	8 4	6 4	6 0	6 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	30
7 0	17 0	10 0	8 8	8 8	to to to			12 0	11 0	8 0	to to to			16 0	16 0	17 0	2 8 0	6 0	2 3 0	31	
...	10 2	10 2	8 7	12 6	14 1	8 7	7 5	7 5	6 12	18 9	19 11	18 9	...	...	...	32			
...	8 12	8 12	8 0	...	...	10 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	18 0	18 0	16 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 2 0	33			
...	8 0	8 0	7 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 2 0	34			

X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 18 seers (panga) ; Jajpur 16 seers.

Y. The retail price of salt at Bhadrak is 19 seers.

Z. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bantla 16 seers (karkatch) ; Phulbani not reported.

a. The retail price of salt at Khurda is 24 seers.

b. The retail price of salt at Bargarh is 13 seers (Bombay).

c. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Dhanbaid 16 seers ; Jhalda 16 seers.

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., in

Number.	MARKS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF											
		RICE (BEST SORT).			COMMON RICE.						WHEAT (<i>Triticum sativum</i>).		
					Average.			Cheapest.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	6 14 0	7 0 0	7 4 0	5 6 0	5 8 0	6 4 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 12 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0
2	Burdwan ..	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 15 0	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ...	5 0 0	5 4 0	6 8 0	...	4 0 0	5 4 0	3 9 0	3 13 0	5 2 0	...	...	...
4	Patna ...	7 4 0	7 4 0	7 10 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	5 6 0	3 12 0	3 15 0	5 2 0	4 15 0	4 10 0	5 8 0
5	Muzaffarpur ..	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 14 0	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6	4 3 6	4 7 0	5 0 0	4 11 6	5 0 0	6 2 6
6	Bhagalpur ..	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 4 0	5 9 6	5 9 6	5 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 14 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	6 0 0
7	Cuttack ...	7 3 0	7 3 0	7 3 0	3 12 11	3 12 11	5 3 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	5 1 3	6 13 9	5 13 9	5 1 3
8	Sambalpur ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	3 5 6	3 4 0	4 7 0	3 1 6	3 2 6	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0
9	Ranchi ...	5 12 0	5 12 0 to 6 10 0	8 0 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	6 1 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	5 9 0	6 0 0 to 6 2 0	5 12 0 to 6 0 0	5 6 0 to 5 14 0

No.	MARKS.	INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (<i>Zea mays</i>).			ARHAR DAL OR TUR— CADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).			LINSEED.			MUSTARD AND RAPSEED.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	3 0 0	3 4 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 12 0	6 10 0
2	Burdwan ...	...	...	...	4 0 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	6 8 0	6 12 0	6 12 0
3	Midnapore ...	...	...	...	5 4 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	Black mustard. Rapseed. 5 8 0 5 8 0 8 0 0 5 4 0 5 0 0 6 12 0		
4	Patna ...	2 8 0	2 7 0	4 5 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	8 8 0
5	Muzaffarpur ...	2 10 0	2 12 0	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur ...	2 14 0	2 14 0	4 6 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 13 0	Mustard. Rapseed 5 12 0 5 12 0 5 12 0 4 8 0 4 8 0 6 4 0		
7	Cuttack ...	...	...	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 9 0	...	...	...	6 18 0	6 18 0	6 18 0
8	Sambalpur ...	...	...	...	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 4 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	9 0 0
9	Ranchi ...	...	...	...	5 5 0 to 8 0 0	5 5 0 to 8 0 0	6 12 0 to 8 0 0	5 0 0	6 8 0	10 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	8 0 0

the undermentioned Mats of Bengal on the 15th February 1909.

FORTY STANDARD SEERS.

BARLEY (<i>Hordeum vulgare</i>).			JWAR OR CHOLUM (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>).			BAJRA OR COMBU (<i>Pennisetum typhoides</i>).			MARUA OR RAGI (<i>Echinochloa oryzana</i>).			GRAM, CHANA, CHOLA, KADALAT, OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer arifinum</i>).			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
3 0 0	3 2 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 2 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 12 0	4 13 0	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 0 to 5 0 0	4 12 0 to 5 0 0	4 12 0 to 5 4 0	3
2 5 0	2 6 0	3 12 0	...	...	4 7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 9 0	4 8 0	4
3 5 3	3 5 3	3 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 10 0	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5
3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 8 0	6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Biri or kalai.			7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 5 7	4 5 7	4 5 4	8
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 8 0 to 5 0 0	9

TIL OR JINJILI SEED.			SUGAR (RAW).			COTTON (CLEANED).			JUTE.			No.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
5 2 0	5 4 0	6 12 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	19 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	1
...	...	...	5 8 0	5 0 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
...	...	...	7 12 0	6 8 0 to 7 8 0	5 4 8 to 5 8 0	20 0 0 to 21 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0 to 23 0 0	...	...	...	3
5 8 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	18 0 0	18 8 0	19 4 0	...	...	5 0 0	4
...	...	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 4 0	19 0 0	19 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...	6
6 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 3 9	5 3 9	5 3 9	20 5 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	7
5 0 0	4 12 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	5 4 0	8
...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	9

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., in

Number.	MARKS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.									HIDES (COW).			GRASS.		
		GHI (CLARIFIED BUTTER).			TOBACCO LEAF.											
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.						
1	Calcutta ...	41 0 0	41 0 0	43 0 0	8 4 0	8 4 0	8 0 0	400 0 0	380 0 0	400 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0	1 8 0			
2	Burdwan ...	35 0 0	34 0 0	40 0 0	Madhukhali.			Uncleaned per piece.			...	—	—			
3	Midnapore ...	37 0 0	37 0 0	38 0 0	18 8 0	12 0 0	9 4 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	—	...			
		to 40 0 0	to 40 0 0	to 42 0 0	Pakta.			to 3 8 0	to 3 12 0	to 3 12 0						
4	Patna ...	32 0 0	32 0 0	35 8 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	...	...	0 6 0	
		to 34 0 0	to 34 0 0	to 35 8 0	to 5 0 0	to 5 0 0	to 2 0 0	to 3 12 0	to 4 0 0	to 4 0 0						
5	Muzaffarpur ...	30 7 6	30 7 6	37 10 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur ...	33 0 0	33 0 0	44 0 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	13 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Cuttack ...	47 9 0	47 9 0	47 9 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0			
8	Sambalpur ...	34 8 0	34 8 0	39 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	...	...	...
9	Ranchi ...	35 0 0	33 8 0	40 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	0 8 0	0 8 0			
		to 12 0 0	to 13 0 0	to 16 0 0	to 12 0 0	to 13 0 0	to 16 0 0	to 4 8 0	to 4 10 0	to 4 0 0						

Number.	MARKS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF													
		FIREWOOD.			SALT.			BHOOSA.			BRAN.				
1	Calcutta	...	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	1 9 6	1 15 0	1 10 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	2 11 0	2 11 0	...	
2	Burdwan	...	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	1 12 3	1 12 0	1 12 0	Not sold			3 6 0	3 10 0	...	
3	Midnapore	...	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	Bombay.	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	Not available			0 6 0	0 6 0	...
						Crushed.	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0						
4	Patna	...	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 2 0	1 2 0	...	1 14 0	1 14 0	...	
5	Muzaffarpur	...	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 6	0 8 0	0 8 0	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	...	
6	Bhagalpur	...	0 6 3	0 6 3	0 6 6	1 14 3	1 14 3	1 14 7 1/2	0 8 0	0 8 0	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	...	
7	Cuttack	...	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	Not sold.			0 10 0	0 10 0	...	
8	Sambalpur	...	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	Not sold			Not available			
9	Ranchi	...	0 4 6	0 5 0	0 5 3	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 3 0	2 0 0	2 12 0	...	3 0 0	3 5 0	...	

the undermentioned *Marts of Bengal* on the 15th February 1909—conold.

STRAW.			JUAB STALKS.			PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.			MARTS.	Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
0 10 0	0 12 0	0 14 0	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	Calcutta ...	1
0 5 0	0 5 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	Burdwan ...	2
0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	Midnapore ...	3
0 12 0	0 11 0	0 6 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	5 0 0	Patna ...	4
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 8 0	Muzaffarpur ...	5
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	Bhagalpur ...	6
0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	Cuttack ...	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sambalpur ...	8
0 10 0	0 11 0	0 10 0	...	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	Ranchi ...	9

FORTY STANDARD SEERS.

FORTY STANDARD SEERS.						PRICE PER ANIMAL.		MARTS.	Number.
OATS.		KEROSENE OIL.		SLAUGHTER CATTLE.					
4 8 0	5 0 0	...	Per case. 4 4 0	4 4 0	...	Cow. 42 0 0	44 0 0	Calcutta	...
	Not sold		5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Calf. 6 0 0	6 8 0			Burdwan	2
4 14 0	4 14 0	...	{ 4 9 0 to 4 14 0 }	{ 4 9 0 to 4 14 0 }	...	Full grown. 8 0 0	8 0 0	Midnapore	...
						to 12 0 0	to 12 0 0			Calf not sold.
	Not sold		4 3 0	4 3 0	...	Goat and sheep. 3 0 0	3 0 0	Patna	...
						to 5 0 0	to 5 0 0			Buffalo
						Not sold.			
						Calf			
						Not sold.			
4 7 0	4 7 0	...	Per tin. 2 0 0	2 0 0	...	Calf. 15 0 0	15 0 0	Muzaffarpur	...
						Cow. 30 0 0	30 0 0		
4 5 0	4 5 0	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Goat. 5 0 0	5 0 0	Bhagalpur	...
						Cow. 20 0 0	20 0 0		
5 1 4	5 1 4	...	7 8 0	7 8 0	...	Cow. Rs. 10 to Rs. 20.	Rs. 10 to Rs. 20.	Cuttack	...
						Calf. Rs. 2 to Rs. 10.	Rs. 2 to Rs. 10.		
	Not available		Per case. { 4 3 0 to 6 14 0 }	{ 4 3 0 to 6 14 0 }	...	Full grown. 3 8 0	3 8 0	Sambalpur	...
						Full grown. 8 0 0	8 0 0		
5 0 0	5 10 0	...	Per case. { 4 8 0 to 7 0 0 }	{ 4 7 6 to 7 4 0 }	...	to 16 0 0	to 16 0 0	Ranchi	...
						Calf. 6 0 0	6 0 0		
						to 9 0 0	to 9 0 0		

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Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 14th to 20th February 1909.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 55° Fahr.	TEMPERATURE.				HYGROMETRY.				WIND.		Rains.	WEATHER.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Wet wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1909.				Inches.						Inches		%			Inches.	
Feb.	14th	132.6	8.7	29.990	67.8	83.9	80.5	53.4	57.1	0.324	47.0	50	NE by E and calm.	41	Nil	Partially cloudy.
"	15th	133.8	8.3	.955	69.9	86.0	80.4	55.6	60.2	.394	52.4	54	E by S, WSW and calm.	61	Nil	Partially cloudy.
"	16th	133.7	8.8	.955	72.5	87.4	28.1	59.8	63.8	.487	58.2	63	SW by S, W by S and calm.	81	Nil	Partially cloudy.
"	17th	135.2	6.1	.966	72.6	83.3	19.7	63.6	62.7	.463	56.8	59	NW by N, NNW and N.	109	Nil	Partially cloudy.
"	18th	131.0	9.2	.980	71.5	85.9	27.0	58.9	63.0	.469	57.2	63	SE by E and WNW.	53	Nil	Chiefly clear.
"	19th	135.2	9.1	.956	72.8	87.1	26.9	60.2	65.5	.538	61.0	67	S by W and WSW.	69	Nil	Chiefly clear.
"	20th	137.0	7.3	.919	74.9	89.6	25.6	63.0	67.2	.579	63.1	68	WSW, SSW and SW.	126	Nil	Partially cloudy.

The mean pressure of the seven days Inches.
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 29.960
... .. 29.950

The total number of hours of bright sunshine Hours.
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine 57.5
... .. 79.8

The mean temperature of the seven days 71.7
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 73.4
The extreme variation of temperature 35.2
The maximum temperature 88.6

The highest velocity of the wind in one hour Miles.
... .. 14
The mean relative humidity %.
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 61
... .. 67

The total fall of rain from 14th to 20th February 1909 Inches
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office Nil
... .. 0.30
The total fall from 1st January to 20th February 1909 0.10
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 1.29

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Kundsens Barograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

☁, dew; ☁ fog.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Statement of Goods Traffic in Staples carried during the four weeks ending 29th November 1908
as compared with the same period of 1907.

STAPLES.	1907.		1908.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes	8,302	9,090	7,792	11,290	.....	2,209	510	.....
Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways	1,54,60,072	19,46,450	1,44,72,045	17,40,157	.....	.....	9,87,127	2,00,203
Cotton—								
(1) Raw	1,91,360	64,206	1,85,551	1,00,809	.....	36,603	5,815	.....
(2) Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and Yarn, European	2,448	2,158	1,165	1,489	.....	.....	1,283	689
(b) Ditto, Indian	40,330	18,133	34,479	15,106	.....	.....	5,857	9,017
(c) Piece-goods, European	1,00,825	1,81,389	1,30,851	1,08,049	.....	.....	68,074	72,740
(d) Ditto, Indian	10,637	8,993	16,856	8,977	221	.....	.....	16
(e) Others	9,981	8,852	5,821	6,420	.....	.....	4,160	2,432
Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	14,188	9,128	17,425	10,340	3,237	1,148	.....	.....
Drugs—								
1.—Intoxicating, other than opium	108	.....	59	54	.....	50	40	.....
2.—Non-intoxicating	3,052	3,440	4,005	3,852	413	412	.....	.....
Dyes and Tans—								
1.—Alizarine and aniline dyes	107	198	559	406	362	208	.....	.....
2.—Cutch	2,232	559	1,365	646	.....	77	867	.....
3.—Indigo	854	790	3,491	2,607	2,637	1,817	.....	.....
4.—Myrabolanis	13,917	2,093	2,122	1,010	.....	.....	11,795	1,677
5.—Tanning barks	1,858	131	705	79	.....	.....	1,153	52
6.—Turmeric	10,904	8,429	12,351	7,504	1,447	.....	.....	805
7.—Others	6,852	2,702	5,964	2,005	.....	.....	888	137
Fodder—								
1.—Ollonke	69,819	9,740	1,17,332	17,020	47,713	7,980	.....	.....
2.—Hay, straw and grass	36,352	5,804	24,459	4,249	.....	.....	11,893	1,655
3.—Non-intoxicating	4,309	1,909	7,612	3,311	3,303	1,402	.....	.....
Fruits and vegetables, fresh								
1.—Gram and pulse	3,44,124	78,962	4,68,122	1,47,760	1,43,598	63,798	.....	.....
2.—Jowar and bajra	1,85,441	35,248	1,05,432	10,824	.....	.....	1,20,009	24,424
3.—Rice in the husk	40,736	8,064	2,40,408	42,405	1,03,682	33,741	.....	.....
4.—Rice not in the husk	4,01,689	1,15,564	6,45,267	1,40,204	2,40,088	24,727	.....	.....
5.—Wheat	3,62,482	1,05,400	3,55,607	1,07,551	.....	.....	6,815	.....
6.—Wheat flour	1,28,986	39,014	93,377	40,872	.....	6,054	35,009	.....
7.—Others	3,58,824	61,137	4,50,408	79,049	91,644	18,812	.....	.....
Hides and Skins—								
1.—Hides of cattle	24,160	10,432	45,900	21,605	31,731	14,173	.....	.....
2.—Hides of sheep, &c.	14,245	7,100	26,386	13,939	12,141	6,779	.....	.....
3.—Skins of sheep, &c.	2,081	830	478	209	.....	.....	1,623	540
Horns								
Hemp (Indian) and other fibres (excluding jute)	74,188	32,035	89,617	24,029	15,489	1,914	.....	.....
Jute—								
1.—Raw	4,68,562	82,730	4,52,068	63,767	.....	.....	16,494	16,963
2.—Gunny-bags and cloth	87,349	40,596	87,409	53,475	60	6,879	.....	.....
Lac	55,798	80,084	57,270	31,085	1,473	401	.....	.....
Leather—								
1.—Unwrought	1,989	3,029	1,601	3,388	.....	350	383	.....
2.—Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	655	318	1,242	1,132	607	814	.....	.....
Liquors—								
1.—Ale and Beer	15,020	4,616	10,492	3,055	.....	.....	4,528	990
2.—Wines and spirits of all kinds, including country spirit	6,511	7,196	8,380	6,788	.....	.....	.....	408
3.—All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer	62	19	104	37	42	18	.....	.....
Metals—								
1.—Brass, unwrought	493	289	1,447	1,203	954	914	.....	.....
2.—Do., manufactured	10,111	4,816	9,919	4,745	.....	.....	102	71
3.—Copper, unwrought	6	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	7
4.—Do., manufactured	598	659	1,102	609	506	.....	.....	60
5.—Iron and steel—								
(1) Unwrought (dust, slag, pig and old for remanufacture)	53,228	10,978	37,287	8,551	.....	.....	15,941	2,427
(2) Wrought—								
(a) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel	1,52,846	73,002	1,35,094	43,694	.....	.....	17,752	29,308
(b) Machinery and mill work	15,640	6,106	24,410	10,927	8,770	4,731	.....	.....
(c) Other manufactures, including hardware and cutlery	41,778	25,658	39,747	14,335	.....	.....	8,031	11,325
6.—Metallic ores	.....	.....	36,404	1,521	36,404	1,521	.....	.....
7.—Zinc and spelter	946	614	168	109	.....	.....	780	406
8.—Others	6,829	6,270	12,568	7,171	5,737	901	.....	.....
Mineral substances—								
1.—Marble and stone	2,59,133	31,172	2,18,103	20,988	.....	.....	51,030	10,184
2.—Chalk and lime	2,62,776	42,454	2,30,782	57,769	.....	15,315	10,011	.....
3.—Others	4,228	3,012	1,089	687	.....	.....	3,139	2,923
Oilseeds—								
1.—Kerosine	1,63,500	60,618	1,58,109	72,304	3,809	12,086	.....	.....
2.—Castor	8,432	1,246	4,445	1,400	.....	154	3,987	.....
3.—Coconut	5,748	1,832	5,793	1,228	45	.....	.....	294
4.—Mustard and rape	13,218	5,187	17,747	7,232	4,529	2,045	.....	.....
5.—Others	5,832	2,567	5,019	2,588	.....	21	.....	.....
Oilseeds—								
1.—Castor	62,338	7,451	61,387	14,281	.....	6,830	921	.....
2.—Kardhu	107	30	8,000	1,804	.....	7,902	.....	.....
3.—Linseed	1,09,449	48,947	1,19,094	22,091	.....	.....	80,372	19,556
4.—Poppy	3,862	1,332	9,262	1,887	5,400	565	.....	.....
5.—Rape and mustard	1,25,813	29,877	1,40,828	31,469	15,615	1,562	.....	.....
6.—Til or jingili	39,222	8,504	1,19,311	31,268	83,089	23,764	.....	.....
7.—Others	1,81,477	33,283	2,40,833	40,170	59,363	6,893	.....	.....
Opium	55,084	60,740	67,085	55,255	12,501	4,515	.....	.....
Paper and pasteboard	20,037	12,009	15,709	9,367	.....	.....	4,328	3,442
Provisions—								
1.—Dried fruits and nuts	30,465	11,190	17,419	9,530	.....	.....	3,046	1,660
2.—Ghee	22,401	18,727	20,123	21,089	6,782	5,362	.....	.....
3.—Potatoes	1,41,251	99,980	1,34,318	70,960	.....	.....	6,933	29,014
4.—Others	50,327	46,773	45,143	42,968	.....	.....	2,182	3,786

STAPLES.	1907.		1908.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
<i>Railway plant & rolling-stock carried for the public & foreign railways—</i>								
1.—Locomotives, engines and tenders and parts thereof	.....	.....	231	23	331	23	.....	.....
2.—Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	.....	.....	41	25	41	25	.....	.....
3.—Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	.....	.....	53	20	53	20	.....	.....
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Salt	2,46,738	28,877	1,95,367	40,351	.....	11,674	55,395	.....
	2,89,989	59,110	4,72,187	1,08,153	1,82,228	40,017	.....	.....
<i>Sulphate and other saline substances—</i>								
1.—Sulphate	36,364	14,655	50,539	17,738	14,275	3,081	.....	.....
2.—Other saline substances	28,653	8,688	33,556	6,509	4,902	.....	.....	2,077
Silk—								
1.—Raw—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	1,756	1,031	1,695	1,153	.....	132	61	.....
2.—Piece-goods—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	313	285	.....	.....	.....	.....	313	285
Spices—								
1.—Betelnuts	22,429	16,409	18,028	10,729	.....	.....	4,401	5,680
2.—Cardamoms	1,371	1,410	682	840	.....	.....	689	581
3.—Chillies	7,300	2,058	13,038	6,326	6,638	3,663	.....	.....
4.—Ginger	1,063	701	2,571	789	1,108	88	.....	.....
5.—Pepper	4,902	3,852	5,929	8,159	1,927	4,307	.....	.....
6.—Others	11,720	16,090	20,037	17,968	8,317	2,950	.....	.....
Sugar—								
1.—Refined	1,40,323	63,384	1,64,801	68,485	15,478	5,301	.....	.....
2.—Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	1,45,434	74,159	70,213	29,871	.....	.....	75,221	44,298
(b) Gwr, rab, jaggree, molasses and other saccharine produce	1,91,465	44,738	2,16,058	52,342	25,193	7,606	.....	.....
Tea—								
1.—Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Indian	2,091	2,410	2,405	1,903	314	.....	.....	507
Tobacco	44,893	18,776	50,463	18,738	5,570	.....	.....	38
Wood—								
1.—Timber, unwrought	55,877	7,171	60,068	8,927	4,181	1,756	.....	.....
2.—Manufactures	14,874	2,756	11,703	11,037	.....	8,281	3,171	.....
Wool—								
1.—Raw	2,891	818	2,490	639	.....	.....	491	179
2.—Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	867	1,073	641	756	.....	.....	226	317
(b) Piece-goods, European	377	162	262	72	.....	.....	35	30
(c) Ditto, Indian	1,063	2,509	414	713	.....	.....	249	1,790
(d) Other sorts of manufactures	3,649	2,870	2,042	1,686	.....	.....	1,607	1,184
All other articles of merchandise—								
1.—Bones	28,115	4,877	45,086	10,171	16,971	5,294	.....	.....
2.—Firewood	65,538	3,845	50,702	6,231	15,106	2,386	.....	.....
3.—Indigo seed	.....	.....	58	12	58	12	.....	.....
4.—Paints and colours	910	899	3,874	1,219	3,964	390	.....	.....
5.—Seeds other than oilseeds	1,960	640	3,001	1,779	1,122	1,133	.....	.....
6.—Others	14,08,484	4,23,419	13,49,514	3,57,704	.....	.....	59,970	64,625
Total	2,33,90,969	43,99,923	2,80,39,294	42,56,571	.....	.....	3,60,075	1,43,353
Military stores	23,187	33,476	26,943	21,512	13,756	.....	.....	11,964
Coal for railway	18,26,403	1,02,068	27,41,448	72,914	9,16,046	.....	.....	29,164
Railway materials	28,44,684	1,00,528	16,98,327	1,31,111	.....	30,58	11,48,467	.....
Live-stock	85,771	39,446	3,875
Total	2,80,83,243	46,71,766	3,75,15,212	45,21,554	5,77,330	1,50,312

H. G. EMMERSON,

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TRAFFIC AUDIT OFFICE, GOODS DIVISION, CALCUTTA, the 16th February 1909.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

Abstract of Principal Commodities carried over the Eastern Bengal State Railway during the month of November 1908 as compared with the same month of the previous year (for four weeks).

No.	STAPLES.	1906.	1907.	Increase in 1908.	Decrease in 1908.	EXPLANATIONS OF VARIATIONS BY TRAFFIC SUPERINTENDENT.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
1	Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	252	233	19	.....
2	Coal and coke, carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	63,275	48,156	15,377	.....
3	Cotton—	363	189	174	.....
	(1) Raw	75	131	.....	56	
	(2) Manufactured—	288	58	.....	27	
	(a) Twist and yarn, European	2,221	2,429	.....	207	
	(b) Ditto, Indian	650	879	.....	229	
	(c) Piece-goods, European .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(d) Ditto, Indian .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(e) Others .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4	Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	146	131	15	.....
5	Drugs—	1	1	.....	.....
	(1) Intoxicating, other than opium	4	10	.....	6	
	(2) Non-intoxicating—	23	467	.....	437	
	(a) Medicinal preparations .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(b) Others .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6	Dyes and Tans—	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(1) Al (Morinda citrifolia) .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(2) Alizarine and Aniline dyes	10	93	.....	83	
	(3) Quich	9	5	4	.....
	(4) Indigo .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(5) Myrabolans .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(6) Tanning barks	331	369	12	.....
	(7) Turmeric	26	20	6	.....
	(8) Others .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7	Fodder—	1,030	742	288	.....
	(1) Oilcake	2,514	1,489	625	.....
	(2) Hay, straw and grass	501	641	.....	140	
8	Fruits and vegetables, fresh .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
9	Grain and Pulse—	3,084	2,769	315	.....
	(1) Gram and pulse	8,164	9,418	.....	1,254	
	(2) Jawar and bajra	12,422	7,884	4,538	.....
	(3) Rice in the husk	130	33	106	.....
	(4) Do. not in the husk	971	922	49	.....
	(5) Wheat	777	162	615	.....
	(6) Do. flour .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(7) Others .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10	Hides and skins—	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(1) Hides of cattle—	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(a) Dressed or tanned	773	542	230	.....
	(b) Raw .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(2) Skins of sheep and other animals—	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(a) Dressed or tanned	117	28	89	.....
	(b) Raw	11	8	3	.....
11	Horns	56	216	.....	160	
12	Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	.....	.....	.....	.....
13	Jute—	124,562	86,493	38,069	.....
	(1) Raw	1,612	1,639	.....	17	
	(2) Gunny-bags and cloth	76	14	62	.....
14	Lac .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15	Leather—	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(1) Unwrought .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(2) Wrought, excepting boots and shoes .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
16	Liquors—	32	37	.....	5	
	(1) Ale and beer	76	83	.....	7	
	(2) Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(3) Wine .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(4) All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquors, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....
17	Metals—	89	32	.....	3	
	(1) Brass, unwrought	178	225	.....	47	
	(2) Do., manufactured .....	.....	11	.....	11	
	(3) Copper, unwrought	8	42	.....	34	
	(4) Do., manufactured .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(5) Iron and steel—	.....	311	.....	311	
	(a) Unwrought .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(b) Wrought	3,366	4,708	.....	1,322	
	(i) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel.	179	222	.....	43	
	(ii) Machinery and mill works	1,130	843	287	.....
	(iii) Other manufactured, including hardware and cutlery.	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(6) Metallic ores	1,392	1,240	152	.....
	(7) Others .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18	Mineral substances—	769	917	.....	148	
	(1) Marble and stone	1,369	1,427	.....	58	
	(2) Chalk .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(3) Lime .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(4) Others .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19	Oil—	12,320	10,350	1,970	.....
	(1) Kerosine	4	15	.....	11	
	(2) Castor	101	88	13	.....
	(3) Coconut	745	641	102	.....
	(4) Mustard and rape	166	114	51	.....
	(5) Others .....	.....	.....	.....	.....

No.	STAPLES	1908.	1907.	Increase in 1908.	Decrease in 1908.	EXPLANATIONS OF FLUCTUATIONS BY TRAFFIC SUPERINTENDENT.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
20	Oilseeds—					
	(1) Castor ... ..	...	...	...	...
	(2) Earthnuts ... ..	...	...	...	...
	(3) Linseed	100	538	...	...	372
	(4) Mustard ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
	(5) Rape and mustard	1,296	1,564	...	...	268
	(6) Til or linilli	15	22	...	...	7
	(7) Others	61	31	40	...	...
21	Opium ... ..	...	1	...	...	1
22	Paper and pasteboard	662	550	82	...	...
23	Provisions—					
	(1) Dried fruits and nuts	13	112	...	...	99
	(2) Ghee	54	80	...	...	26
	(3) Others	734	790	...	...	56
24	Railway Plant, &c., for the Public and Foreign Railways—					
	(1) Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
	(2) Carriages and trucks and parts thereof ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
	(3) Materials—					
	(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	207	...	207	...	...
	(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast iron ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
	(c) Others	1,038	...	1,038	...	...
25	Salt	5,200	4,301	980	...	...
26	Saltpetre and other saline substances—					
	(1) Saltpetre	1	2	...	...	1
	(2) Other saline substances	131	167	...	...	46
27	Silk—					
	(1) Raw—					
	(a) Foreign ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
	(b) Indian	53	44	9	...	...
	(2) Piece-goods—					
	(a) Foreign ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
	(b) Indian ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
28	Spices—					
	(1) Betelnuts	1,744	2,035	...	...	291
	(2) Cardamoms	88	82	...	...	14
	(3) Chillies	392	200	192	...	...
	(4) Ginger	69	137	...	...	68
	(5) Pepper	50	50	...	...	...
	(6) Others	216	171	45	...	...
29	Sugar—					
	(1) Refined or crystallised, including sugar- candy	1,777	1,793	...	...	16
	(2) Unrefined—					
	(a) Sugar	710	2,431	...	...	1,721
	(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce	3,155	2,222	893	...	...
30	Tea—					
	(1) Foreign ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
	(2) Indian	3,321	3,396	925	...	...
31	Tobacco—					
	(1) Unmanufactured	1,425	1,517	...	...	92
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Cigars ... ..	...	64	27	...	...
	(b) Other sorts ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
32	Wood—					
	(1) Timber, unwrought	3,507	4,164	...	...	657
	(2) Manufactured	478	395	88	...	...
33	Wool—					
	(1) Raw ... ..	...	1	...	...	1
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Carpets and rugs ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
	(b) Piece-goods, European ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
	(c) Ditto, Indian	23	75	...	...	52
	(d) Other sorts of manufactures ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
34	All other articles of merchandise	6,989	5,624	1,365
	Total	280,546	220,246	60,102	...	8,904

CALCUTTA, the 22nd February 1909

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BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of November 1908, compared with the corresponding period in 1907.

DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	1907.		1908.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	111	1,835	123	1,437	12	.....	.....	398	
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	9,663	21,825	10,508	26,217	845	4,392	.....	.....	Demand for brick-burning.
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	354	5,686	301	4,780	.....	.....	53	906	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Twist and { European	4	36	7	90	3	54	.....	.....
(b) yarn. { Indian	781	5,090	575	6,897	.....	.....	170	2,023	
(c) Piece-goods { European	2,536	25,221	1,795	19,010	.....	.....	731	6,211	
(d) { Indian	746	7,633	629	6,749	.....	.....	117	884	
(e) Others	88	1,711	108	1,467	20	.....	.....	254	
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	119	403	30	1,640	.....	1,237	69	.....
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	1	10	3	53	2	34	.....	.....
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	9	160	9	135	.....	.....	.....	25	
(b) Others	953	4,308	654	4,126	.....	.....	279	179	
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	5	44	9	96	4	62	.....	.....
2. Cutch	9	60	5	50	.....	.....	4	16	
3. Indigo	3	24	56	602	53	478	.....	.....
4. Myrabolams	26	183	4	42	.....	.....	22	141	
5. Tanning barks	177	1,521	181	1,313	.....	.....	26	208	
6. Turmeric	63	635	52	491	.....	.....	11	157	
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	1,101	5,926	1,002	4,416	.....	.....	99	1,510	
2. Hay, straw and grass	446	1,573	620	2,555	74	982	.....	.....
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	1,673	7,573	1,019	4,243	.....	.....	654	3,430	
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse	4,534	15,748	5,468	25,403	1,074	9,655	.....	.....
2. Jawar and bajra	862	748	2,069	14,918	1,717	14,170	.....	.....
3. Rice { in the husk	16,938	110,076	7,265	35,610	.....	.....	9,673	75,068	Poor crops owing to drought
4. { not in the husk	19,889	95,252	12,958	46,853	.....	.....	6,931	48,303	
5. Wheat	2,706	8,854	3,149	15,650	443	6,806	.....	.....
6. Wheat-flour	676	5,206	325	1,979	.....	.....	351	3,227	
7. Makai	29,129	129,485	37,383	2,66,023	14,254	126,538	.....	.....
8. Others	7,265	27,038	4,245	17,146	.....	.....	3,020	10,492	Good crops and demand in Tharoot.
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw	340	2,714	504	3,504	164	790	.....	.....
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw	216	1,413	329	1,497	113	84	.....	.....
XI.—Horns	14	60	5	25	.....	.....	9	25	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	43	499	141	937	98	438	.....	.....
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	1,267	7,160	424	2,718	.....	.....	843	4,468	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	1,649	10,869	1,258	9,198	.....	.....	391	1,671	
XIV.—Lac	160	1,423	201	1,207	41	.....	.....	221	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought	10	42	1	4	.....	.....	9	38	
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	44	673	6	138	.....	.....	38	534	
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and beer	5	30	4	33	.....	3	1	.....
2. Wines and spirits of all kinds, including country spirit.	31	329	23	248	.....	.....	8	81	
3. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought	49	395	70	582	21	187	.....	.....
2. " wrought	88	723	155	1,293	67	571	.....	.....
3. Copper, unwrought .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. " wrought	15	144	9	94	.....	.....	6	50	
5. Iron and steel—									
Unwrought (dust, slag, pig and for re-manufacture).	3	16	3	16	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wrought—									
(a) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel	717	3,530	566	2,962	.....	.....	151	562	
(b) Machinery and mill-work.	133	746	27	734	.....	.....	106	12	
(c) Other manufactures, including hardware and cutlery.	1,299	8,653	752	5,995	.....	.....	547	2,657	
6. Metallic ores .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7. Others	263	1,854	219	1,634	.....	.....	44	230	

Description of Goods.	1907.		1908.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
XVIII.—Mineral substances—									
1. Marble and stone ...	576	1,639	538	1,173	13	.....	.....	466	
2. Chalk and lime ...	792	2,699	624	2,000	.....	.....	264	699	
3. Others ...	20	68	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	68	
XIX.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine ...	2,378	12,066	2,624	10,392	346	.....	.....	1,674	
2. Castor ...	93	602	76	479	.....	.....	17	123	
3. Coconut ...	1	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	10	
4. Mustard and rape ...	190	1,373	97	999	.....	.....	23	274	
5. Others ...	58	491	43	399	.....	.....	15	193	
XX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor ...	1,905	2,328	809	2,234	.....	.....	396	94	
2. Barthnuts ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	38	.....	.....
3. Linseed ...	4,357	16,501	3,869	10,614	.....	.....	1,488	5,887	
4. Poppy ...	95	273	89	455	.....	.....	6	.....
5. Rape and mustard ...	2,637	11,156	2,929	13,500	.....	.....	2,344	.....
6. Til or jinihi ...	71	370	429	1,763	.....	.....	1,393	.....
7. Others ...	463	2,549	710	3,009	.....	.....	460	.....
XXI.—Opium ...	1,044	16,762	1,347	18,105	303	1,343	.....	.....
XXII.—Paper and Pasteboard ...	381	1,088	148	555	.....	.....	183	503	
XXIII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts ...	225	2,682	192	2,787	.....	135	38	.....
2. Ghee ...	339	1,911	284	2,141	45	230	.....	.....
3. Others ...	952	5,400	674	4,367	.....	.....	278	1,033	
XXIV.—Railway Plant and Rolling-Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Others ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	155	489	
XXV.—Salt ...	9,222	40,676	9,667	40,087	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXVI.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre ...	495	1,792	1,196	4,875	731	3,083	.....	.....	Demand in
2. Other saline substances	590	2,507	720	2,980	130	473	.....	.....	Calcutta.
XXVII.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian ...	.....	.....	1	1	1	1	.....	.....
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian ...	1	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	6	
XXVIII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts ...	360	3,153	172	1,552	.....	.....	188	1,600	
2. Cardamoms ...	11	177	4	64	.....	.....	7	123	
3. Chillies ...	69	429	62	285	.....	.....	17	144	
4. Ginger ...	62	716	70	616	.....	.....	13	89	
5. Pepper ...	63	604	54	808	.....	.....	9	55	
6. Others ...	129	1,857	103	1,257	23	.....	.....	180	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugar candy.	1,086	6,889	921	5,765	.....	.....	165	1,124	
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar ...	3,426	21,218	1,648	7,225	.....	.....	1,778	12,093	
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	4,490	20,408	2,712	11,092	.....	.....	1,698	15,316	
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Indian ...	6	67	6	104	.....	37	.....	.....
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured ...	1,302	9,231	1,535	11,076	233	1,845	.....	.....
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Opium ...	1	35	1	5	.....	.....	.....	30	
(b) Other sorts ...	30	518	26	390	.....	.....	10	318	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought ...	1,755	2,846	1,690	4,628	.....	.....	65	918	
2. Logs ...	768	1,398	214	428	.....	.....	554	972	
3. Poles ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. Manufactures ...	694	3,731	494	3,819	.....	.....	100	412	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw ...	3	30	4	72	1	42	.....	.....
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs ...	4	42	3	49	.....	7	1	.....
(b) Piece-goods { European	8	107	4	39	.....	.....	4	158	
(c) } Indian	40	538	49	615	9	77	.....	.....
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed ...	37	334	114	733	77	399	.....	.....
2. Firewood ...	1,682	1,640	1,069	1,422	7	.....	.....	.....
3. Others, not specified above.	5,015	16,505	2,676	4,174	.....	.....	2,339	10,331	
Total ...	1,40,845	7,65,641	1,36,251	7,22,820	21,622	1,78,553	34,216	2,21,376	

BOMBAY, the 6th February 1909.

W. JENKINS,
for Chief Auditor.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 6th February 1909 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	73,000	47,000 0 0	3,70,500 0	43,000 0 0	6,500 0 0	96,500 0 0	14,099	19,118	33,217
Or per mile of railway ...	95'03	61'20	480'54	55'77	8'43	125'40	18'36	24'79	43'15
For previous 5 weeks of half-year ...	304,500	1,93,000 0 0	1,55,500 0	1,84,500 0 0	21,000 0 0	3,93,500 0 0	60,883	82,414	143,301
Total for 6 weeks ...	377,500	2,40,000 0 0	19,30,000 0	2,27,500 0 0	27,500 0 0	4,95,000 0 0	74,981	101,531	176,513
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	77,194	50,085 0 0	2,25,892 0	33,510 0 0	5,374 0 0	88,960 0 0	17,837	10,419	28,256
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	100'51	65'21	292'00	43'50	6'97	115'63	23'25	21'33	44'58
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	393,632	2,63,315 0 0	13,57,204 0	1,96,304 0 0	21,633 0 0	4,81,212 0 0	57,040	107,270	164,310

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 6TH FEBRUARY 1909.			RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 8TH FEBRUARY 1908.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1908 TO 6TH FEBRUARY 1909.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1907 TO 8TH FEBRUARY 1908.			Total increase in 1909.	Total decrease in 1909.
Mean-mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean-mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean-mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean-mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			Rs.
771	96,500	125'10	771	88,399	115'08	771	33,64,965	1 ...	771	41,81,740	...	.....	1,66,775

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 30th January 1909 on 1,791 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. (a)	Mds. S.	Rs. (b)	Rs. (c)	Rs.		(d)	
Total traffic for the week on 1,791 miles open ...	207,850	1,26,390	10,37,830	1,62,840	29,170	3,18,400	58,612	43,437	107,069
Or per mile of railway ...	160 30	70'37	579'47	90'92	16'29	177'78	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3½ weeks of half-year ...	988,870	4,33,740	36,21,190	5,67,220	59,320	10,60,290	190,390	135,538	345,934
Total for 4½ weeks ...	1,206,720	5,60,130	46,59,020	7,30,000	88,490	13,78,680	249,008	203,995	453,003
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,778 miles open ...	885,072	1,07,435	11,78,077	1,73,007	21,338	3,92,770	61,639	(e) 45,517	105,885
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year ...	217'08	111'06	662'02	97'86	12'00	220'91	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	13,14,711	6,07,350	62,25,774	7,21,625	1,02,493	14,31,476	264,123	214,421	478,543
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week ...		3'18		3'36	27	2'97			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year ...		3'23		3'01	20	3'71			

- (a) Decrease chiefly under local and foreign outward, due to Ardhooy Yoga mela last year.
 (b) General decrease, but mainly under local.
 (c) Increase principally under sundries.
 (d) Includes 5,323 miles of ballast trains.
 (e) Includes 2,046 miles of ballast trains.

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 6th February 1909 on 1,791 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steamboat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week on 1,791 miles open ...	280,500	Rs. (a) 1,14,550	Mds. 10,55,580	Rs. (b) 1,74,580	Rs. (c) 15,330	Rs. 3,04,400	58,435	(d) 48,204	106,639
Or per mile of railway ...	156'62	63'86	589'38	97'47	8'58	169'99	.....	.....	.....
For previous 47 weeks of half-year ...	1,296,720	5,60,130	4,630,020	7,80,000	88,480	13,78,080	240,008	203,085	453,093
Total for 57 weeks ...	1,577,220	6,74,680	57,14,000	9,04,040	1,03,820	15,83,140	307,443	252,199	559,642
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,778 miles open ...	408,410	1,07,950	11,98,500	1,72,440	19,018	3,89,414	62,181	(e) 43,563	105,744
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year ...	229'71	111'33	674'12	96'09	10'70	219'03	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	1,723,130	8,05,309	64,24,304	8,94,071	1,22,611	18,20,891	320,303	257,984	578,287
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week ...		1'96		3'62	14	2'86			
Idto for corresponding week of previous year ...		3'18		3'90	18	3'63			

- (a) Decrease under passenger due to Ardhojog Yoga mela held last year.
 (b) Decrease in weight with increase in amount due to long lead traffic under foreign inward.
 (c) Decrease principally under steamboat.
 (d) Includes 5,120 miles of ballast trains.
 (e) Includes 2,112 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 13th February 1909 on 1,379 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	584,220	Rs. A. P. 2,22,910 0 0	Mds. 18,05,080	Rs. A. P. 2,80,450 0 0	Rs. A. P. 19,570 0 0	(c) 5,22,030 0 0	77,543	(b) 45,098	122,641
Or per mile of railway ...	424	162 0 0	1,353 0	203 0 0	(a) 1 0 0	(a) 386 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year ...	2,324,680	10,07,100 0 0	1,00,40,910 0	15,76,520 0 0	1,90,730 0 0	28,30,410 0 0	399,007	280,050	679,057
Total for 7 weeks ...	2,908,800	12,070 0 0	1,28,00,800 0	18,56,970 0 0	2,00,300 0 0	33,53,340 0 0	477,430	314,138	791,568
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	638,305	2,23,850 0 0	15,68,306 0	2,40,220 0 0	17,651 0 0	4,81,721 0 0	70,478	38,468	114,946
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,274 miles) ...	497	176 0 0	1,223 0	188 0 0	1 0 0	365 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	8,572,306	16,13,104 0 0	1,17,15,582 0	14,80,807 0 0	1,90,627 0 0	32,62,438 0 0	525,885	281,035	806,920

- (a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 18,100.
 (b) Excluding ballast train-miles, 9,753.
 (c) Increase is due to general development of traffic.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 13th February 1909 on 86 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	52,820	Rs. A. P. 17,870 0 0	Mds. 105,110 0	Rs. A. P. 7,280 0 0	Rs. A. P. 50 0 0	Rs. A. P. 24,000 0 0	5,658	(a) 1,344	7,000
Or per mile of railway ...	611	204 0 0	1,232 0	85 0 0	1 0 0	280 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year ...	246,630	81,040 0 0	427,160 0	31,760 0 0	950 0 0	1,10,750 0 0	20,898	9,633	30,531
Total for 7 weeks ...	299,150	98,810 0 0	532,270 0	42,040 0 0	1,000 0 0	1,41,050 0 0	26,556	10,979	46,531
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	48,650	14,042 0 0	90,411 0	6,002 0 0	85 0 0	21,089 0 0	5,056	1,784	6,840
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	566	163 0 0	1,051 0	81 0 0	1 0 0	245 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	300,332	94,263 0 0	662,180 0	47,867 0 0	1,161 0 0	1,48,291 0 0	27,706	12,112	49,818

(a) Ballast train-miles, Nil.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 13th February 1909 on 33.6 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	3,880	1,680 0 0	16,114 0	1,890 0 0	10 0 0	3,560 0 0	455	(a) 1,025	1,480
Or per mile of railway ..	114	80 0 0	329 0	55 0 0	.....	100 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year ...	23,250	9,640 0 0	113,730 0	10,090 0 0	50 0 0	19,780 0 0	2,321	8,127	10,448
Total for 7 weeks ...	27,110	11,300 0 0	129,870 0	11,990 0 0	60 0 0	23,340 0 0	2,776	9,152	11,928
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	4,503	1,721 0 0	19,100 0	2,016 0 0	0 0 0	3,740 0 0	455	1,073	1,528
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	134	51 0 0	570 0	60 0 0	.....	111 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	27,448	10,857 0 0	140,330 0	12,438 0 0	60 0 0	23,464 0 0	2,806	9,168	12,064

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 600.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 13th February 1909 on 54 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	22,730	6,290 0 0	48,893 0	2,430 0 0	20 0 0	8,730 0 0	2,082	(a) 516	2,598
Or per mile of railway ...	421	117 0 0	905 0	45 0 0	.....	162 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year ...	92,740	27,160 0 0	3,88,130 0	22,720 0 0	160 0 0	50,040 0 0	11,397	4,463	15,710
Total for 7 weeks ...	115,470	33,410 0 0	4,37,010 0	25,150 0 0	180 0 0	58,770 0 0	13,389	4,919	18,308
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	18,320	4,166 0 0	66,461 0	3,591 0 0	25 0 0	7,782 0 0	2,082	500	2,582
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	339	77 0 0	1,231 0	67 0 0	.....	144 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	106,401	26,834 0 0	2,47,857 0	15,490 0 0	—2,361 0 0	39,943 0 0	14,470	4,306	17,436

(a) Ballast train-miles, nil.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY.

(EXTENSIONS).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 13th February 1909, on 117 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	12,040	4,353 0 0	41,781 0	7,125 0 0	34 0 0	11,542 0 0	11,540	1,736	3,276
Or per mile of railway ...	103	34 0 0	357 0	61 0 0	.....	99 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 6 weeks of half-year ...	54,145	20,748 0 0	2,37,004 0	33,838 0 0	218 0 0	54,804 0 0	8,283	9,461	17,744
Total for 6 weeks ...	66,185	25,151 0 0	2,78,785 0	40,963 0 0	252 0 0	66,346 0 0	9,823	11,197	21,020
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	8,920	4,329 0 0	76,945 0	8,119 0 0	46 0 0	12,494 0 0	1,050	2,165	3,215
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	76	37 0 0	667 0	60 0 0	1 0 0	107 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	59,611	28,724 0 0	2,79,300 0	50,138 0 0	363 0 0	79,214 0 0	7,688	12,229	19,917

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY.

(ORIGINAL LINE).

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 13th February 1909, on 36½ miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	9,430	Rs. 2,423 0 0	Mds. 26,257 0	Rs. 4,289 0 0	Rs. (a) 471 0 0	Rs. (a) 7,183 0 0	468	470	938
Or per mile of railway ...	230	67 0 0	721 0	119 0 0	(b)	(b) 198 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 5 weeks of half-year ...	37,544	10,887 0 0	1,32,833 0	20,415 0 0	1,087 0 0	33,289 0 0	2,589	2,486	5,062
Total for 6 weeks ...	46,974	13,310 0 0	1,59,490 0	24,704 0 0	2,468 0 0	40,472 0 0	3,087	2,953	6,990
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	6,420	2,066 0 0	38,798 0	4,504 0 0	390 0 0	6,960 0 0	447	583	1,030
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	170	57 0 0	1,066 0	124 0 0	...	181 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	41,688	14,610 0 0	2,26,825 0	28,704 0 0	3,088 0 0	46,402 0 0	3,214	3,610	6,783

(a) Includes Ferry earnings, Rs. 446.
 (b) Excludes Ferry earnings, Rs. 446.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the period ending 6th February 1909	Coaching	4,104	0	0	8,925	0	0
	Goods	4,790	0	0			
	Other earnings	31	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1908	Coaching	4,907	0	0	10,743	0	0
	Goods	5,797	0	0			
	Other earnings	39	0	0			
	Decrease	—	—	—	1,818	0	0
Receipts per mile for the period ending 6th February 1909	...	...	...	...	175	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908	...	...	...	...	210	10	4
	Decrease	—	—	—	35	10	4
Receipts from 1st January to 6th February 1909	...	...	...	...	70,419	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908	...	...	...	...	67,534	0	0
	Increase	—	—	—	2,885	0	0

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the period ending 13th February 1909	Coaching	4,515	0	0	17,017	0	0
	Goods	12,463	0	0			
	Other earnings	39	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1908	Coaching	4,038	0	0	13,084	0	0
	Goods	9,005	0	0			
	Other earnings	41	0	0			
	Increase	—	—	—	3,933	0	0
Receipts per mile for the period ending 13th February 1909	...	...	...	...	333	10	8
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908	...	...	...	...	256	8	9
	Increase	—	—	—	77	1	11
Receipts from 1st January to 13th February 1909	87,496	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908	80,618	0	0
	Increase	—	—	—	6,818	0	0



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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 27th February 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

NATURE OF CARGO.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 27TH FEBRUARY 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 29TH FEBRUARY 1908.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	1,048	2,15,165	3,708	377	1,66,715	2,882
Jute	120	57,933*	757	208	85,385†	1,103
Firewood	31	33,600	513	66	39,710	599
Other articles	821	2,54,501	3,019	739	2,26,319	2,906
Total	2,020	5,61,199	7,997	1,390	5,13,129	7,499

* Weight by canal measurement, 65,400 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 87,975 ..

CALCUTTA,
The 2nd March 1909.

G. G. DEY,
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WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 1st March 1909.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8½	9	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Raniganj 0·10 inch. Pressing of sugarcane and gathering of potatoes continuing. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	0·05	9	9	Rainfall at Rampurhat nil. Threshing of paddy nearly finished. Fodder and water sufficient. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of scarcity.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE	0·09	10	10	Weather seasonable. Sowing of <i>rabi til</i> and planting of sugarcane going on. Sowing of summer rice continuing in the Ghatal subdivision. Prospects of sugarcane fair except in the Contai subdivision and of tobacco good except in the Ghatal subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Midnapore, Binpur, Khargapur, Narayanganj and Keshiari. Common rice selling at 11 seers per rupee at Contai, 8½ seers at Tamluk and 10½ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGLY ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops and potatoes fair. Threshing of winter paddy not yet finished. Prices of food-grains stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing well. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported.
7	24-PARGANAS	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Common rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 10 seers at Basirhat, 9½ seers at Diamond Harbour and at 8½ seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	9½	9	Rainfall at Kushtia 0·02 inch and at other subdivisions nil. Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of tobacco and <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Pressing of sugarcane going on. Lands being prepared for <i>khadoi</i> crops and jute. Prices of staple food-grains slightly fallen. Stocks of food-grains barely sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Meherpur and Gangani thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
9	MURSHIDABAD	Inches. Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Lalbagh 0·05, at Jangipur 0·05 and at Kandi nil. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Pressing of sugarcane continuing in the Kandi and Lalbagh subdivisions. Condition of agricultural stock fair in the Kandi subdivision and good in the Lalbagh subdivision. Sowing of <i>boro</i> paddy commenced in the Kandi and Lalbagh subdivisions. Its transplantation continuing in the Jangipur subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JERSONE	Nil	9½	9½	Rainfall at Narail 0·02 inch. Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops indifferent. More rain badly wanted for cultivation. Fodder and water generally sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Kalia and Ultadanga. Condition of agricultural stock good.
11	KHULNA	Nil	10	9½	Weather seasonable. Prices of staple food crops almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops not favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA	Nil	9½ 15½*	9 15½*	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops in progress. Standing crops doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good.
13	GAYA	0·66	10½† 13½*	10½† 14½*	Weather seasonable. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing well. Harvesting of pulses, linseed and mustard continuing. Thunder-storm with hail at Sadar on the 25th February. No damage reported. Prices of food-grains almost stationary. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Wazirganj.
14	SHAHABAD	0·04	9½ 13*	9 13*	Rainfall at Buxar 0·29, Bhabua 0·11 and at Sasaram 0·02 inch. Harvesting of peas and <i>masur</i> in progress. Sugarcane-pressing going on. Standing <i>rabi</i> crops doing well. Lancing of poppy going on. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN	0·07	10 15*	10½ 15*	Rainfall at Siwan 0·16 inch. Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane, harvesting of mustard and rapeseed and sowing of indigo and sugarcane going on. <i>Rabi</i> crops ripening. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	0.12	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	Rainfall at Bettiah 0.10 inch. Weather getting warmer. Slight rainfall general. Sugarcane pressing and harvesting of oilseeds continuing. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water yet sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	0.11	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 10 \\ 14\frac{3}{4}^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{3}{4} \\ 15^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Sitamarhi 0.14 inch. Common rice and maize selling at 9 and 14 seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi, and at 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ and 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur. All <i>rabi</i> crops suffering from want of moisture. Harvesting of oilseeds in progress. Cattle-disease reported in thanas Pupri, Belsund and Muzaffarpur. Fodder sufficient at present. Water getting scarce. Distress existing in parts of the Sitamarhi subdivision. Number of persons on test-works on the 27th February—185 men, 97 women and 16 children—total 248. Poor-house opened at Pupri.
18	DARRHANGA ...	0.11	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather getting hot. Slight rain received during the week at places. Tanks and wells drying up, but people are being given land improvement loans freely and many tanks are being excavated in this manner. Tobacco being harvested. Reaping of mustard approaching completion. Cattle-disease reported in four villages. Fodder reported to be insufficient in the Warinagar thana of the Samastipur subdivision. Food-stocks sufficient on account of heavy imports of food-grains. Number on relief-works on the 25th February—33,185; and gratuitously relieved in declared areas 6,053. Number of persons on test-works in observation areas on the 25th February—24,725, and gratuitously relieved 1,245. <i>Makai</i> selling at 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee at Sadar, but dearer in the interior.
19	MONGHYR ...	0.02	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather getting hot. Condition of standing <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops commenced at places. Planting of sugarcane going on. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Fodder and water scarce in some places of the Jamui subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from Gogri thana.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops fair in the Banka subdivision and on irrigated lands, but bad elsewhere. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Considerable distress in the Supaul and Madhipura subdivisions. 139 men, 403 women and 394 children—total 936—gratuitously relieved in Madhipura, and 51 men, 81 women and 320 children—total 452—in Supaul. 1,742 men, 1,716 women and 586 children—total 4,044, on test-works in Madhipura, and 2,794 men, 2,198 women and 886 children—total 5,878 in Supaul.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 11\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9 \\ 11\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather occasionally cloudy with strong west winds. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing to be bad. Lands being ploughed for <i>bhadoi</i> crops and jute. <i>Musuri</i> and <i>kheshari</i> being harvested. Planting of sugarcane going on in the Kishanganj subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from several thanas in the district. Fodder and water getting scarce in many places. Food-stocks sufficient. 17 men and 19 women—total 36—relieved gratuitously. 137 men, 5 women and 9 children—total 151 persons on test-works in Gopalpur and Amour on the 26th February. Common rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Araria and 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers at Kishanganj.

*The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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**CALCUTTA,
The 2nd March 1909.**

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF FASL KHARIF, 1908-09.

Statement in acres of crops irrigated in Canal Districts.

NATURE OF CROPS.	Cuttack.	Balasore.	Midnapore.	Burdwan.	Hoochly.	Gaya.	Patna.	Shahabad.	Saran.	Champaran.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Garden and orchards	Acres.	Acres	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Sugarcane	47	492	...	...	...	1,833	3,868	21	...	58	30
Cereals—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,484	...	...	26,732
Wheat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rice	229,108	45,880	63,786	16,384	4,224	65,472	45,291	296,756	...	12,705	779,606
Cheena	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	22
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	...	...	859	1,456	...	44	2,359
Pulses—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gram, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fodder crops—Grass, lucerne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fibres—Cotton.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dyes—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indigo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	105	...	136	241
Turneric, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drugs—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Opium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tobacco, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oil-seeds—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mustard, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Castor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total kharif 1908-09*	229,155	46,381	63,786	16,384†	4,224	67,305	50,018	318,772	...	12,965	808,990
Ditto 1907-08†	231,174	45,775	61,024	17,106	5,039	62,406	56,941	324,107	...	10,987	814,559
Average of 5 years ending 1907-08.†	195,432	42,940	74,877	19,032	5,053	55,189	48,643	310,678	354	4,835	757,638

* Approximate figures.
† Actual figures.

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SUMMARY OF THE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL AND IN EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1908.

WEATHER in the Bay was disturbed during the early part of the month and the low pressure area characteristic of the retreating monsoon developed into a depression off the Coromandel coast on the first. On the third the storm appeared to be moving in a northerly direction, afterwards curving to the north-east and diminishing rapidly in intensity, so that the only evidence of its existence finally was a burst of heavy rain on the Arakan coast on the 6th and 7th. On the ninth a second disturbance was shown to the south-west of Diamond Island. This proved to be a small, but rather intense cyclonic storm which moved initially in a north-westerly direction and then curved rapidly to the east passing over Akyab on the night of the eleventh, doing considerable damage to the town. Up to three hours before it struck the coast, there was no local indication of its approach, both the observer and the Captain of a ship in harbour reporting light north-easterly winds and a total absence of swell. During the remainder of the month weather was comparatively quiet over the whole Bay.

Over the two Provinces during the week ending November 5th a few falls of rain occurred in Assam and heavy rain fell at Chittagong and Cox's Bazar, but there was no rain in other parts of the Division. During the next week Cox's Bazar and Gauhati were the only stations that reported rain. Skies were clear or lightly clouded during these two weeks, while temperature was normal or in defect, the deficiency being shown at night and in the western districts of the division. During the week ending on the 19th weather was dry with the sky clear or lightly clouded up to the 18th, when rain commenced to fall in Eastern Bengal and heavy cloud spread over Assam and Deltaic Bengal. Skies, however, cleared again rapidly and the only stations that reported rain in the week ending on the 26th were Cox's Bazar, Chittagong and Barisal. During the last few days of the month weather remained dry and the skies free from cloud.

Summary of temperature.—Mean temperature was in defect everywhere except in Eastern Bengal, North, where it was in slight excess. In Orissa and Assam the defect was about $1\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ and in Chota Nagpur 1° . The highest temperature (92°) was reported from Buxar, and the lowest (46°) was reported from Daltonganj.

The following table gives the summary of the temperature of each of the seven meteorological divisions of the Provinces of Bengal and of Eastern Bengal and Assam for the month of November 1908:—

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISIONS.	TEMPERATURE.					
	Highest observed during month.	Lowest observed during month.	Average for month.			Average mean of month above or below normal mean of month.
			Of highest of each day.	Of lowest of each day.	Of mean for each day.	
Bengal	90.1	55.0	84.2	61.1	72.7	— 0.7
Eastern Bengal, North	88.6	49.0	83.3	60.3	71.8	+ 0.4
Eastern Bengal, South	87.5	55.6	83.1	63.1	73.1	— 0.6
Bihar	92.0	46.3	84.5	56.1	70.3	— 0.4
Orissa	89.6	53.1	84.5	60.5	72.5	— 1.6
Chota Nagpur	89.5	46.0	81.0	54.5	67.8	— 1.1
Assam	88.8	50.1	80.5	59.5	70.0	— 1.3

* Purnia not included.

Summary of rainfall.—The rainfall work of the area under report has been handed over to the Director of Agriculture. A short table, however, is attached to this report, giving actual and normal rainfall recorded at the principal stations of each district.

No rain fell in Bihar, Chota Nagpur and Orissa and only light rain in Bengal. It was in general defect over the two Provinces. The rainfall recorded locally at Cox's Bazar and Chittagong was again in moderate excess.

Actual and average rainfall and departure from normal for the month of November 1908.

Meteorological Division.	District.	Station.	Actual.	Normal.	Departure from normal.
Bengal	Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	0	0.64	— 0.64
	Bankura ...	Bankura ...	0	0.54	— 0.54
	Midnapore ...	Midnapore ...	0	0.51	— 0.51
	24 Parganas ...	Saugor Island ...	0	0.56	— 0.56
	Calcutta ...	Calcutta ...	0	1.31	— 1.31
	Nadia ...	Krishnagar ...	0.04	0.82	— 0.58
	Murshidabad ...	Berhampore ...	0	0.74	— 0.74
	Jessore ...	Jessore ...	0	0.40	— 0.40
			0.09	1.18	— 1.09
Eastern Bengal, North.	Rajahmahi ...	Rampur Boalia ...	0	0.31	— 0.31
	Malda ...	Malda ...	0	0.22	— 0.22
	Dinajpur ...	Dinajpur ...	0.01	0.16	— 0.15
	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri ...	0	0.14	— 0.14
	Cooch Behar ...	Cooch Behar ...	0	0.14	— 0.14
	Rangpur ...	Rangpur ...	0	0.21	— 0.21
	Hogra ...	Hogra ...	0.03	0.82	— 0.79
	Pabna ...	Sirajganj ...	0.08	0.55	— 0.47
Eastern Bengal, South.	Dacca ...	Narayanganj ...	0	1.27	— 1.27
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh ...	0.09	0.76	— 0.67
	Faridpur ...	Faridpur ...	0.01	1.03	— 1.02
	Backergunge ...	Barisal ...	0.09	1.02	— 0.93
	Tippora ...	Comilla ...	0	1.19	— 1.19
	Noakhali ...	Noakhali ...	0.18	1.61	— 1.43
	Chittagong ...	Chittagong ...	4.85	1.49	+ 3.36
		Cox's Bazar ...	10.27	1.97	+ 8.30
Bihar	Patna ...	Bankipore ...	0	0.20	— 0.20
	Gaya ...	Gaya ...	0	0.27	— 0.27
	Shehabad ...	Dehri ...	0	0.28	— 0.28
		Huzar ...	0	0.38	— 0.38
	Saran ...	Arrah ...	0	0.21	— 0.21
	Champaran ...	Chapra ...	0	0.25	— 0.25
	Muzaffarpur ...	Motibari ...	0	0.12	— 0.12
	Darbhanga ...	Muzaffarpur ...	0	0.12	— 0.12
	Monghyr ...	Darbhanga ...	0	0.07	— 0.07
	Bhagalpur ...	Monghyr ...	0	0.20	— 0.20
	Purnea ...	Bhagalpur ...	0	0.17	— 0.17
	Sonthal Parganas ...	Purnea ...	0	0.07	— 0.07
	Darjeeling ...	Naya Dumka ...	0	0.31	— 0.31
		Darjeeling ...	0	0.24	— 0.24
Orissa	Sambalpur ...	Sambalpur ...	0	0.42	— 0.42
	Angul ...	Angul ...	0	1.22	— 1.22
	Cuttack ...	Cuttack ...	0	1.36	— 1.36
	Balasore ...	False Point ...	0	2.74	— 2.74
	Puri ...	Balasore ...	0	1.18	— 1.18
Chota Nagpur ...	Hazaribagh ...	Puri ...	0.01	2.68	— 2.67
	Ranchi ...	Hazaribagh ...	0	0.30	— 0.30
	Singhbhum ...	Ranchi ...	0	0.31	— 0.31
	Palamanu ...	Chaiyassa ...	0	0.40	— 0.40
	Manbhum ...	Daltonganj ...	0	0.38	— 0.38
		Parulia ...	0	0.24	— 0.24

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 2nd March 1909.

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Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 21st to 27th February 1909.

Month.	Date.	Maximum sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	TEMPERATURE.				HYGROMETRY.				WIND.		Rains.	WEATHER.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1909.				Inches.						Inches		%			Inches	
Feb.	21st	133.2	8.7	29.841	80.0	92.6	23.5	69.1	68.6	0.568	62.0	58	SW, WSW and SSW.	175	Nil	Partially cloudy
"	22nd	133.7	4.3	.858	78.8	89.1	18.9	79.2	72.3	.718	69.3	74	SSW, SW and WSW.	135	Nil	Partially cloudy
"	23rd	137.3	6.2	.885	81.0	91.4	19.0	72.4	72.8	.737	70.1	76	SSW, WSW and SW by S.	85	Nil	Partially cloudy
"	24th	142.6	9.3	.833	80.4	93.2	23.0	69.3	70.8	.633	65.7	61	SW by S, SW and S by W.	113	Nil	Chiefly clear.
"	25th	136.5	7.6	.857	79.0	91.7	23.7	68.0	71.5	.701	68.7	75	W by S, WSW and variable.	78	Nil	Partially cloudy
"	26th	137.5	9.5	.911	78.7	93.0	26.8	65.2	69.0	.589	63.6	62	SSW, NW by N and WSW.	80	Nil	Chiefly clear.
"	27th	139.6	9.1	.929	78.9	92.3	25.1	67.2	65.8	.464	56.9	49	NW by N, N and calm.	90	Nil	Chiefly clear.

The mean pressure of the seven days ...

The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... 29.874

The total number of hours of bright sunshine ...

The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ... 80.8

The mean temperature of the seven days ...

The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... 79.5

The extreme variation of temperature ... 75.8

The maximum temperature ... 93.2

The highest velocity of the wind in one hour ...

The mean relative humidity ... 65

The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... 64

The total fall of rain from 21st to 27th February 1909 ...

The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... Nil

The total fall from 1st January to 27th February 1909 ... 0.11

The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office ... 0.10

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Kundsens Barograph, and from

eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

☁, dew; ☁ fog.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th February 1909 on 2,292.37 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	545,893	(a) 4,80,000 0 0	70,40,111 0	11,44,554 0 0	47,278 0 0	16,72,487 0 0	163,403	219,078	382,481
Or per mile of railway ...	...	209 10 10	...	420 4 7	20 10 0	729 9 5	...	...	...
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year ...	2,145,342	20,70,578 0 0	3,02,31,865 0	47,90,934 0 1	2,10,332 0 0	70,71,831 0 0	709,071	897,310	1,606,411
Total for 5½ weeks ...	2,691,235	25,51,238 0 0	3,72,71,976 0	59,35,488 0 0	2,57,595 0 0	87,44,321 0 0	872,474	1,116,418	1,988,892
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	642,223	6,29,551 6 5	67,78,774 10	11,47,190 12 9	40,137 10 7	19,10,891 13 9	170,255	215,638	385,893
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	275 4 3	...	501 9 8	17 8 11	794 6 10	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 5½ weeks of previous year ...	2,900,518	28,16,407 2 10	3,96,61,839 20	63,69,316 5 1	2,21,192 13 9	94,06,916 5 8	909,587	1,214,035	2,123,622

(a) The decrease is due to "Ardhodaya Joga" in the corresponding period of 1908

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,292.37	First 9 days of Jan.	582,853	5,75,716	91,60,173	14,45,222	58,069	20,79,407	907	477,346	4 6 8
2,292.37	Week ended 16th "	490,312	4,45,579	66,91,733	11,01,566	48,809	15,95,045	696	371,121	4 4 4
2,292.37	" " 23rd "	540,521	5,22,048	71,58,738	11,54,655	47,532	17,24,285	752	378,123	4 9 0
2,292.37	" " 30th "	523,856	5,27,544	72,31,221	10,89,691	55,891	16,72,947	730	371,913	4 6 1
2,292.37	" " 6th Feb.	545,893	4,80,000	70,40,111	11,44,554	47,273	16,72,487	730	382,481	4 6 0
	Totals up to date	2,691,235	25,51,238	3,72,71,976	59,35,488	2,57,595	87,44,321	722	1,988,892	4 6 0

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded.

1908.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,297.05	First 11 days of Jan.	685,522	6,38,389	1,08,10,017	18,49,635	68,135	25,54,157	1,117	586,113	4 5 9
2,297.05	Week ended 18th "	493,317	4,10,731	75,46,592	10,74,667	37,151	15,26,439	664	376,073	4 0 11
2,297.05	" " 25th "	479,377	4,77,407	72,10,947	11,15,198	37,843	15,80,532	713	386,230	4 3 7
2,297.05	" " 1st Feb.	648,579	6,40,235	73,00,689	11,74,728	39,982	18,90,739	832	399,893	4 13 3
2,297.05	" " 8th "	642,223	6,29,551	67,78,774	11,47,190	40,138	19,10,891	791	385,893	4 11 4
	Totals up to date	2,900,518	28,16,407	3,96,61,839	63,69,316	2,21,193	94,06,916	736	3,123,622	4 6 10

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th February 1909 on 22.31 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	28,415	(a) 8,200 0 0	15,171 0	663 0 0	8 0 0	8,871 0 0	1,317	159	1,476
Or per mile of railway ...	...	369 3 3	...	28 13 8	0 5 9	399 6 8	...	...	...
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year ...	99,860	21,873 0 0	65,170 0	3,148 0 0	28 0 0	25,349 0 0	5,702	685	6,387
Total for 5½ weeks ...	128,275	30,073 0 0	80,341 0	4,111 0 0	36 0 0	34,220 0 0	7,020	844	7,870
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	57,813	16,163 15 9	20,135 10	847 0 0	11 3 8	17,022 3 3	1,920	159	2,079
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	727 2 0	...	38 1 7	0 5 1	765 11 8	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 5½ weeks of previous year ...	174,916	44,305 6 3	11,03,814 20	4,103 11 0	41 1 9	48,350 6 9	8,400	812	9,212

(a) The decrease is due to "Ardhodaya Joga" in the corresponding period of 1908.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—concluded.

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
22'31	First 9 days of January ...	27,659	6,543	13,906	607	6	7,158	323	1,966	3 10 3
23'31	Week ended 16th " ...	24,766	5,027	12,178	436	6	5,539	219	1,476	3 11 11
24'31	" " 23rd " ...	23,852	5,301	10,444	770	7	6,078	274	1,476	4 1 11
25'31	" " 30th " ...	23,583	5,002	23,644	1,575	7	6,584	296	1,476	4 7 2
26'31	" " 6th Feb. ...	28,415	8,200	15,171	683	8	8,871	309	1,476	0 2
	Totals up to date ...	128,275	30,073	80,341	4,111	36	34,220	291	7,870	4 5 7

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded.

1908

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
										Rs. A. P.
22'28	First 11 days of January ...	32,463	7,003	24,088	1,049	9	8,941	403	2,378	3 12 4
23'28	Week ended 18th " ...	21,907	4,605	13,462	379	10	4,994	225	1,498	3 5 4
24'28	" " 25th " ...	23,730	5,056	28,804	982	10	6,048	272	1,498	4 0 7
25'28	" " 1st Feb. ...	40,013	10,477	20,135	847	1	11,333	509	1,780	6 5 10
26'28	" " 8th " ...	57,813	6,164	20,135	847	11	12,022	766	2,088	8 2 5
	Totals up to date ...	174,916	44,205	1,08,614	4,104	41	48,350	330	9,248	5 3 8

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 6th February 1909 on 162'36 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	23,560	20,212 0 0	2,56,978 0	16,720 0 0	34 0 0	30,946 0 0	12,410	4,650	17,060
Or per mile of railway ...	124 7 10	124 7 10	15 15 8	102 15 8	0 3 4	227 10 10	...	...	...
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year.	93,398	75,292 0 0	10,61,234 0	74,930 0 0	247 0 0	1,50,475 0 0	53,456	16,031	69,487
Total for 6½ weeks ...	116,948	95,504 0 0	13,18,212 0	91,656 0 0	281 0 0	1,87,441 0 0	65,866	20,681	86,547
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	25,703	18,005 12 7	2,74,281 0	18,734 15 0	44 13 3	36,806 8 10	11,727	5,219	16,946
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	110 14 5	...	115 6 3	0 6 5	226 11 1	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 6½ weeks of previous year ...	135,750	803 13 5	14,55,969 20	1,00,090 13 0	340 6 9	1,90,422 1 3	65,596	39,247	104,843

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
162'36	First 9 days of Jan. ...	28,730	15,650	3,03,743	21,090	80	36,720	226	21,179	1 11 9
163'36	Week ended 16th " ...	23,356	20,818	2,67,930	18,994	80	39,872	246	16,035	2 7 9
164'36	" " 23rd " ...	23,178	22,332	2,30,351	17,716	57	40,106	247	16,242	2 7 6
165'36	" " 30th " ...	19,184	16,592	2,69,201	17,184	60	33,778	208	16,201	2 1 4
166'36	" " 6th Feb. ...	23,550	20,212	2,66,976	16,720	34	36,936	228	17,000	2 2 3
	Totals up to date ...	118,948	95,504	13,18,210	91,656	281	1,87,441	218	86,747	2 2 7

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded.

1908.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
										Rs. A. P.
162'36	First 11 days of Jan. ...	36,141	24,389	3,54,576	22,451	104	48,944	301	25,451	1 14 9
163'36	Week ended 18th " ...	22,823	15,731	2,89,202	16,643	80	31,824	196	17,138	1 13 0
164'36	" " 25th " ...	25,899	16,400	2,90,213	16,832	61	36,792	227	16,200	2 0 4
165'36	" " 1st Feb. ...	25,193	16,960	2,47,639	19,030	60	30,050	223	17,108	2 1 9
166'36	" " 8th " ...	25,703	18,000	2,74,281	18,735	65	34,596	227	16,946	2 2 9
	Totals up to date ...	135,750	80,394	14,55,970	1,00,091	340	1,90,425	211	94,843	2 0 1

SUPPLEMENT TO THE CALCUTTA GAZETTE, MARCH 3, 1909.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th February 1909 on 2,292.37 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	534,157	5,31,080 0 0	74,20,715 0	11,09,116 0 0	47,266 0 0	17,47,421 0 0	165,507	219,843	385,440
Or per mile of railway ...	231 10 6	231 10 6	322 10 6	510 0 0	20 0 11	762 4 6	...	...	...
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year ...	2,689,335	26,51,238 0 0	3,72,71,976 0	59,35,488 0 0	2,57,595 0 0	87,44,321 0 0	872,474	1,116,418	1,988,892
Total for 6½ weeks ...	3,223,372	30,82,277 0 0	4,46,92,691 0	71,04,604 0 0	3,04,861 0 0	1,04,91,742 0 0	1,038,971	1,336,261	2,374,332
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	3,223,372	5,20,704 1 7	72,60,787 10	12,52,101 7 8	46,759 1 8	18,19,564 10 11	161,381	232,241	393,622
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	227 10 10	...	547 7 6	20 7 2	795 9 0	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 6½ weeks of previous year ...	3,432,505	33,37,111 4 5	4,69,32,626 30	76,21,417 12 9	2,67,951 15 5	1,12,26,431 0 7	1,070,968	1,446,276	2,517,244

(a) Decrease is chiefly in rice from Burma in the corresponding period of 1908.

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
										Rs. A. P.
2,292.37	First 9 days of Jan. ...	652,053	5,75,716	91,00,173	14,43,222	58,069	20,78,007	907	477,316	4 5 8
2,292.37	Week ended 16th ..	400,812	4,45,370	66,91,733	11,01,566	48,809	15,95,645	696	371,129	4 6 9
2,292.37	" " 23rd ..	640,321	5,22,048	71,58,738	11,54,655	47,552	17,24,255	752	378,123	4 9 0
2,292.37	" " 30th ..	629,556	5,45,144	72,21,221	10,89,491	53,892	16,72,927	739	379,913	4 6 5
2,292.37	" " 6th Feb. ...	545,913	4,80,000	70,40,111	11,44,554	47,273	16,72,447	733	382,481	4 6 0
2,292.37	" " 13th ..	534,157	5,31,039	74,20,715	11,30,116	47,266	17,47,421	702	385,440	4 6 6
	Totals up to date ..	3,223,372	30,82,277	4,46,92,691	71,04,604	3,04,861	1,04,91,742	728	2,374,332	4 6 8

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—consolid.

1908.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
										Rs. A. P.
2,287.05	First 11 days of Jan. ...	645,532	6,39,589	1,08,16,917	16,40,635	66,133	23,54,157	1,117	584,113	4 6 9
2,287.05	Week ended 18th ..	453,517	4,10,731	76,48,602	10,74,557	37,151	15,26,439	667	376,073	4 0 11
2,287.05	" " 25th ..	479,877	4,77,497	72,10,947	11,15,196	37,830	16,30,632	713	346,250	4 8 7
2,287.05	" " 1st Feb. ...	648,679	6,60,286	73,09,589	11,44,229	39,932	17,75,807	832	389,203	4 13 3
2,287.05	" " 8th ..	643,223	6,29,554	67,78,714	11,47,199	40,134	18,36,811	794	383,893	4 11 4
2,287.05	" " 15th ..	622,987	5,20,704	72,60,787	12,52,102	46,759	18,19,565	795	393,923	4 10 0
	Totals up to date ..	3,432,505	33,37,111	4,69,32,626	76,21,418	2,67,952	1,12,26,431	747	2,517,244	4 7 4

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th February 1909, on 22.21 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	27,697	6,431 0 0	18,394 0	751 0 0	0 0 0	7,191 0 0	1,317	159	1,476
Or per mile of railway ...	289 8 10	289 8 10	828 0 0	33 13 0	0 6 6	323 12 4	...	...	...
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year ...	123,275	30,078 0 0	80,341 0	4,111 0 0	36 0 0	34,220 0 0	7,026	814	7,870
Total for 6½ weeks ...	150,972	36,504 0 0	98,735 0	4,862 0 0	43 0 0	41,411 0 0	8,343	1,003	9,346
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	26,779	6,067 8 6	39,018 20	973 15 0	6 0 0	7,037 7 6	1,842	154	1,496
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	272 7 10	...	43 13 0	0 4 4	316 9 2	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 6½ weeks of previous year ...	200,695	56,362 14 9	1,47,633 0	5,077 13 0	47 1 9	57,387 13 6	9,742	996	10,738

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—concluded.

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
22-21	First 9 days of Jan. ...	27,000	6,543	13,906	607	8	7,159	333	1,996	3 10 3
22-21	Week ended 16th " ...	24,703	5,037	13,176	499	6	5,539	349	1,476	3 11 11
22-21	" " 23rd " ...	23,862	5,301	16,444	770	7	6,078	274	1,476	4 1 11
22-21	" " 30th Feb. ...	23,683	5,002	23,044	1,573	7	6,584	296	1,476	4 7 4
22-21	" " 6th " ...	28,516	8,200	18,171	693	8	9,871	349	1,476	5 6 2
22-21	" " 13th " ...	27,897	6,481	19,304	751	9	7,191	334	1,476	4 13 11
	Totals up to date	1,55,972	39,504	98,733	4,902	43	41,411	207	9,345	4 6 11

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded

1908.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
22-23	First 11 days of Jan. ...	32,403	7,913	26,048	1,049	9	8,961	403	2,378	3 13 4
22-23	Week ended 18th " ...	21,907	4,605	13,232	379	10	4,994	225	1,408	3 5 4
22-23	" " 25th " ...	22,720	5,056	28,894	982	10	6,045	273	1,408	4 0 7
22-23	" " 1st Feb. ...	40,013	10,477	20,135	847	1	11,323	500	1,790	5 5 10
22-23	" " 8th " ...	57,813	16,164	20,135	847	11	17,022	766	2,098	6 3 5
22-23	" " 15th " ...	28,770	6,054	30,019	974	6	7,038	317	1,408	4 11 3
	Totals up to date	200,695	50,203	1,47,543	5,078	47	55,388	370	10,738	5 2 6

DKLHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th February 1909 on 162-36 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	26,107	19,138 0 0	2,86,438 0	19,038 0 0	40 0 0	39,316 0 0	13,356	4,648	17,003
Or per mile of railway ...	110,948	95,504 0 0	13,18,210 0	91,656 0 0	281 0 0	1,97,441 0 0	60,086	20,081	80,747
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year									
Total for 6½ weeks	143,055	1,14,812 0 0	16,04,608 0	1,10,694 0 0	331 0 0	2,25,057 0 0	78,421	26,329	1,103,760
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	26,118	17,428 7 11	2,75,391 10	17,402 11 0	30 8 9	34,921 11 8	11,673	5,137	16,310
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	107 5 6	107 5 6	107 5 6	107 8 11	0 3 0	215 1 5	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 6½ weeks of previous year.	161,877	1,07,422 5 4	17,31,353 30	1,17,653 8 0	370 15 6	2,25,346 12 10	77,269	34,384	111,653

1909

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
162-26	First 9 days of Jan. ...	28,730	15,560	3,63,743	21,090	80	36,730	228	21,179	1 11 9
162-26	Week ended 16th " ...	23,366	20,918	2,57,939	18,994	60	39,972	246	16,065	2 7 9
162-26	" " 23rd " ...	23,178	22,532	2,39,361	17,716	57	40,105	247	16,342	2 7 6
162-26	" " 30th " ...	19,134	16,692	2,69,201	17,136	50	33,778	206	16,301	2 1 4
162-26	" " 6th Feb. ...	23,550	20,212	2,56,976	16,730	31	36,966	228	17,090	2 2 8
162-26	" " 13th " ...	26,107	19,138	2,86,438	19,038	40	39,316	235	17,003	2 4 0
	Totals up to date	143,055	1,14,812	16,04,608	1,10,694	321	2,25,057	231	103,750	2 2 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded.

1908.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
162-26	First 11 days of Jan. ...	30,141	22,380	3,54,376	24,421	104	49,944	301	23,461	1 14 9
162-26	Week ended 18th " ...	23,323	15,731	2,89,202	16,043	50	31,824	196	17,138	1 13 9
162-26	" " 25th " ...	23,819	16,890	2,90,213	12,832	61	30,793	227	18,900	2 0 4
162-26	" " 1st Feb. ...	25,193	16,989	2,47,080	19,030	40	36,059	232	17,103	2 1 9
162-26	" " 8th " ...	26,703	18,006	2,74,361	18,735	65	36,806	237	16,946	2 2 9
162-26	" " 15th " ...	25,118	17,428	2,76,384	17,403	31	34,921	216	16,310	2 1 3
	Totals up to date	161,877	1,07,422	17,31,354	1,17,554	371	2,25,347	211	111,653	2 0 4

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 13th February 1909 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES ETC.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	69,000	47,501 0 0	338,000 0	42,000 0 0	5,000 0 0	94,500 0 0	14,630	18,366	32,996
Or per mile of railway ...	89'84	61'85	438'39	54'47	6'40	123'81	19'05	23'82	42'87
For previous 6 weeks of half-year ...	377,500	2,40,000 0 0	1,930,000 0	2,27,500 0 0	27,500 0 0	4,95,000 0 0	74,981	101,531	176,512
Total for 7 weeks ...	446,500	2,87,500 0 0	2,268,000 0	2,69,500 0 0	32,500 0 0	5,89,500 0 0	89,611	119,897	209,508
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	65,158	52,544 0 0	283,744 0	44,513 0 0	3,526 0 0	1,00,583 0 0	17,006	20,514	37,520
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	84'84	68'42	368'02	57'73	4'57	130'72	22'14	26'61	48'75
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	468,810	3,15,858 0 0	1,640,948 0	2,40,907 0 0	25,059 0 0	5,81,824 0 0	104,045	127,790	231,835

FINANCIAL YEAR—Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 13TH FEBRUARY 1909			RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 15TH FEBRUARY 1908.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1908 TO 13TH FEBRUARY 1909.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1907 TO 15TH FEBRUARY 1908.			Total increase in 1909	Total decrease in 1908
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			Rs.
771	94,500	122'81	771	1,00,583	130'72	771	40,68,115	...	771	42,32,323	...	...	1,64,206

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the period ending 20th February 1909	...	...	...	15,663	0	0
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1908	...	...	...	13,686	0	0
	Increase	...	...	1,977	0	0
Receipts per mile for the period ending 20th February 1909	...	...	...	307	1	11
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908	...	...	...	268	5	8
	Increase	...	...	38	12	3
Receipts from 1st January to 30th February 1909	1,03,099	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908	94,304	0	0
	Increase	8,795	0	0



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SECOND FORECAST OF THE WHEAT CROP OF, BENGAL FOR 1908-09.

The following note is published for general information.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 2nd March 1909.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

SECOND FORECAST OF THE WHEAT CROP OF BENGAL FOR 1908-09.

(On an average of five years ending 1906-07, the area under wheat in the territory to which this forecast relates, has represented some 4·81 per cent. of the total area under wheat in India.

The ratio of the irrigated wheat acreage to total wheat acreage, (a) in British India and (b) in the territory now reported on has, in the five years ending 1906-07, averaged (a) 38·1 per cent. and (b) 1·8 per cent., respectively.)

Character of the season.—As reported in the first forecast issued in December last, the sowings began at the

normal season and under favourable circumstances. But absence of rain since the second week of October hindered progress and affected the growth of the early sown crops. The rainfall in the latter part of the last month did much good, but it was too scanty in Bihar where the crop is most important.

Area sown.—The area sown with the crop is reported to be 1,234,900 acres as against 1,003,100 acres of last year. The increase is due to the cultivation of the crop on low lands in Bihar where, for want of sufficient moisture, paddy could not be sown.

Outturn.—Of the important districts of Bihar, Gaya, Shahabad, Saran, Champaran, Muzaffarpur, Monghyr and the Sonthal Parganas report crops of between 59 to 75 per cent. of the normal. In Patna, Darbhanga, Bhagalpur and Purnea, as well as in the less important districts of Nadia, Murshidabad, and Hazaribagh, a poor outturn is anticipated. The outturn for the whole Province according to the District Officers' estimates works out to 60 per cent. of the normal.

CALCUTTA, W. R. GOURLAY,
The 23rd February 1909. } *Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Second Forecast of the Wheat Crop of 1908-09.

District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.													Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
	Total area of district, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under wheat crop, in acres.	Approximate area under wheat last year (1907-08), in acres.	Estimated area under wheat this year (1908-09), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much represented the output last year (1907-08)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much will represent this year's output (1908-09)?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	12	13	14
Burdwan ..	1,721,990	1,284,200	1,000	700	1,500	42	68	Acres. 85,228 1899 to 1892 and 1903-04 to 1907-08.	321 Middle of October to beginning of November.	321 Middle of October to beginning of November.				
Birbhum ..	1,121,990	786,720	5,000	1,000	1,100	50	40	48,571 1899 to 1891 and 1906.	Not known					
Bankura ..	1,677,440	649,800	5,500	3,000	3,000	50	75	14,579 1899 to 1902 and 1906.						
Midnapore ..	3,310,040	2,160,000	2,000	1,500	1,000	60	45	25,342 1893-98						
Hooghly ..	751,210	445,000	2,400	1,700	1,100			Not cadastrally surveyed.						

A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crop, and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.

The weather and rainfall conditions have not been favourable. The area and output are below the normal for want of moisture. Sowers were normal.

The weather was not favourable for the crop. The condition of the crop is not good owing to cessation of rain since October last. The date of sowing was late.

The unfavourable season of the year has affected the crop. The date of sowing was little late.

The weather was not favourable for the growth of the crop for want of rain. The area under cultivation this year at Ghatal has therefore decreased. The date of sowing was normal. The condition of the crop is fair.

The weather was not favourable. The crop suffered to a certain extent from absence of rain from the very beginning. The condition of the crop is fair. The date of sowing was normal.

District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.										Date at which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crop, and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
	Total area of district, in acres.	Total area cultivated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under wheat crop, in acres.	Approximate area under wheat crop, in acres.	Approximate area under wheat crop, in acres.	Estimated area under wheat crop, in acres.	Taking 100% normal output, how much will represent the normal output of this year (1907-08)?	Taking 100% normal output, how much will represent the normal output of this year (1907-08)?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Nadia	1,787,680	1,648,400	23,100	8,800	13,900	31	33	Not cadastrally surveyed.	Acres.	Acres.	Beginning of October.	The weather and general conditions have not been favourable. The rainfall in January has benefited the crop. The sowings were normal.	
Murshidabad	1,371,520	985,500	69,300	16,600	31,400	28	30	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	End of September.	The weather was not favourable for want of rain. The condition of the crop is fair. The recent rainfall will improve prospects to some extent. The date of sowing was normal. Revised figures submitted by some of the thana officers for the estimated area under the crop this year are being verified.	
Jessore	1,572,183	1,191,000	1,700	1,500	900	40	50	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	February	The weather was not favourable for want of rain. The condition of the crop is fair. The date of sowing was normal.	
Patna	1,838,000	1,082,100	125,000	106,700	104,300	73	49	73,164	1900-01	1,291	From October	The weather was not favourable. The general condition of the crop is not good. The date of sowing was normal this year.	
Gaya	3,015,680	2,115,100	167,000	68,400	71,500	69	73	617,200	1898-1899, 1900-1902, and 1907-08.	23,193	2nd week of October.	The weather was not favourable. The condition of the crop can be described as fair. The recent rain has done much good to the crop. The date of sowing was generally normal.	


Shahabad	2,360,945	1,843,700	236,660	132,000	174,200	55	70	.....	.....	1st October.	
Saran	1,711,392	267,390	77,660	67,100	73,900	68	63	1,653,435	1893 to 1901	15th September.	77,582
Champanin	2,559,840	1,447,800	105,300	68,600	80,000	58	75	2,359,840	1892 to 1899	18th October.	105,300
Musaffarpur	1,942,400	1,237,000	69,700	65,000	70,000	85	60	1,848,400	1892 to 1898	1st week of October.	69,700
Darbhanga	2,142,600	1,878,000	52,700	75,600	102,200	56	49	2,142,600	1896 to 1903	September and October.	52,700
Monghyr	2,510,050	1,582,800	160,000	174,300	222,500	64	70	988,533	1900 to 1904	1st week of October.	168,612
Bhagalpur	2,704,640	2,073,300	166,290	135,000	200,000	81	67	1,037,943	1902-04	15th October.	65,000
Purnea	3,196,135	1,694,400	24,000	23,900	30,000	40	40	2,506,346	1901-02 and 1904-05.	October	Not yet known.
Darjeeling	744,866	166,600	4,800	4,200	4,200	59	59	251,349	1897-1903	Oct bet to December.	1711
<p>The crop was sown under fairly favourable conditions. The rains rain though scanty was seasonable. It was followed by a long drought and the crop suffered. Finally a little rain fell in the end of January and this rain though insufficient has improved the prospects of the crop.</p> <p>The general condition is fair. The weather was seasonable. The increase in the area in column 6 is due to more areas sown under the crop in the Siwan and Gopalganj subdivisions since the submission of the 1st forecast. The date of sowing was early.</p> <p>The weather was unfavourable for want of rain. The general condition of the crop is fair as yet. But rain is urgently wanted. The date of sowing was normal.</p> <p>The weather was not favourable as the rainfall was scanty and badly distributed. The crop is suffering for want of moisture except in irrigated tracts. The date of sowing was normal.</p> <p>The weather was not good. The general condition of the crop is bad. The date of sowing was early in the Samastipur subdivision and normal in the Sadar and Madhubani subdivisions.</p> <p>The weather has not been quite favourable. The crop suffered to some extent for want of rain. The date of sowing was normal.</p> <p>Owing to inadequate rainfall during the last rainy season the soil is devoid of moisture and hence the crop has indifferent growth. The condition of the crop on high lands will go from bad to worse if there be no rainfall soon. The crop on low lands are doing well in places, where irrigation is possible. The date of sowing was early in the Supaul and Patna in the Banka subdivisions.</p> <p>The weather was not favourable and rain is urgently wanted. If there be no rain soon, the outcome will be poorer than that now expected.</p> <p>The date of sowing was normal. The condition of the crop is not good due to unfavourable weather.</p>											

District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.										Date at which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crop and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11		
	Total area of district, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate area under wheat crop, in acres.	Approximate area under wheat last year (1907-08), in acres.	Best year (1906-07) under wheat, in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much represented the output last year (1907-08).	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much will represent this year's output (1908-09).	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.	12	13	14
Southal Parganas	3,500,909	1,545,300	23,500	10,500	12,900	48	59	3,272,009	1899 to 1903.	15,064	1st October.	The weather was not favourable. The general condition of the crop is not good owing to want of moisture. The date of sowing was normal.	
Outrack	2,338,560	1,223,500	1,600	1,300	1,000	71	87	2,083,457	1899-95 and 1898-1901 and 1905-07.	331	15th October to 1st November.	The weather has not been favourable to the crop for cessation of rain since October last. The general condition of the crop is not good. The date of sowing was normal this year.	
Balaore	1,354,368	883,200	100	100	100	80	80	1,095,778	1897-92 to 1894-95.		10th November.	The weather and rainfall conditions have not been favourable. Want of moisture is being felt. The area sown is for this reason below the normal. The condition of the crop is fair. The date of sowing was about normal.	
Angul	1,057,263	263,000	100	100	100	80	80	575,253	1898-99 and 1905-08.		End of October.	The date of sowing was this year late.	
Bambalpur	2,447,360	846,300	100	100	100	60	90	2,447,360	1894-97 and 1891-97.	149	20th October.	This crop is cultivated in this district with the aid of irrigation only, the soil being not a retentive one. The date of sowing was normal.	
Hauslabagh	6,693,440	1,703,000	18,704	2,500	13,800	25	45					The date of sowing was normal. The weather and condition of the crop are not good owing to want of rain at the time of sowing.	

	4,001,000	1,500,000	600	100	500	40	100	The district is being cadastrally surveyed.	October	The general condition of the crop is not very good for want of rain. The date of sowing was normal.
Banohi	4,001,000	1,500,000	600	100	500	40	100		October	
Pahman	3,144,000	887,000	14,700	1,800	3,500	80	60	197,000 1898-97 1,440	1st week of October.	The sowing was generally early. Rainfall of this week has been beneficial. The condition of the crop is fair.
Mandham	2,654,000	1,412,000	5,000	800	2,100	40	66	Not cadastrally surveyed.	Latter part of October and beginning of November.	The weather has not been very favourable for want of sufficient cold weather rain. The general condition of the crop is fair. The date of sowing was normal.
Kinghabbum	2,400,000	843,700	3,000	2,600	3,000	50	58	1,761,084 1898-97 and 1899-03, 1,867	1st November.	The weather and general condition of the crop have been favourable. The date of sowing was normal.
Total	86,041,703	37,141,000	1,851,500	1,005,100	1,334,000	68	60	.....	.....	.....

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 8th March 1909

No.	Name of district	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather hot at day but cool in the night. Cattle-disease reported from the Keugaon thana in the Katwa subdivision. Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops good. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	9	9	Threshing of paddy finished. Fodder and water sufficient. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of scarcity. Cattle-disease reported from the Sadar thana.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	10½	10	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE	Nil	10	10	Threshing of winter rice continuing. Sowing of <i>til</i> and planting of sugarcane continuing in the Contai and Ghatal subdivisions. Prospects of sugarcane and tobacco fair in the Tamluk subdivision but bad elsewhere. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Midnapore, Binpur, Kharagpur, Narayan-garh, Keshiari and Jhargaoon. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 11 seers per rupee at Contai, 8½ seers at Tamluk and at 11½ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY		9	9	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops and potatoes fair. Threshing of winter paddy not yet completed. Pressing of sugarcane commenced. Prices of food-grains stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing well. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. No cattle-disease reported.
7	24-PARGANAS	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Common rice selling at 10 seers per rupee at Basirhat, 9½ seers at Diamond Harbour and at 8½ seers at Barrackpore. Report from Barasat not received.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	9½	9½	Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Lands being prepared for <i>bhadosi</i> crops and jute. Stocks of food-grains barely sufficient. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Cattle-disease reported from Meherpur, Gangani and Chakdaha thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.



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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 1731A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

- GENERAL.—No. 989A.—The 3rd February 1909.**—Mr. C. H. Swindon, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sonthal Parganas, is appointed to have charge of the Pakaur subdivision of that district.
- No. 1533A.—The 26th February 1909.**—Babu Nagendra Nath Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khunti, Ranchi, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Burdwan district.
- No. 1541A.—The 26th February 1909.**—Maulvi Nasir-ul-Hakk, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Angul, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Balasore district.
- No. 1570A.—The 27th February 1909.**—Mr. F. B. Bradley-Birt, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Khulna.
- No. 1581A.—The 27th February 1909.**—Mr. J. Johnston, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Khulna, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Shahabad.
- No. 1607A.—The 1st March 1909.**—Babu Bhabataran Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Saran, was employed at Darbhanga from the 2nd to the 17th February 1909, inclusive.

No. 1655A.—The 2nd March 1909.—Nawabzada Saiyid Ikbal Husain, Probationary Deputy Collector, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to be a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the eighth grade and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district.

No. 1660A.—The 2nd March 1909.—Babu Ashutosh Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Bagerhat subdivision of the Khulna district.

No. 1662A.—The 2nd March 1909.—Babu Hari Bhushan De, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bagerhat, Khulna, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

No. 1668A.—The 2nd March 1909.—Babu Dasharathi Datta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Nadia district.

VOLUNTEERS.—No. 1556A.—The 27th February 1909.—Lieutenant John Leslie, Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles, is appointed to be Paymaster of the corps, with effect from the 14th November 1908.

EDUCATION.—No. 1496A.—The 24th February 1909.—Mr. H. Armitstead, B.Sc., is appointed temporarily to act as a Professor in the David Hare Training College, with effect from the 17th December 1908.

No. 1544A.—The 26th February 1909.—Mrs. Saralabala Mitra, B.A., is appointed temporarily to be Principal of the Training School for female teachers in Calcutta, with effect from the 1st October 1908.

No. 1547A.—The 26th February 1909.—Maulvi Shams-ul-ulama Ahmad, Head Maulvi, Calcutta Madrasah, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Principal of that Institution, during the absence, on leave, of Dr. E. D. Ross, or until further orders.

EXOISE.—No. 1677A.—The 2nd March 1909.—Babu Shashi Shekhar Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Puri, is appointed to be Special Exoise Deputy Collector, Darbhanga.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—No. 1647A.—The 1st March 1909.—The Rev. J. Godber, Bishop's Chaplain, is appointed to be Junior Chaplain, St. Paul's Cathedral, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 1st March 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

No. 1649A.—The 1st March 1909.—The Rev. H. B. Cogan, D.D., Junior Chaplain, St. Paul's Cathedral, is appointed to be Senior Chaplain, with effect from the 1st March 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

JAILS.—No. 1629A.—The 1st March 1909.—Major G. Y. O. Hunter, I.M.S., is appointed to act as Superintendent of the Presidency Central Jail, Calcutta, during the absence, on deputation, of Major J. Mulvany, I.M.S., or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—No. 992A.—The 3rd February 1909.—Mr. H. H. Heard, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pakaur, Sonthal Parganas, is allowed combined leave for one year, two months and fifteen days, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and nine days, with effect from the 20th March 1909, or the amount due on any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Regulations.

No. 1536A.—The 26th February 1909.—Maulvi Abdul Hakk, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

No. 1543A.—The 26th February 1909.—Mr. J. Clark, I.C.S., has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of furlough for ten days.

No. 1568A.—The 27th February 1909.—Mr. W. A. Marr, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Shahabad, is allowed combined leave for nine months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 9th March 1909, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (b) of the Regulations.

No. 1579A.—The 1st March 1909.—Mr. H. L. Stephenson, i.c.s., on special duty, is allowed combined leave for one year and six months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 22nd March 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (b) of the Regulations.

No. 1583A.—The 1st March 1909.—Mr. H. L. Stephenson, i.c.s., on special duty, was on leave up to the forenoon of the 24th October 1908, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 28th September 1908.

No. 1585A.—The 1st March 1909.—Mr. Nagendra Nath Banarji, Personal Assistant to Director of Agriculture, Bengal, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 22nd February 1909.

No. 1599A.—The 1st March 1909.—The late Mr. Charu Chandra Chakrabatti, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, was on leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 27th January to the 21st February 1909, both days inclusive.

VOLUNTEERS.—No. 1554A.—The 27th February 1909.—Captain William John Traise, Second (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for one year, with effect from the 26th March 1909.

No. 1555A.—The 27th February 1909.—Major Thomas Herbert Kerr Drimmie, v.d., Cossipore Artillery Volunteers, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence from the 18th February to the 1st October, 1909.

EDUCATION.—No. 1657A.—The 2nd March 1909.—Pandit Baladeb Ram Jha, Additional Bhagalpur Divn. Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division, is allowed leave for nineteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th March 1909.

EXCISE.—No. 1673A.—The 2nd March 1909.—Babu Krishna Lal Dey, Special Excise Darbhanga. Deputy Collector, Darbhanga, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

POWERS.

No. 1610A.—The 1st March 1909.—The order of the 19th January 1909, vesting Babu Bhabataran Chatarji, Deputy Collector, with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in the districts of Darbhanga and Monghyr, is cancelled.

No. 1619A.—The 1st March 1909.—The order of the 19th January 1909, vesting Maulvi Saiyid Ali Hasan, Deputy Collector, with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in the districts of Darbhanga and Monghyr, is cancelled.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 24th February 1909 :—

No. 612A.—The 22nd February 1909.—Babu Lalit Mohan Basu, Munsif of Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave for four months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1909.

No. 613A.—The 22nd February 1909.—Babu Amrita Nath Mitra, Munsif of Maulvi Bazar, in the district of Sylhet, is allowed leave for forty-eight days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th February 1909.

No. 619A.—The 23rd February 1909.—Babu Bipin Bihari Mukharji (No. I), Munsif of Barisal, in the district of Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Barisal.

No. 620A.—The 23rd February 1909.—Babu Nani Gopal Mukharji (No. I), Munsif of Bhola, in the district of Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Bhola Munsifi.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 980L.R.—The 25th February 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Co-operative Credit Societies Act, 1904 (X of 1904), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rules to carry out the purposes of the said Act in the Province of Bengal.

RULES.

Definitions.

1. In these rules,—

“the Act” means the Co-operative Credit Societies Act, 1904; and
 “the rules” means rules made under the Act and for the time being in force.

2. (1) Every application for the registration of a Society must be submitted to the Registrar, Co-operative Credit Societies, in the form contained in the schedule to these rules and must be signed by the applicants.

Application for registration.

(2) With every such application there must be submitted two copies of the by-laws which the Society proposes to make. Both of these copies must be signed by the applicants. One copy shall be retained in the Registrar's office and the other, after approval by the Registrar, shall be returned to the Society with the official seal of the Registrar.

Procedure of Registrar on receipt of such applications.

3. (1) The Registrar shall examine such application and by-laws in order to satisfy himself as to—

- (a) whether they are in conformity with the Act and the rules;
- (b) whether the by-laws are suitable for ensuring the safe conduct of business and the carrying out of the intentions of the Act; and
- (c) whether the proposed Society fulfils the intentions and conditions of the Act and the rules; and may require any alterations to be made in the application or by-laws in order to bring them into conformity with the Act or the rules.

(2) If the Registrar is not satisfied on all points mentioned in clauses (a), (b) and (c) of sub-rule (1), he shall refuse to register the Society; but if he is so satisfied, he shall grant a certificate of registration.

(3) Whenever the Registrar refuses to register a Society, he shall record his reasons in writing, and the applicants may appeal to the Director of Co-operative Credit Societies, whose decision shall be final.

4. (1) Any member of a Society may nominate any person to whom or to whose credit the moneys referred to in section 16 of the Act shall be paid or transferred on the death of the member.

Nominations of deceased members.

(2) The Society must keep a register of all persons so nominated.

5. (1) Registered societies may borrow, in accordance with law, from either members or non-members; and all borrowings shall be regulated by by-laws.

Borrowing.

(2) The maximum amount of borrowings shall be determined annually at a general meeting of the Society, but may be revised at any subsequent general meeting during the year. The maximum amount so determined or revised shall be reported to the Registrar.

6. (1) Any Society may make by-laws in respect of the following matters, namely:—

Power to make by-laws.

- (a) the name and registered address of the Society, and the area of its operations;
- (b) the objects for which the Society is established; the purposes for which the funds thereof are applicable; the terms of admission of members; the conditions under which members may obtain loans, and the consequences of defaulters in payments of any sum due to a member;
- (c) the mode of holding meetings, the right of voting, and the manner of making, altering and abrogating by-laws;
- (d) the rights and liabilities of membership;
- (e) the mode of appointment and removal of a Committee and officers (if any), and the duties and powers of the Committee and the officers;
- (f) the manner in which capital may be raised, by means of shares or debentures, or by borrowing from persons who are not members, or by taking deposits from members, or otherwise;
- (g) the mode of custody and of investment of the funds, and the mode of keeping the accounts; and
- (h) any other matters incidental to the management of the business of the Society.

(2) When a Society has been registered, the by-laws submitted under rule 2 shall become the by-laws of the Society.

(3) By-laws may be made, altered or abrogated thereafter in accordance with a resolution passed at a general meeting of the Society:

Provided that—

- (a) due notice of any proposal to make, alter or abrogate is given in accordance with the by-laws;
- (b) the resolution is passed by not less than two-thirds of the members present at the general meeting, and by not less than half of the total number of the members; and
- (c) the making, alteration or abrogation is approved by the Registrar.

7. For the purposes of section 22 of the Act, a copy of any entry in a book of a Society may be certified by a certificate written at the foot of such copy that it is true copy of such entry, that such entry is contained in one of the ordinary books of the Society and was made in the usual and ordinary course of business, and that such book is still in the custody of the Society; such certificate being dated and subscribed by the Chairman of the Society or by any other officer approved by the Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

FORM OF APPLICATION TO REGISTER A SOCIETY.

Co-operative Credit Societies Act, 1904 (X of 1904).

We, the undersigned, agree to the enclosed by-laws; and, under section 6 of the Co-operative Credit Societies Act, 1904 (X of 1904), apply to be registered as the Society with liability, the registered Office being, in district, , thana, , Post Office :—

No.	Names of applicants for registration.	Father's name.	Occupation.	Age.	Residence.
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2. Notification No. 1115L.R., dated the 26th February 1906, which was published at page 317 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th idem, is hereby cancelled.

No. *982L.R.—The 25th February 1909.—The following draft of rules which the Lieutenant-Governor proposes to make in exercise of the power conferred by clause (xx) of section 264 of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th April, 1909, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

DRAFT.

In exercise of the power conferred by clause (xx) of section 264 of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to prescribe the following rules as to the manner of service of notices, summonses and other processes (other than warrants against the person of judgment-debtors) issued under that Act.

1. The word "process," as used in these rules, means any notice, summons or other process issued under the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908, other than a warrant against the person of a judgment-debtor. *

2. Every process shall be served personally on the person to whom it is addressed.

3. Notwithstanding anything contained in rule 2,—

(a) if the person to whom any process is addressed has an agent empowered to accept service, or placed in charge of the management of his Zamindari business in connection with the landed property to which the suit or proceeding, in which the process is issued, relates, service of such process on such agent shall be sufficient; and

(b) if the person to whom any process is addressed cannot be found, and has no such agent as is referred to in clause (a), service of such process may be made on any adult male member of the family of such person who may be residing with him.

Explanation.—A servant is not a member of the family within the meaning of clause (b).

4. Service of a process shall be made by delivering or tendering a copy thereof, signed by the officer under whose authority the process is issued, or by some officer appointed by him in this behalf.

5. (1) When the serving officer delivers or tenders a copy of a process to any person referred to in rule 2 or rule 3, he—

- (a) shall require the signature of such person to an acknowledgment of service endorsed on the original process, or, if such person be illiterate, shall take his thumb-impression instead of a signature; and
- (b) shall require the signature of persons identifying the person on whom service was made, and of persons witnessing the delivery or tender of the process, to the said acknowledgment, or, if any of them be illiterate, shall take his thumb-impression instead of a signature.

6. Whenever a process has been served under rule 2 or rule 3, the serving officer—

- (a) shall endorse or annex, or cause to be endorsed or annexed, on or to the original process, a return stating the time when and the manner in which the process was served and the names and addresses of the persons (if any) who identified the person served and witnessed the delivery or tender of the process, and
- (b) shall require the signature of such identifiers and witnesses to the said return, or, if any such identifier or witness be illiterate, shall take his thumb-impression instead of a signature.

7. In either of the following cases, namely:—

- (a) if any person on whom a process is served refuses to sign the acknowledgment, or
- (b) if the serving officer, after using all due and reasonable diligence, cannot find the person to whom a process is addressed, and there is no such agent as is referred to in rule 3 to accept service thereof on behalf of the addressee, and no adult male member of his family on whom service can be made,

the serving officer shall affix a copy of the process on the outer door or some other conspicuous part of the house in which the person to whom the process is addressed ordinarily resides or carries on business or personally works for gain, or of his Zamindari Outcherry or Bhandar or farm-house (if any), and shall then return the original to the Court or officer by whom it was issued, with a report, endorsed thereon or annexed thereto, stating that he has so affixed the copy, the circumstances under which he did so, and the name and address of the person (if any) by whom the house, Outcherry or Bhandar or farm-house was identified and in whose presence the copy was affixed.

8. When a process is returned under rule 7, the Court or officer by whom it was issued shall, if the return under that rule has not been verified by the affidavit of the serving officer, and may, if it has been so verified, examine the serving officer on oath, or cause him to be so examined by another Court, touching his proceedings, and may make such further inquiry in the matter as the Court or officer thinks fit; and shall either declare that the process has been duly served or order such service as it or he thinks fit.

9. (1) Where the Court or officer by whom a process was issued for service on any person is satisfied that there is reason to believe that such person is keeping out of the way for the purpose of avoiding service, or that for any other reason the process cannot be served in the ordinary way, the Court or officer shall order the process to be served by affixing a copy thereof in some conspicuous place in the Court or in the office of such officer, as the case may be, and also upon some conspicuous part of the house (if any) in which the said person is known to have last resided or carried on business or personally worked for gain, or in such other manner as the Court thinks fit.

(2) Service ordered under sub-rule (1) shall be as effectual as if it had been made on the said person personally.

(3) Whenever service is ordered under sub-rule (1), the Court or officer shall fix such time for the appearance of the said person as the case may require.

10. (1) A process may be sent, by the Court or officer by whom it is issued, either by one of its or his officers or by post, to any other Court or officer having jurisdiction under the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908, in the place of residence of the person on whom the process is to be served.

(2) The Court or officer to whom a process is so sent shall, upon receipt thereof, proceed as if it had been issued by such Court or officer, and shall then return the process to the Court or officer by whom it was issued, together with the record (if any) made under this sub-rule.

11. Notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing rules, if the person to whom any process is addressed resides at a place in which the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908, is not in force, the process shall be deemed to be fully served by properly addressing, pre-paying and posting by registered post a letter containing the process, and to have been served at the time at which the letter would be delivered in the ordinary course of post.

No. 1037 L.R.—The 23rd February 1909.—Notification No. 2891 L.R., dated the 31st July 1908, published at pages 1383-84, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette*

Bankura. of 5th August 1908, ordering the survey and preparation of a record-of-rights, under section 101 (2) (a) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, in respect of mauza Chuamasina in Patni Lot Haripur, appertaining to estate Vishnupur, tauzi No. 1 of the Bankura Collectorate, is hereby cancelled.

No. 1038 L.R.—The 23rd February 1909.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal

Bankura. is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of all lands comprised within the external boundaries of mauza Chuamasina (appertaining to Lot Haripur in estate Vishnupur, tauzi No. 1 of the Bankura Collectorate) and of mauza Radhanagar (appertaining to estate No. 2 of the same Collectorate), in the district of Bankura, and that the boundaries of estates, tenures, mauzas and fields be demarcated on the lands so to be surveyed.

No. 1039 L.R.—The 23rd February 1909.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act,

Bankura. 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of all lands comprises, within the external boundaries of the undermentioned villages included within estate Khurda Majdiha, tauzi No. 62, in the district of Bankura, and that the boundaries of estates, tenured mauzas and fields be demarcated on the lands so to be surveyed :—

Names of villages.

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| 1. Chandrakona. | 9. Gangadharpur. | 17. Dandi Kristanagar. |
| 2. Dubrajpur. | 10. Agoreda. | 18. Nischintipur. |
| 3. Khudra Majdiha. | 11. Bhagawanbati. | 19. Ijjatpur. |
| 4. Kokilpur. | 12. Radhaballavpur. | 20. Maheshpur. |
| 5. Sridharpur. | 13. Ithepara. | 21. Majhibera. |
| 6. Dharakanki. | 14. Churamanipur. | 22. Nayanandapur. |
| 7. Bhaduldenga. | 15. Uparsol. | 23. Nirakonda. |
| 8. Jagadalla. | 16. Manglasol. | 24. Rampur. |
| | 25. Tilabahir bari. | |

No. 1040 L.R.—The 23rd February 1909.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), Babu Nripendra Nath Roy, Sub-

Bankura. Deputy Collector, is appointed to be Assistant Superintendent of Survey in the district of Bankura.

No. 1041 L.R.—The 1st March 1909.—The following revised rule 6, Part II, of the Rules of the Postal Department relating to Rent Money-orders, published under Government Notification No. 846 T.R., dated the 22nd May 1905, in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, is published for general information :—

6. Rent money-orders are issued from all head, sub and branch post-offices under the rules which govern the issue of ordinary inland money-orders, provided they are prepared in the prescribed form and are payable in districts in the lower provinces of Bengal in which either the Bengal Tenancy Act or the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908, is in force* or any other districts to which the Local Government may, from time to time, extend the provisions of either of the said Acts. The following rules contain additional instructions which relate specially to the issue of rent money-orders.

*Burdwan.	Murshidabad.	Noakhali.
Birbhum.	Jessore.	Patna.
Bankura.	Khulna.	Cuttack.
Midnapore.	Dacca.	Puri.
Hooghly.	Mymensingh.	Balasore.
Howrah.	Faridpur.	Purnea.
Rajshahi.	Dackergunge.	Saran.
Dinajpur.	Bhagalpur.	Shahabad.
Jalpaiguri.	Champaran.	Tippora.
Rangpur.	Darbhanga.	Chittagong.
Bogra.	Gaya.	Singhbhum.
Pabna.	Maldah.	Ranchi.
24 Pargana.	Monghyr.	Hazaribagh.
Nadia.	Musaffarpur.	Palamau.

NOTE.—1. There is a special form of rent money-order in Nagri-Hindi, numbered Rent—1(a) for remitting rents in respect of estates, tenures or holdings situated in the districts of Singhbhum, Ranchi, Hazaribagh and Palamau.

2. Special care should be taken in indenting for the correct rent money-order form.

3. Rent due on Government land may be remitted by rent money-order.

The following form is also added to the list of forms subjoined to the Rent Money-order Rules referred to above and should be inserted below the first entry in that list :—

No. of each form.	Name of each form.	REMARKS.
1	2	3
1(a) Rent ...	Rent money-order in Nagri-Hindi for use in the districts of Singhbhum, Ranchi, Hazaribagh, and Palamau.	Loose form, printed in black on white paper.

No. 1046 L.A.—The 1st March 1909.—In Declaration No. 1203 T.R., dated the 10th June 1907, published at page 1007, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th idem, in respect of the acquisition of the land required for diversion and reconstruction of bridge No. 79 on the 37th and 38th miles of the Tirhut State Railway, near Dholi station, in the district of Muzaffarpur—

for				B.	c.	CH.
1.	Sakra Farid	...	...	16	2	7
2.	Bhutundi	...	...	9	2	11
3.	Raghubarpur	...	...	3	6	8
				28	11	10

read				B.	c.	CH.
1.	Sakra Farid	...	...	14	3	5
2.	Bhitandi Budhan	...	...	10	7	13
3.	Raghubarpur	...	...	3	14	8
4.	Sakra Basid	...	...	0	9	10
				28	15	4

No. 1049 L.R.—The 27th February 1909.—Babu Surendra Nath Banarji (No. II), Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Monghyr, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 27th January 1909, or any subsequent date from which he may have availed of the leave.

No. 1050 L.A.—The 1st March 1909.—In Declaration No. 2645 L.A., dated the 28th August 1906, published at page 1676, part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th September 1906, for "5 bighas, 11 cottahs and 6½ chittacks" read "5 cottahs, 11 chittacks and 6½ square feet."

No. 1042 Agri.—The 1st March 1909.—The following subsidiary rule to rule II of the Rules for the examination in vernacular languages of officers filling superior appointments in the Indian Civil Veterinary Department, which were published with Notification No. 2443 T.—R., dated the 31st October 1908, in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th November 1908, has been sanctioned by Government and is published for general information:—

There will be two standards of examination—(1) higher standard and (2) lower standard.

An officer must pass by the lower standard completely before he can take up any paper by the higher standard. In case, however, a candidate is permitted to take up both standards at the same time, he must finish his lower standard papers first before taking up any of the higher standard papers. No extra time will be allowed for taking up both standards at the same time. If he passes in either of the papers, he will be held to qualify for the lower standard; but passing marks must be obtained in both sets of papers to qualify for the higher standard.

F. W. DUKK,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 972 L.A.—The 23rd February 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, on behalf of Bengal and North-Western Railway Company, for Borrowpits at mile 113 of Bengal and North-Western Railway, in the village of Bhagwanpur Bansai, pargana Malki, zilla Monghyr, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 9 cottahs 13 dhurs of standard measurement bounded on the—

North.—By the lands of Bhagwanpur Bansai;

South.—By the lands of Bengal and North-Western Railway;

East.—By road;

West.—By the lands of Bhagwanpur Bansai,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bhagwanpur Bansai.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885 to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Resident Engineer at Mansi.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 973 L.A.—The 23rd February 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company, for a public purpose, viz., for East Indian Railway Company's connection of road at Pandua station, in the villages of Mimagegong, Ghor, Argura, Bandaghar or Mimagegong, pargana Pandua, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 8 cottahs of standard measurement, or 0.7933 acres bounded on the—

PLOT No. I.

North and West.—By the East Indian Railway Company's land;
South.—By the lands of Fakir Sircar, Shaik Bholoo, Hari Komar, Hem Karmakar, Sohiram Bibi and Shaik Panchecorry;
East.—By the Pandua-Kalyanpur Road;

PLOT No. II.

North, East and West.—By the East Indian Railway Company's land;
South.—By the lands of Haran Mallik, Tinoo Mallik, Aise Mallik, Shaik Osman and Paramanda Pal,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Mimagegong, Ghor, Argura and Bandaghar or Mimagegong.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Hooghly, and in that of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Howrah.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 974 L.A.—The 24th February 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of menials' quarters of the Eastern Bengal State Railway in the village of Munshi Bazar, pargana Dihi Panchannogram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 7 cottahs 12 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North.—By North Sealdah Road;

East.—By the land belonging to Eastern Bengal State Railway;

South.—Partly by the land belonging to Eastern Bengal State Railway and partly by premises No. 7, Kaiser Street;

West.—Partly by No. 6, Kaiser Street and partly by No. 7, Kaiser Street;

is required within the aforesaid village of Munshi Bazar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer in Chief, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 975 L.A.—The 24th February 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for further extension of Balasore Zilla School playground, in the villages of Bagbrindaban and Uhandragadi,

parganas Khajuri and Sunhat, zilla Balasore, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 2·290 acres, bounded—

On the North—By Zilla School and compound of the Executive Engineer's residence, Balasore Division;

On the South—By Ohandipur road;

On the East—By Training School compound and Guripokuri tank, and

On the West—By Zilla School compound and Municipal road,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Bagbrindaban and Chandragadi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Balasore.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 976 L.A.—The 25th February 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company, for the construction of a siding to Messrs. Shaw Wallace and Company's Sudriadih Colliery, in the village of Seedpokia, pargana Nowagarh, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 11 cottahs 13 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded—

On the North, South and West—By the waste land of village Seedpokia, and

On the East—By the East Indian Railway land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Seedpokia.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Resident Engineer, East Indian Railway, Dhanbaid.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 977 L.A.—The 25th February 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the District Board of Manbhum, for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of the Sarbari-Murulia-Piluri road, in the villages of Bora, Margaboni, Beltora and Jagarnathdih, pargana Chaurashi, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 78 bighas 18 cottahs and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North and South—By the rice field and danga land of villages Bora, Margaboni, Beltora and Jagarnathdih;

East—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway land;

West—By the danga land of village Bora,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Bora, Margaboni, Beltora and Jagarnathdih.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Manbhum.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 978 L.A.—The 25th February 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-

Palamau.

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| 1. Ranadih. | 7. Kakanpura. |
| 2. Thurna. | 8. Chandarpura. |
| 3. Mokhapi. | 9. Sonapura, pargana |
| 4. Noari. | Belounja. |
| 5. Patila. | 10. Mahamadganj, |
| 6. Jamua. | pargana Japla. |

Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the District Board, Palamau, for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of road from Mahamadganj to Sonapura, in the villages noted in the margin, parganas Belounja and Japla, zilla Palamau, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 122 bighas 12 cottahs and 14

chitaks of standard measurement, passing through the aforesaid villages and as demarcated on the ground by dogbell, is required within the aforesaid villages of (1) Ranadih, (2) Thurna, (3) Mokhapi, (4) Noari, (5) Patila, (6) Jamua, (7) Kakanpura, (8) Chandarpura, (9) Sonapura, pargana Belounja, (10) Mahamadganj, pargana Japla.

This declaration, is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Palamau.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 979 L.A.—The 25th February 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-

Bankura.

Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of Bengal-Nagpur Railway, for a public purpose, viz., for construction of a crossing station between Bankura and Ondagram, mile 138½ Midnapore Jheria Line, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the villages of Bheduasole, pargana Vishnupur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 18 acres 1 rood 30.96 poles, being equivalent to 55 bighas 15 cottahs 13.12 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid village of Bheduasole.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines or minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use, in the construction of the works for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

The plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Adra district, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at Adra.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 981 L.A.—The 25th February 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-

Midnapore.

Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the replacement of the service land of Nekarsini acquired for Nekarsini flag-station and owned by Baidi Sing and others who relinquished their rights thereon to Jadunath Chakrabatti, in the villages of Chak Sagar *alias* Sagar Chak and Tentul Geria, pargana Dantan Chor, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 41 bighas 13 cottahs 15 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Gobinda Dey, Judhisthir Chandra, Patit and others;

East—By the Jagannath roadside lands, Jadu Nath Chakrabatti's service lands;

West—By the lands of Muchi Dey, Kshetra Doloi, Sadu Prodhan, Bharat Raut, Srinath Chandra;

South—By the lands of Patit, Muchi Dey, Judhisthir Chandra, Bhagbat Kundu, is required within the aforesaid villages of Chak Sagar *alias* Sagar Chak and Tentul Geria.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern, and cancels the declaration No. 1808 T.R., dated the 3rd October 1908.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Midnapore.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1043 L.A.—The 1st March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for brickfield at Ekdari on Teur Canal, in the village of Siripur, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·08 acre, equivalent to 3 bighas 5 cottahs 5 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the fallow land of Madhuban Baboo,

South—By the fallow land of Madhuban Baboo and cultivated paddy land of Hiranand Pandey and Chathoo Tewary,

East—By the fallow land of Madhuban Baboo,

West—By ditto ditto,

is required within the aforesaid village of Siripur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1044 L.A.—The 1st March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of Yard at Canal Junction, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the village of Dakhindari, pargana Dihi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, two plots of land measuring, more or less, 44 bighas 19 cottahs 3 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows, are required within the aforesaid village of Dakhindari:—

PLOT No. 1.

On the North—By Dakhindari Road and the land belonging to Thaddeus Arathoon;

On the East—By the land of Thaddeus Arathoon;

On the South—By the siding to Arathoon Jute Mill; and

On the West—By the land belonging to the Eastern Bengal State Railway.

PLOT No. 2.

On the North—By the siding to Arathoon Jute Mill;

On the East—By the land of Thaddeus Arathoon;

On the South—By the new cut Canal; and

On the West—By the land belonging to the Eastern Bengal State Railway.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Eastern Bengal State Railway, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1045 L.A.—The 1st March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for constructing a short retired line of embankment at Mahimapur, in the village of Mahimapur, pargana Rukimpur, zilla Murshidabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 11 cottahs 15 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded—

On the North—By the land held by Shashi Poddar and Jagat Shet Golapchand and the public road leading to Jeaganj;

On the South—By the land held by Jagat Shet Golapchand and Kumbhakarna Bothra;

On the West—By the road leading to Jeaganj; and

On the East—By the land held by Jagat Shet Golapchand,

is required within the aforesaid village of Mahimapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Murshidabad.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1047 L.A.—The 1st March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz., for the brick-field Lachmipur and Bherihari distributaries in the village of Bherihari, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 1 acre, bounded on the—

North—
 South—
 East—
 West—

} By the waste land of Bettiah Raj,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bherihari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1048 L.A.—The 1st March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz., for the manufacture of bricks in the village of Charbhati, tahsil Sambalpur, zilla Sambalpur, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring .97 acre, bounded on the—

North—By field No. 510, belonging to Padu Munda;

East—By field No. 506, belonging to Chaitu Uram and No. 505, belonging to Sukhra Ganda;

South—By field No. 503, belonging to Mohmed Isack, and

West—By fields Nos. 499 and 512, belonging to Mohmed Isack,

is required within the aforesaid village of Charbhati.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Sambalpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1198.—The 1st March 1909.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Board of Visitors of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur:—

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| 1. Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, Roads and Buildings Branch. | |
| 2. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal | ... |
| 3. Commissioner of the Burdwan Division | ... |
| 4. Agent, East Indian Railway | ... |
| 5. Manager, Eastern Bengal State Railway | ... |
| 6. Agent, Bengal-Nagpur Railway | ... |
| 7. Chief Inspector of Mines | ... |
| 8. District Magistrate of Howrah | ... |
| 9. Civil Surgeon of Howrah | ... |
| 10. Inspector of European Schools, Bengal | ... |
| 11. Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Secretary. | ... |
| 12. Secretary to the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, Public Works Department. | ... |
| 13. Head Master of the Dacca School of Engineering | ... |
| 14. Director of Public Instruction, Burma | ... |
- } *Ex-officio.*

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| 15. The Most Revd. R. S. Copleston, D.D., Lord Bishop of Calcutta. | } Ordinary Members. |
| 16. The Hon'ble Mr. F. A. Slacke, C.S.I., Member, Board of Revenue. | |
| 17. Mr. S. S. Heslop, General Manager, New Birbhum Coal Company. | |
| 18. Mr. Phani Bhushan Mukharji, B.Sc., Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division. | |
| 19. Babu Nibaran Chandra Sirkar, of Messrs. N. O. Sirkar and Sons. | |
| 20. Mr. R. N. Mukharji, C.I.E., of Messrs. Martin and Company. | |
| 21. Mr. W. R. Steele, of Messrs. Burn and Company. | |
| 22. Dr. Nil Ratan Sirkar, M.A., M.D. | |
| 23. Nawab A. F. M. Abdur Rahman. | |
| 24. Mr. W. B. MacCabe, M.INST.C.E., F.I.C., Chief Engineer to the Corporation of Calcutta. | |
| 25. Mr. G. F. Adams, Senior Inspector of Mines. | |
| 26. Mr. W. Tate, A.R.C.S., F.C.S., Professor, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Assistant Secretary. | |

2. Ordinary members will hold office for three years, with effect from the date of the notification.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATIONS.

No. 1272.—The 26th February 1909.—Babu Sarat Chandra Mukharji, Sub-Registrar, Jessore. Rajganj, in the district of Jessore, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, in extension of the leave granted to him under Notification No. 997, dated 12th February 1909.

No. 1274.—The 26th February 1909.—Maulvi Khalil-ur Rahman Khan Chandhuri, Sub-Registrar, Goghat, in the district of Hooghly, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

No. 1290.—The 26th February 1909.—Maulvi Nur-ul-Hasan, Sub-Registrar, Kaliaganj, in the district of Purnea, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

No. 1314.—The 27th February 1909.—Maulvi Makbul Ali, Sub-Registrar of Kendrapara, in the district of Cuttack, is granted leave, under articles 260 and 345 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 1st March 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

No. 1316.—The 27th February 1909.—Babu Natabar Patnaik, Probationer, Cuttack, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Kendrapara, in the same district, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

No. 1318.—The 27th February 1909.—Babu Jatindra Lal Mitra, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Bankipore, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the afternoon of the 23rd November 1908.

No. 1336.—The 1st March 1909.—Babu Bipin Mohan Sehanabis, District Sub-Registrar, Khulna, was granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one week, with effect from the 2nd February 1909, in extension of the leave granted to him under Government Notification No. 164, dated the 9th January 1909.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 448 Medl.—The 24th February 1909.—Major F. J. Morgan, R.A.M.C., in charge of the Station Hospital, Barrackpore, is appointed to have charge of 24 Parganas. the Civil Medical duties of that station, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the forenoon of the 17th February 1909, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel L. T. Nash, R.A.M.C.

No. 489 Medl.—The 27th February 1909.—Captain J. J. Urwin, I.M.S., on return from leave is appointed to do general duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the forenoon of the 16th instant and until further orders.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 488 Medl.—The 27th February 1909.—The following letter from the Government of Bombay, No. 880, dated 17th February 1909, is published for general information.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 880, dated Bombay Castle, the 17th February 1909.

From—R. E. ENTHOVEN, Esq., Secretary to the Government of Bombay, General Department,

To—The Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

With reference to my letter No. 7491, dated the 18th December 1908, I am directed to state that the Commissioner, C. D., now reports that cholera has disappeared from Nasik and that it is no longer necessary to deter intending pilgrims from visiting that city during the remaining months of the Sinhasht.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1732A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 1587A.—The 1st March 1909.—Babu Narendra Kumar Mukharji, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Magura, *vice* Babu Sidheswar Chakrabatti, transferred.

No. 1589A.—The 1st March 1909.—Babu Bijay Gopal Basu, Officiating Subordinate Judge, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge, Purnea, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Nagendra Nath Dhar, or until further orders, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Purnea.

No. 1591A.—The 1st March 1909.—Maulvi Abdush Shakur, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in Chota Nagpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Palamau, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kshotra Lal Singh, or until further orders.

No. 1593A.—The 1st March 1909.—Mr. Ehtesham Ali Khan, Barrister-at-law, is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Shahabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Buxar, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Nagendra Nath Mitra, or until further orders.

No. 1631A.—The 1st March 1909.—Babu Gyanendra Nath Mukharji, Munsif, Amta, Hooghly, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of that portion of the Hooghly Munsifi, which lies outside the limits of the jurisdiction of the Small Cause Court proper at Hooghly. He is also vested with powers under section 19, sub-section (2) of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces, and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Hooghly.

No. 1633A.—The 1st March 1909.—Babu Hemendra Lal Singh, Munsif of Hooghly, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Amta, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Amta Munsifi.

No. 1639A.—The 1st March 1909.—Babu Ashutosh Gosain, Munsif of Satkhira, in the district of Khulna, on leave, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Nadia, to be ordinarily stationed at Ranaghat, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Ranaghat Munsifi.

No. 1641A.—The 1st March 1909.—Babu Debabrata Mukharji, Munsif of Bangaon, in the district of Jessore, now acting as Additional Munsif, Khulna, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Satkhira, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Satkhira munsifi.

No. 1645A.—The 1st March 1909.—Babu Surendra Nath Ray, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Bangaon, but for the present to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif in the district of Khulna, to be on deputation to the Sadar station.

LEAVE.

No. 1682A.—The 23rd February 1909.—Babu Jadu Nandan Prasad, Munsif of Gaya, is allowed leave for four days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 21st January 1909.

The 23rd February 1909.—Babu Kshetra Lal Singh, Munsif of Palamau, Chota Nagpur, is allowed leave for two months, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 24th February 1909, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

No. 1683A.—The 25th February 1909.—Babu Sita Nath Ghosh, Munsif of Araria, in the district of Purnea, is allowed leave for two weeks under articles 260 and 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 17th February 1909.

No. 1684A.—The 27th February 1909.—Babu Apurba Chandra Ghosh, Munsif, is allowed leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for one month and 14 days, of which three days will be under article 274 and the rest under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations with effect from the 12th January 1909, in supersession of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 8th January 1909.

POWERS.

No. 1500A.—The 25th February 1909.—Mr. A. K. Jameson, Officiating Joint-Magistrate, Contai, Midnapore, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 1595A.—The 1st March 1909.—Mr. A. R. Stark, Deputy Magistrate, Shahabad, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 1637A.—The 1st March 1909.—Mr. J. N. Fletcher, Assistant Magistrate, Ranchi, is appointed under the provisions of section 22 of Act V of 1898, to act as a Justice of the Peace within the territories under the Lieutenant-Governor's control.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1040J.—The 24th February 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Wajid Khan Chaudhuri to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Satkhira Independent Bench, in the district of Khulna.

No. 1051J.—The 24th February 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint **24-Parganas.** Babu Satyendra Nath Ray to be a Magistrate of the second class for a period of three years from the date of this notification and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Alipore Independent Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas. He is also authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of that district and is empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

No. 1112J.—The 1st March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint **Shahabad.** Babu Basdeo Narayan Singh to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Sasaram Independent Bench in the district of Shahabad.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1053J.—The 25th February 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 138 of the Code of Civil Procedure (Act V of 1908), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that evidence in cases in which an appeal is allowed shall be taken down by Mr. A. Meller, District Judge of Darbhanga, in the English language.

No. 1114J.—The 1st March 1909.—The gentlemen named below, who are Presidency Magistrates for the town of Calcutta, are authorized to sit singly for the trial of cases:—

Khan Bahadur Badruddin Haider.
Rai Kailash Chandra Bose Bahadur, C.I.E.
Mr. Charles Frederick Larmour.
Mr. Rustamji Hirjibhai Manekji Rustamji.
The Hon'ble Babu Radha Charan Pal.
Mr. Shirley Tremearne.

No. 1118J.—The 2nd March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by section (1), subsection (2) of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1899 (XI of 1899), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to extend, on and from the date of the publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, the whole of that Act (except the portions which are already in force), to the area subject to the authority of the Railway Police in the district of Bhagalpur.

[Third publication.]

No. 859J.—The 15th February 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Bengal Public Gambling Act, 1867 (Bengal Act II of 1867), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to extend all sections of the said Act (except section 13, which already applies) to that portion of thana Jharis, in the district of Manbhum, which comprises the villages of Fatehpur, Paisatanr, Khas Jharis, Chowtharkulti, Fularibad, Lodhna, Suratanr, Benia-hir and Bhaga, within the boundaries specified below:—

North.—The villages of Bastakola and Dubari;
South.—The villages of Bagdigi, Jialgora and Jamoba;
East.—The villages of Ghoonudi, Kijama and Joyrampur;
West.—The villages of Gopalichak, Bhakatdih and Jamadoba.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1169P.—The 1st March 1909.—It is hereby notified that the proclamation No. 4593P., dated the 21st December 1908, published at page 2067 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, regarding the quartering of an additional police force in the villages of Moznabad *alias* Dudhela, Dusant Tola and Bissauni, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Bhagalpur, will take effect from the 20th January 1909, the date on which the additional force was entertained.

F. W. DUNE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE
ERRATUM.

No. 1154P.—*The 27th February 1909.*—In the Notification No. 556P., dated the 2nd February 1909, published at page 211, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th idem, conferring upon Murshi Ebrahim, as President of the panchayat of the Pole Union in thana Khanakul in the district of Hooghly, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, for "Munshi Ebrahim," read "Munshi Abdul Hamid."

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.
The 1st March 1909.

No. 32.—Babu Amar Nath Das, Executive Engineer, is attached to the office of the Executive Engineer, 3rd Calcutta Division, until further orders.

A. S. THOMSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.
The 1st March 1909.

No. 33.—Mr. G. G. Dey, Executive Engineer, is, on return from leave, appointed to be Under-Secretary to this Government in the Irrigation and Railway Branches.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 1st March 1909.

No. 3.—*Notification.*—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased, under the provisions of section 6 of Act II (B.C.) of 1882, "The Bengal Embankment Act," to extend the operations of clause (b) of section 76 of that Act to the channel of the river Bur-Gandak and to a tract of country extending for one mile from the edge of each bank of that river throughout its course in the district of Darbhanga. The erection of any new embankment, or any addition to an existing embankment or the obstruction or diversion of any water-course within the tract above defined, without the previous permission of the Collector of Darbhanga, is prohibited.

A draft of this notification was published at page 94, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th January 1909 as No. 1, dated the 25th idem.

No. 4.—*Notification.*—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased, under the provisions of section 6 of Act II (B.C.) of 1882, "The Bengal Embankment Act," to extend the operations of clause (b) of section 76 of that Act to the tract of country extending for one mile from each bank of the Bya and Bagmati rivers lying within the Muzaffarpur district. The erection of any new embankment or any addition to an existing embankment or the obstruction or diversion of any water-course within the tract above defined without the previous permission of the Collector of Muzaffarpur, is prohibited.

A draft of this notification was published at page 94, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th January 1909 as No. 2, dated the 25th idem.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 25th February 1909.

No. 10R.—This Department Notification No. 6R., dated the 25th January 1909, appointing Maulvi Saiyid Ali Hosain, as Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector to acquire land needed for the construction of the Samastipur-Shakarpura and Laheriaseraibunghai-Shukarpura extensions of the Tirhoot State Railway in the districts of Darbhanga and Monghyr is hereby cancelled.

No. 11R.—This Department Notification No. 5R., dated the 25th January 1909, appointing Babu Bhabataran Chatarji as Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector to acquire land needed for the construction of the Samastipur-Shakarpura and Laheriasarai Singhai-Shakarpura extensions of the Tirhoot State Railway in the districts of Darbhanga and Monghyr is hereby cancelled.

The 2nd March 1909.

No. 12R.—The following notification issued by the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for general information:—

No. 67, dated the 23rd February 1909.

No. 316R T., dated Calcutta, the 17th February 1909.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

Adoption on the Howrah-Amta, Howrah-Sheakhalla, Bukhtiarpur-Bihar and Baraset-Basirhat Light Railways of the amendments in Rule 12, sub-rule (4), and Rule 22, Chapter II, and in rule 110 and rule 111, sub-rule (a), Chapter V, Part I of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of Railway.

Read—

Section 47 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890).

Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, notification No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905.

Railway Board's notification No. 183, dated the 8th September 1906, and Railway Board's Circular

No. R.T. ^{89A}/₅, dated the 8th September 1906.

Railway Board's Notification No. 290, dated the 1st November 1907, and Railway Board's Resolution No. 1305R.T., dated the 30th October 1907.

Railway Board's Notification No. 337, dated the 11th November 1908, and Railway Board's circular No. 1970R.T., dated the 3rd November 1908.

Read also—

Letter No. 228R., dated the 1st February 1909, from the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Railway Department.

RESOLUTION.—The Managing Agents of the Howrah-Amta, Howrah-Sheakhalla, Bukhtiarpur-Bihar and Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway Companies have recommended the adoption on the Howrah-Amta, Howrah-Sheakhalla, Bukhtiarpur-Bihar and Baraset-Basirhat Light Railways of the amendments promulgated with Railway Board's circular No. 1970R.T., dated the 3rd November 1908, and published under their Notification No. 337, dated the 11th November 1908, in Rule 12, sub-rule (4), and Rule 22, Chapter II, and in Rule 110 and Rule 111, sub-rule (a), Chapter V, Part I of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of Railway in British India, which rules were sanctioned for adoption on the Howrah-Amta, Howrah-Sheakhalla, Bukhtiarpur-Bihar and Baraset-Basirhat Light Railways, in Railway Board's Resolution No. 1305R.T., dated the 30th October 1907, read in the preamble above.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by the Notification of the Government of India, in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905, read in the preamble above, the Railway Board sanction, under section 47, sub-sections (1) and (4), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the adoption of the amendments in the said General Rules cited in paragraph 1 above on the Howrah-Amta, Howrah-Sheakhalla, Bukhtiarpur-Bihar and Baraset-Basirhat Light Railways.

ORDER.—Ordered that this Resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890); also that the amendments cited in paragraph 1 above, which have already been published in the *Gazette of India*, be kept open for inspections at railway stations as directed by sub-section (6) of the same section, and that this Resolution be communicated to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Railway Department, and to the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 2, Calcutta, for information.

No. 13R.—With reference to clause 19 of this Department Notification No. 86R., dated 15th May 1903, published at pages 611—620, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th May 1903 and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of Act III of 1883 (Bengal Tramways Act), this Government is pleased to sanction an increase in the maximum speed of trains on the Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway to 15 miles an hour during daylight except in the places noted below, viz:—

Baraset to Bumaninora	...	...	2½ miles
Balliaghata bridge and 9th milepost	...	...	¾ mile
11th and 12th milepost	...	...	1 "
13th milepost and mile 14½ (through Barachampa)	...	...	1½ "
Gopmahal and mile 21½	...	...	½ "

T. BUTLER,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 1st March 1909.

No. 30.—Babu Baiju Lal Basu, Overseer, 1st grade, on probation, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Bhagalpur to the Chota Nagpur Division.

No. 31.—Babu Bimala Charan Sen Gupta, Overseer, 2nd grade, on probation, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Chota Nagpur to the Bhagalpur Division.

No. 34.—The following promotions and reversions are made in the Upper Subordinate Establishment with effect from the dates specified :—

Names.	From—	To—	With effect from—	Nature of promotion.	Division in which employed.
			1909.		
Bagchi, Jagat Bandhu ...	Supervisor, 1st grade, temporary rank.	Supervisor, 2nd grade.	6th February.	Reversion...	Sambalpur.
Maitra, Surendra Lal ...	Supervisor, 2nd grade, temporary rank.	Overseer, 1st grade.	Ditto	Ditto ...	Cossye.
Bagchi, Jagat Bandhu ...	Supervisor, 2nd grade.	Supervisor, 1st grade.	8th February.	Temporary	Sambalpur.
Maitra, Surendra Lal ...	Overseer, 1st grade.	Supervisor, 2nd grade.	Ditto	Ditto ...	Cossye.

A. S. THOMSON,
Offg. Chief Engineer.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 1733A.

No. 1550A.—The 25th February 1909.—Mr. Alexander Jitendra Lal Mitra, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, was on leave, under article 242(a) of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 25th December 1908 to the 15th January 1909, both days inclusive.

No. 1559A.—The 1st March 1909.—Babu Manindra Nath Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, Burdwan Divn. on leave, is allotted to the Burdwan Division.

No. 1635A.—The 1st March 1909.—Babu Rajendra Nath Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Jhenida, Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

No. 1552A.—The 2nd March 1909.—The officers, named below, are confirmed in the fourth grade and promoted substantively *pro tempore* to the third grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors :—

Babu Krishna Chandra Ghosh.
" Brajasundar Mardaraj.
" Gopinath Das.

No. 1554A.—The 2nd March 1909.—Babu Baij Nath Sahay (No. 1), Sub-Deputy Collector, Shahabad, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Murshidabad district.

No. 1735A.—The 2nd March 1909.—Babu Jadubansha Sahay, Sub-Deputy Collector, Gaya, is transferred temporarily to the Barar subdivision of the Shahabad district.

No. 1767A.—The 2nd March 1909.—The Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, and are posted to the stations mentioned against their names :—

Bhagalpur.	Babu Kameswar Prasad	...	Bhagalpur.
Cuttack.	" Chintamani Acharji	...	Jajpur, Cuttack.
Murshidabad.	" Tarapada Bhattacharji	...	Lalbagh, Murshidabad.

They are also vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2477, dated Calcutta, the 27th February 1909.—The following second grade Civil Hospital Assistants are promoted to the first grade with effect from the date specified against their names :—

Tara Nath Chandhuri, Chapraon Dispensary, Monghyr—10th January 1909.

Debendra Chandra De, Phansidiwah Dispensary, Darjeeling—23rd February 1909.

No. 2602, dated Calcutta, the 2nd March 1909.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Maulvi Muhammad Sulaiman Ashruff is placed on supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the 17th February 1909.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU SURENDRA LALL MITRA has been placed in charge of the Balasore Treasury from 23rd February 1909 and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries, *vice* Babu Prasanakumar Ghosal.

M. M. RAY, for Collector.

BALASORE TREASURY, *the 24th February 1909.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR, BABU PRASANNA KUMAR GHOSAL, has been placed in charge of the Midnapore Treasury, with effect from the 1st March 1909, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries, *vice* Babu Surendra Nath Chakraborty.

D. WESTON, Collector.

MIDNAPORE TREASURY, *the 1st March 1909.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

NOTIFICATION.

BABU SIDHESWAR CHAKRABATTI, Munsif of Howrah, in the district of Hooghly, is appointed to be a District Delegate under section 235A of Act X of 1865 and section 52 of Act V of 1881, respectively, within the local limits of the district of Howrah.

By order of the High Court,

A. P. MUDDIMAN, Registrar.

HIGH COURT, ENGLISH DEPT., CIVIL, *the 23rd February 1909.*

NOTIFICATION.

An Examination of candidates to fill vacancies (present and future) in the Staff of Extra Translators in the Court's Establishment on the Appellate Side, will be held at the High Court, Calcutta, on Saturday, the 10th and Monday and Tuesday, the 12th and 13th April 1909, at 11 o'clock A.M.

Of the candidates who may pass in Urdu and Kaithi-Hindi, two; of those who pass in Bengali, one; of those who pass in Assamese and Bengali, one; and of those who pass in Urya and Bengali, one will be selected for appointment as probationers.

In selecting for appointment candidates who pass in both Urya and Bengali, preference will be given to such of them as are conversant with the dialects in use in the district of Sambalpur.

Candidates must not be over 22 years of age, and, except in the case of Natives of Assam, must have passed the First Arts Examination of one of the Indian Universities.

Forms of application for admission to the Examination (in respect of which a fee of Rs. 10 will be charged for each language in which the candidate desires to be examined) are obtainable, together with copies of the Rules prescribing the tests for the Examination, on application at this office.

The forms when duly filled up, accompanied by copies of certificates and the requisite Examination fee, should be forwarded so as to reach the undersigned not later than the 16th March 1909, after which no application will be entertained. The envelope in which these papers are enclosed should be addressed to the Registrar, High Court, Appellate Side, and should be marked plainly on the outside "Translatorship Examination."

HIGH COURT,
APPELLATE SIDE,
Calcutta, the 17th February 1909. }

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Registrar.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 20th February 1909.—Babu Sureswari Prasad, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Shahabad (class VIII), was on leave, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 23rd October 1908 to the 20th January 1909.

Babu Gaya Sinha, an Assistant Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Shahabad (class I of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), acted as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in that district and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service from the 31st October 1908, *vice* Babu Sureswari Prasad, on leave.

The 24th February 1909.—Babu Gokulananda Basak, Assistant, Office of the Director of Public Instruction, class IV of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service, is appointed to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service in the resulting vacancy consequent on the absence, on deputation, of Mr. L. M. Martyr, as Personal Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

Maulvi Hamidur Rahaman is appointed, on probation for one year, to be Sub-Inspector of Schools, North Arambagh Circle, in the district of Hooghly, and substantively *pro tempore* to class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Maulvi Anwar Ahmed.

This cancels the orders of the 18th December 1908, appointing Maulvi Syed Rafiq Ahmed to the vacancy.

The 26th February 1909.—Babu Surendra Lal Kundu, M.A., is appointed to act as Lecturer, Sanskrit College and in class IV of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Babu Banamali Chakravarti, on leave.

The 27th February 1909.—Babu Nanda Kishwar Lal, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Patna (class VII), is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and fifteen days from 5th February 1909.

Pandit Ram Briksh Dubey, an Inspecting Pandit, under the District Board of Patna, is appointed, subject to the consent of the District Board of Patna, to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in that district and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Nanda Kishwar Lal, on leave.

Babu Sasi Bhusan Lal, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Buxar Circle, in the district of Shahabad (substantively *pro tempore* in class VII), is allowed leave, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, up to the 30th April 1909, in continuation of the combined leave for six months already granted to him under the orders of the 14th July 1908.

Maulvi Kasimuddin, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Shahabad (class VII), will continue to act as Sub-Inspector of Schools, Buxar Circle, in the same district, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Sasi Bhusan Lal, on leave.

Babu Gobinda Prasad, an Assistant Master in the Arrah Zilla School (class III of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), will continue to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Shahabad and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Maulvi Kasimuddin.

Maulvi Zainuddin Ahmed is confirmed as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Ranchi, and in class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 18th October 1908.

G. W. KUCHLER,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1069B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 26th February 1909.

IN exercise of the power conferred by section 100 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, prescribe the following rules:—

II. Notification, dated the 7th April, 1896, which was published on pages 381 and 382 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem, is hereby cancelled.

RULES.

OPERATIONS ON GOODS IN A WAREHOUSE.

1. Before any operation referred to in section 100 is performed in a warehouse, an application, stating the exact nature of the proposed operation, must be made to the Collector of Customs.

2. The officer of Customs deputed by the Collector in this behalf shall, prior to the operation, compare the marks in the application with those on the goods and ascertain the actual quantity of the goods and record such quantity.

3. When the operation is completed, the officer shall ascertain the quantities, and record and sign the new account of the goods.

RACKING AND VATTING.

4. Racking from cask to cask may be performed in a warehouse, and casks in bad condition may have their contents racked out into sound casks.

5. Before any empty spirit cask is delivered from the Custom House or bonded premises, it shall be properly drained and thoroughly rinsed out with such quantity of water as the Customs officer may deem sufficient, water being allowed to stand in the cask for not less than twenty-four hours before delivery, during which period the cask shall be rolled over several times. The rinsings shall be poured away in the presence of an officer.

6. The operation of putting wines or spirits together in a vat may only be performed in a compartment of a warehouse fitted and used for that purpose only, unless the vat is a close-covered vessel, which has been accurately gauged, and of which the hatch and discharge cock can be secured by locks, the keys of which shall remain with the Bonding Department.

7. Vats must be distinctly marked with their numbers and capacity in gallons. The strength of spirits taken from a vat is to be ascertained by a sample from each cask.

8. After any spirits have been racked from a vat, the remainder must be drawn off before any more spirits are put into the vat.

RULES FOR THE BLENDING OF SPIRITS OR WINES IN BOND OR FOR THE REDUCTION OF STRENGTH OF SPIRITS BY WATER OR FOR THE FLAVOURING OF SPIRITS.

9. Applications for permission to blend spirits or wines in bond, or to reduce the strength of such spirits, or to flavour them, must be presented to the Collector of Customs.

10. Each application must contain a full description of the spirits or wines to be mixed, reduced, or flavoured, and must be accompanied by a fee at the rate of Rs. 4 per diem, to cover the pay of an officer of Customs, to be deputed by the Collector, in whose presence the blending, reduction or flavouring must be effected.

11. Spirits in casks may be reduced with water. When water is to be added, so much spirit may be drawn off from each cask as is required to make room for the purpose. The overdrawings, if more than 9 gallons, may be re-warehoused; and, if less than the quantity specified, they must either be used in another operation or cleared on payment of duty.

12. The amount of liquor drawn from each cask for the purpose of blending or reducing the strength, must be shown as cleared or exported on the original bond. If any deficiency be found on emptying a cask, duty thereon must at once be levied, subject to the provisions of sections 116 and 117 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878.

13. The blend, when effected, shall be re-tested and re-gauged, and a fresh bond shall be made out for the duty found leviable thereon.

14. For the purpose of calculating the period of three years under section 103 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878, and the allowances for ullage and wastage under section 116 of that Act, the date of the new bond shall be taken to be the date on which the earliest of the bonds, relating to any of the spirits in the operation, was executed.

15. The spirits or wines blended must be the produce and manufacture of the same country.

16. Spirits in bond may be blended, or reduced by water, or flavoured only in a bonded warehouse specially approved for the purpose, and in the presence of an officer deputed by the Collector of Customs.

17. Spirits so compounded or reduced shall be assessed to duty before any obscuring matter is added, and after the addition of such matter no allowance for ullage or wastage shall be made.

18. Samples of the spirit which it is intended to compound, and of the flavouring materials to be used, shall be sent, whenever the Collector of Customs deems it desirable, to the Chemical Examiner to be examined as to their freedom from objectionable substances.

19. Flavouring materials shall be added only in such proportion as may be fixed by the Government of India.

20. The words "blend" or "reduced by water" or "reduced and flavoured" must be cut into or indelibly marked on the vat or casks containing the blended spirits or wines, or the spirits reduced in strength and flavoured. Original marks and brands must be removed unless all the spirits and wines be of the same mark.

BOTTLING.

21. Wines and spirits may only be bottled from casks in a bottling warehouse. No other operation may be performed in such warehouse at the same time.

22. Wines and spirits intended for bottling must be removed from the warehouse to a bottling warehouse in presence of a Customs Officer.

23. Bottles must be packed immediately after filling. Each package must contain a dozen, or a multiple of a dozen, of quarts or pints, and the bottles in each package must be of uniform size.

24. The officer deputed must record in his bottling book the number of bottles filled before they are packed; the bottles must then be packed without unnecessary delay. The officer must satisfy himself that the proper number of bottles are placed in each case, and must see that packed cases are at once closed and fastened.

25. The bonding officer shall keep the key of the door of the bottling warehouse.

26. The officer must see that in the labelling and corking of bottles, the provisions of the Indian Merchandise Marks Act, 1889, are observed.

27. Wines and spirits in bottle may, if it be necessary, be started into casks.

MISCELLANEOUS.

28. Wines and spirits imported in cases may, if it be necessary, be adjusted and repacked, but not more than once while in bond. Labels and capsules may be renewed, but not changed for others not identical in terms.

29. Samples may, with the previous sanction of the Collector, be drawn from any case or cask, whether in the bonded warehouse or in the warehouse for operations on wet goods in bond, a note being kept on the bond or Customs documents denoting the quantity so drawn.

30. Spirits may be methylated in a warehouse. The spirits are to be gauged and the strength ascertained prior to the operation; and any deficiency not exceeding the legal allowance may be written off.

31. After methylation, a sample must be drawn off and sent for the usual report to the Chemical Examiner.

N. B.—All applications under the above rules must, under Schedule II (1) (a) of the Court Fees Act, bear a stamp of one anna.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI,

Secretary.

No. 1127B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I., I.C.S.,

Member in charge.

Dated Calcutta, the 1st March 1909.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 101 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), and in supersession of all previous orders on the subject, the Board of Revenue hereby fixes the rate of rent for bonding salt at the Kidderpore and Sulkea public salt golas at Rs. 4 per 1,000 maunds of salt per month with effect from the 1st April 1909.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI,

Secretary.

No. 923B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Thursday, the 1st April 1909, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,600 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	1,800
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	1,800
		—
Total	...	3,600
		—

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 27th November 1908, and published in the *Government and Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 16th April 1909, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 8th April 1909, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Friday, the 16th April 1909.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE	Manufactured at the Patna Factory ; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory ; about chests.	Total ; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 4th May 1909 ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday, 1st June „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday, 6th July „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday, 3rd August „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday, 8th September „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Monday, 4th October „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday, 3rd November „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday, 1st December „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
Total ...	14,400	14,400	28,800

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, the 23rd February 1909.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.

EXCISE NOTIFICATION.

HOLDERS of licenses for :—

- (1) The wholesale vend of imported spirituous and fermented liquors,
- (2) Retail vend of imported spirituous and fermented liquors by the bottle only not to be drunk on the premises,
- (3) Both wholesale and retail vend of the above liquors combined in a single license,
- (4) Hotels, Restaurants and their Subsidiary bars and late-closing licenses,
- (5) The retail vend of imported spirituous and fermented liquors on board steamers, dining-cars, Dāk Bunglows and Railway Refreshment-rooms,
- (6) The sale of imported medicated wines by chemists and druggists (to be sold by the bottle only, not to be drunk on the premises),
- (7) The sale or use or store of spirits rendered effectually and permanently unfit for human consumption,
- (8) The sale of Cocaine, Novocaine or Poppy-heads and its preparation by chemists and druggists,
- (9) The sale of opium, morphia and its preparation under "Druggist's permit" by chemists and druggists,
- (10) The sale of the preparation of Siddhi, for *bona-fide* medical purposes, by chemists and druggists under "Druggist's permit,"
- (11) Pachwai for home consumption,
- (12) The possession of more than 60 grains of cocaine by managers of hospitals and charitable dispensaries not under Government supervision,
- (13) The manufacture of spirits after the English method and Beer in a private distillery,
- (14) The storage of Ganja and Siddhi in Government Golas in Kapalitola Lane.
- (15) Working of Stills in a public distillery at Russa,

are hereby required to apply by the second week of March 1909 for the renewal of their licenses for the ensuing official year 1909-10.

The application for renewal in each case should bear a "Court-fee" stamp of one anna.

All current licenses must be returned on the 31st March 1909. New licenses of the descriptions mentioned under heads (2), (3) and (4) can be issued only on production of the usual certificates from the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, in respect of the town of Calcutta and its suburbs to the effect that the renewal is free from objection.

Those who do not intend to renew their licenses for the ensuing year must notify their intention in that respect to the undersigned in writing before the 15th March 1909. If such notice be not given and the license be not recalled by the undersigned, the license held, and engagement entered into, by each such person shall remain in force for such time as the undersigned may think fit, as if the said license and engagement had been formally renewed.

J. T. BAHONEAU,

Superintendent of Excise Revenue, Calcutta.

Calcutta Collectorate, the 18th February 1909.

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 15 of the Election rules, the 27th March 1909 has been fixed for holding a general election for the election of Commissioners for the different Wards of the Cuttack Municipality.

E. V. LEVINGE, *Commissioner.*

ORISSA COMM'R.'S OFFICE, CUTTACK, the 25th February 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I declare, under section 6 of the Bengal Ferries Act of 1885, that the following new ferry which has been established this year to be a public ferry.

I also direct in exercise of the powers delegated to me by Government Notification No. 2171L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, under section 35 of the Bengal Ferries Act, 1885, that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Bhagalpur and that all the proceeds of it and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof, shall be paid into the District Fund.

This notification will take effect from 25th December 1908.

Name of ferry.	Name of river on which the ferry is situated.	Road on which the ferry is situated.
Chaksayad Mohiuddin Ghat	Branch of the Tiljuga river	On the diversion road from Road No. 31 (Latipur to Madhipura) to Sapni and beyond.

E. H. WALSH, *Commissioner, Bhagalpur Division.*

BHAGALPUR, the 24th February 1909.

Analysis of catches of the Steam Trawler "Golden Crown" from 20th to 26th February 1909 as the result of trawling in the open Bay.

NAME.	Scientific and local name.	Number of baskets.	No.	Weight.		Approximate market value.
				lbs.	Md. s.	Rs.
Whittings ...	Sillago and Seena, Vern. Tool and Bhola.	...	...	735	8 39	90
Gurnets ...	Siluroidea, Vern. Air and Tengra.	...	...	2,357	28 30	287
Red Bhetki ...	Serranus, Vern. Son Bhetki	...	...	...	...	...
Bheektie ...	Lates calcarifer	...	...	755	9 8	138
Prawns ...	.....	...	...	389	4 30	98
Small Flats ...	Ephippus orbis, Vern. Datno.	...	...	1,246	15 8	114
Red Flats ...	Stromateus Specis	...	...	319	3 35	117
Pomfrets ...	.....	...	...	351	4 10	85
Large fish ...	.....	...	...	...	...	...
Various ...	.....	...	...	...	...	...
Eels ...	.....	...	...	...	...	...
Halibut and Plaice	Large Pleuronectidæ, Vern. Kantalpata.	...	...	84	1 1	40
Skate ...	Batoidei, Vern. Sankosh ...	...	...	1,230	15 0	150
Turtles ...	.....	...	...	64	0 31	31
Soles ...	.....	...	...	56	0 27	17
Rock Salmon, longer.	.....	...	...	1,056	12 35	129
Smelts ...	Saureda trembil	...	...	32	0 15	4
Mackerel ...	.....	...	...	43	0 21	5
Shark's fins ...	.....	...	...	241	2 38	...
	Total	...	...	8,958	109 8	1,305

= about 4 tons.

CALCUTTA,
The 1st March 1909.

A. AHMAD,
Commissioner of Fisheries.



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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, 1909.

PART I A.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 20th February 1909.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

EXPLOSIVES.

Calcutta, the 15th February 1909.

No. 1348-37.—In accordance with the provisions of section 18 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and of the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 1964, dated the 2nd September 1887, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to publish for general information the following amendments which His Excellency in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the said Act, proposes to make in the rules to regulate the transport and importation of explosives, published with the Notification in this Department No. 4555-4 (Explosives), dated the 31st May 1907.

The draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor-General in Council on the expiration of two months from the date of publication of this Notification in the *Gazette of India* :—

Draft Amendments.

- (1) In rule 13-IX, for the words "signed by an officer authorized by the Local Government in this behalf" the words "signed by the Chief Inspector of Explosives or an Inspector of Explosives" shall be substituted.
- (2) In rule 13-XI, for the words "15th October" in the second and fifth lines, the words "1st July" and "30th June" respectively shall be substituted.
- (3) In the second paragraph of rule 25, for the words "15th October" in the second and fourth lines, the words "1st July" and "30th June" respectively shall be substituted.

B. ROBERTSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

[Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 27th February 1909.]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Calcutta, the 26th February 1909.

No. 780.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Indian Arms Act, XI of 1878, the Governor-General in Council directs that the following additions shall be made to clause (3) of paragraph 1 of the Home Department Notification No. 518, dated the 6th March 1879, as amended by subsequent notifications:—

"Provided that a native soldier, while absent from his regiment on leave, shall be exempt only in respect of such arms and ammunition as may be covered by a pass granted to him by his Commanding Officer."

"*Explanation.*—The term 'soldiers' as used in this clause does not include 'reservists'."

JUDICIAL.

The 19th February 1909.

No. 279.—The Honourable the Chief Justice has granted Mr. A. P. Muddiman, of the Indian Civil Service, Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, combined leave for a period of six months, viz., privilege leave for two months and twenty-two days and furlough for the remainder of the period, with effect from the 17th March 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 281.—His Majesty the King-Emperor has been pleased to appoint the Honourable Mr. Lal Mohan Das, at present acting as a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, to be a Judge of that Court, with effect from the 9th January 1909, *vice* the Honourable Mr. Justice Mitra, resigned.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 25th February 1909.

No. 80.—The Reverend Harold Gaythorne Crabtree has been appointed a chaplain on probation on the Bengal (Lahore) Ecclesiastical establishment to fill an existing vacancy.

H. A. STUART,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Calcutta, the 26th February 1909.

No. 1092-F. O. & A.—

Mr. Pulin Behary Dass, Probationer attached to the office of the Accountant General, Bengal, is transferred to the office of the Comptroller and Auditor-General.

J. S. MESTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Fort William, the 26th February 1909.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 172.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

"London Gazette," dated 2nd February 1909, pages 829, 831, 834, 835 and 836.

The King has approved of the following promotions among officers of the Indian Army, Indian Medical Service, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, and Indian Army Departments, and admissions to the Indian Army :—

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

First class Assistant Surgeons to be Senior Assistant Surgeons, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant.

Dated 23rd September 1908.

William Daniel Neal.

PROMOTIONS.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 173.—The following promotions are made, *vice* Major W. F. C. Tayler, Indian Army, retired :—

Major J. W. H. Lyon, substantive Assistant Cantonment Magistrate, to be Cantonment Magistrate, provisionally ;

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 191.—Lieutenant James Campbell Mitchell, to be Captain, *vice* Faulconbridge, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 26th October 1908.

2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 197.—Harold Rienzi Milton Groves, to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 1st November 1908.

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART IB.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 354 L.S.-G.—The 25th February 1909.—It is hereby notified that, under section 29A (2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the Deputy Commissioner of Hazaribagh to be the Chairman of the District Board of Hazaribagh.

No. 387 L.S.-G.—The 2nd March 1909.—The following rule, made by the Magistrate of the district of Nadia, with the approval of the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, under section 15 of the Bengal Ferries Act, 1885 (Ben. Act I of 1885), in supersession of rule 8 of the rules published under Notification dated the 12th June 1888, at pages 251-255 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th idem, is published for general information:—

Rule.

8. (1) On the day of the auction, the person to whom the tolls of the ferry have been knocked down shall deposit one-fourth of the amount of his bid as security for the due fulfilment by him of the conditions of the contract referred to in section 9 of the Bengal Ferries Act, 1885.

(2) If such person fails to execute such contract within seven days of his bid being accepted,—

(a) the tolls of the ferry shall again be leased by public auction; and

(b) if it becomes necessary at such subsequent auction to accept a bid which is less in amount than his bid, he shall be liable for the difference between the amount of his bid and the amount of the bid accepted at such auction.

No. 349 M.—The 24th February 1909.—Under Rule 9 of the Rules framed under section 5 of the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the Lieutenant-Governor intends to sanction the following application from the Commissioners of the Giridih Municipality for a loan of Rs. 1,300 from Government, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, and repayable in twenty equal half-yearly instalments of Rs. 79-8-1 each, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the said Municipality.

No. 383M.—The 1st March 1909.—Whereas a notification, No. 1031M., dated the 11th July 1908, was published at page 99, Part IB, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to revise the boundaries of the Bihar Municipality so as to include within the said municipality the local areas comprising 1½ square miles contiguous to the present limits of the said municipality and covered by the following mahallas:—

No. of ward.	Areas to be included in it.
1. Ward No. I	Paharpura, Dargah, Jhinnagar, Alinagar, Mirganj.
2. " " II	Patuana.
3. " " III	Asanagar.
4. " " IV	Salimpur, Sahdih and Emadpur.

and whereas no objection was raised to the proposal within six weeks from the date of publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified, for general information, that, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 9(A)2 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Bihar Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the above proposal.

I.—The following are the boundaries of the areas to be included:—

WARD No. I.

Paharpura.

North—Moulua Barah and Sultan Chak.

South—Mauza Bijbau.

East—Bari Dargah.

West—The river Panchanoh.

Dargah.

North—The river Panchanoh.

South—Mahal Mehadaur.

East—Road and Jhinnagar.

West—Sultanchak, Mahua Barah and Paharpura.

Jhinnagar.

North—The River Panchanoh.

South—Alinagar.

East—Mirjumluk Rozah Bedar.

West—Road and Bari Dargah.

Alinagar.

North—Jhinnagar.

South—Mirganj.

East—Rouzah Bedar and Tungi.

West—Mehdaur.

Mirganj.

North—Alinagar.

South—Land of mauza Tungi.

East—Nabinagar.

West—Mahal Mehdaur.

WARD No. II.

Patuana.

North—Branch of the river Panchanoh.

South—Mirdad Mahalla.

East—Rajah Kuan.

West—Mahallah Chajjoo.

WARD No. III.

Asanagar.

North—District Board Road from Karabagh to Nagarnohsa and Futwah.

South—The river Panchanoh and mauza Beabani.

East—The River Panchanoh.

West—Mauza Kakha and Mandach.

WARD No. IV.

*Salimpur and Sahdh.**North*—Mauza Pichasa.*South*—Mauza Doia and the river Panchanch.*East*—Branch of the River Panchanch.*West*—Mauza Hingapura and Doia.*Emadpur.**North*—Local Board Road to Imamganj.*South*—Branch of the river Panchanch.*East*—Mauza Raja Kuan.*West*—Mauza Lohgani.

2. The revised boundaries of the Bihar Municipality after the inclusion of the aforesaid local areas will be as follows:—

North—Mauzas Pichasa, Sahokar, Khizarchak, Khaji Etwar Sarai and Imamganj.*South*—Land of mauza Tungi, mahal Mehdaur and mauza Bijban.*East*—Branch of the river Panchanch and mauza Raja Kuan.

West—Mauzas Ilinganpura and Doia, Khaksa and Mandach. The road round the southern portion of the Bihar Hill, the road from the Bihar Hill eastward along which the Baktiarpur-Bihar Light Railway Hill siding is laid up to the branch of the Panchanch river, then the west bank of the Panchanch river southward to the place where the District Board Bihar-Ekangar road crosses this portion of the Panchanch river, then the line drawn from this point to the north-east corner of the low land called Hauz Bahar, then the Hauz Bahar, then the District Board Bihar-Giriak Road, as far as the south bank of the Panchanch river where this road crosses.

NOTE.—The mauzas named above in the definition of the revised boundaries of the Municipality are all outside the limits of the Municipality.

O. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.



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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

NOTIFICATION.

THE ELLIOTT PRIZE FOR SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH FOR 1909.

WITH reference to Notification No. 5058F., in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th December 1892, Part I, Page 1172, the Elliott Prize for Scientific Research, will be given this year to the author of the best original essay composed during the year 1909, giving the results of original research, or investigation by the essayist in Mathematics.

2. Any native of Bengal, or of the districts of Dacca, Mymensingh, Backerganj, Faridpur, Rajshahi, Rangpur, Dinajpur, Jalpaiguri, Bogra, Pabna, Malda, Chittagong (including Chittagong Hill Tracts), Noakhali, and Tippera (including Hill Tippera), or any Eurasian or domiciled European residing in Bengal, or the aforesaid districts, may compete for the prize.

3. The essays of competitors *must be sent to the President of the Asiatic Society of Bengal, 57 Park Street, Calcutta, by the end of December 1909.* The prize will be adjudged to the best competitor, and awarded publicly at the Annual General Meeting of the Asiatic Society in February 1910.

4. Preference will be given to researches leading to discoveries likely to develop the industrial resources of Bengal. In the case of no essay being deemed by the Trustees to be of sufficient merit, no prize is to be awarded, but the amount is to be retained, so that in any future year two or more prizes may be given, or the prize may be enhanced in the case of an exceptionally good essay.

ASUTOSH MUKHOPADHYAY,
President of the Asiatic Society of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 17th February 1909.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

In addition to the books excluded under this office Notification, dated the 21st September 1908, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, the books detailed below have, on re-examination, been found unsuitable for retention on the list of approved books.

CALCUTTA,
The 1st March 1909.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

No.	Name of book.	Author.	Publisher.
<i>Bengali.</i>			
1	Sahitya Parijat ...	Narayan Chandra Vid- yaratna.	Siddheswar Press Depo- sitory.
2	Sahitya Siksha, Part I ...	Bireswar Pando	Bengal Medical Library.
3	Bhasha Siksha, Part I ...	Charusila Devi	Ditto.
4	Sahitya Path, Part I ...	.....	Guru Das Chatterji.
5	Sahitya Ratna (revised) ...	Sakti Prasanna Sen Gupta.	Sanskrit Press Deposi- tory.
6	Nutan Sisu Path ...	Isan Chandra Ghose	.....
7	Patiganit, Part II ...	Hari Ballav Mandal	Sanyal & Co.; K. C. Sett & Co.
8	Patiganit and Suvankari (old edition).	P. Ghosh	.....
9	Patiganit, U. P. (old edition)	P. Ghose.—Adapted by E. P. Ghosh.	.....
10	Practical Geometry and Men- suration for Standard VI (old edition).	Ditto ditto	.....
11	Practical Geometry and Men- suration for Standards IV and V (old edition).	Ditto ditto	.....
12	Primary Pariksha ...	Ganga Das Saha	.....
13	Euclid's Geometry, Book I ...	Kedar Nath Dutt	A. K. Ray & Co.
14	The Lower Primary Science Reader.	.....	Longmans, Green & Co.
15	Bharat Samrajyey Itihas ...	.....	Chatterji & Co.
<i>Hindi.</i>			
1	Sahitya Bhushan ...	Ram Din Sinha	Khadga Vilas Press.
2	Hindi Kitab, No. I (Nagri and Kaithi).	Munshi Radha Lal	Ditto.

NOTICE.

AN examination in English Idiom and Pronunciation of the Teachers of High and Middle English Schools who have to teach English or other subjects through the medium of English will be held at the office of the Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division, on Tuesday, the 31st March 1909. Only those candidates who have passed the Entrance or one of the higher examinations of an Indian University will be eligible to appear at it.

2. The intending candidates should apply to this office on or before the 27th March 1909, and state in their applications the following particulars:—

- Name.
- Father's name.
- Residence (village, thana and district).
- Academical qualifications.
- Name of school in which he at present serves.

3. The candidates should bring with them the certificates of having passed the University Examinations specified in their applications.

BHAGALPUR,
The 26th February 1909.

M. PROTHERO,
Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

VERNACULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION FOR ORISSA, HELD IN JANUARY 1909.

The undermentioned candidates have passed the Vernacular Mastership Examination for Orissa held in January 1909.

No.	Name of candidate.	Age.	Name of School.
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FIRST GRADE.

(Arranged in order of merit.)

MEDIUM.

			Yrs.	M.	D.	
1	Bhagirathi Panda*	...	20	10	27	Cuttack Training School.
2	Somanath Misra	...	18	0	28	Ditto.
3	Basudeva Misra†	...	21	7	11	Ditto.
4	Bhagavan Charan Mahapatra*	...	20	3	28	Ditto.
5	Jagadisa Ratha*	...	20	11	0	Ditto.
6	Narasinha Nanda*	...	21	0	0	Ditto.
7	Divyasinha Mahanti*	...	20	3	28	Ditto.
8	Syed Waris Ali	...	21	0	0	Ditto.
9	Fakir Misra*	...	19	2	11	Ditto.
10	Gobinda Tripathi*	...	20	7	11	Ditto.
11	Dinabandhu Misra*	...	18	1	17	Ditto.
12	Bianu Charan Das*	...	18	1	17	Ditto.

Low.

13	Dayanidhi Ratha*	...	21	0	14	Cuttack Training School.
14	Rama Kanta Misra*	...	21	11	28	Ditto.
15	Achyutananda Das	...	20	5	13	Ditto.

SECOND GRADE.

(Arranged in order of merit.)

MEDIUM.

1	Sadhananda Satapathi*	...	23	0	0	Cuttack Training School.
2	Jamesvar Misra*	...	19	6	26	Ditto.
3	Jagannath Ratha*	...	21	2	1	Ditto.
4	Baidya Nath Misra*	...	17	11	3	Ditto.
5	Aparti Mahanti*	...	18	4	0	Ditto.
6	Madhusudan Misra*	...	22	3	14	Ditto.
7	Makar Bhuyan*	...	21	2	28	Ditto.
8	Uday Nath Nanda*	...	18	5	29	Ditto.
9	Jadumani Barik*	...	20	6	19	Ditto.

Low.

10	Brusabha Misra*	...	18	0	13	Cuttack Training School.
11	Banohhanidhi Panigrahi	...	17	5	15	Ditto.

* Passed in manual work.

† Entitled to special certificate in drawing and practical geometry.

CALCUTTA,
The 16th February 1909.

JOHN RICHARD CUNNINGHAM,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

THE BENGAL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

The following courses of instruction are provided at this College :—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering.

Admission qualification—The Intermediate Examination of Science and Arts of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Application for admission by regular students, on or before May 15th.

” ” by special students, on or before July 1st.

Session to commence on 1st Monday in November 1909.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, Middle School Examination or equivalent.

To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June.
 { To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Overseer Examination of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

Offered in two branches—

(a) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.

(b) Mining, leading to the Government of India Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial Classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters' ;	Fitters' ;	Pattern-making ;
Blacksmiths' ;	Turners' ;	Founding in Iron and Brass.

Also a class for the training of Motor Driver Mechanics.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Bengal Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPUR,

The 11th January 1909.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Bengal Engineering College.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY NOTICES.

BARU DINESCHANDRA SEN, B.A., University Reader, will deliver his next lecture at the Senate House, College Square, on Wednesday, the 3rd instant, at 5 P.M.

Subject—Raja Rammohan Ray—his Bengali works.

The lecture will be in English, as usual, and will be open to the public.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 2nd March 1909.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

PRINCIPAL J. N. DAS GUPTA will deliver his next lectures on English Constitutional History at the Senate House, College Square, on Wednesday and Thursday, the 3rd and 4th March 1909, at 3-30 P.M., on both days.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 2nd March 1909.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar



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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the “Gazette” cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the East Indian Railway, Chord Line, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at noon on Thursday, the 15th March 1909, corresponding with the 2nd Chaitra 1815 B.S., at Mankar Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

- 1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the Railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than 3 feet from its foundation.
- 2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.
- 4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.
- 5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Burdwan	Pargana Gope Ebum, mauza Mankar.	Mile No. 80.	North side of the Railway.	0 14 0	0 0 37'02	.....	.....	Commences from chainage 280'85 and terminates at chainage 288'15.	Bounded on the south and east by the East Indian Railway Company's land; on the west by the East Level Crossing of Mankar station, and on the north by the bank of Netee Pukur tank belonging to Satish Pal and Dwija Pada Pal and the cultivated lands of Mohot Ghose, Mahindi Barua, Gosta Pal and Kakhal Mondol.
2	Idite	Idite ...	Idite	South side of the Railway.	5 2 9'77	1 2 31'37	.....	.....	Commences from chainage 280'55 and terminates at chainage 288'65.	Bounded on the north and east by the East Indian Railway Company's land; west by the West Level Crossing of Mankar station, and south by the cultivated lands of Mahindi Barua, Gosta Pal, Behari Barua, Gosta Barua and Mohendra Barua; petit lands of Gosta Barua, Behari Dutta and Behari Dutta, two village roads; homestead lands of Kedar Marwari, Gokul Kundu and Narendra Kundoo; Kamrah Pukur tank and khas petit land.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Sedepur Branch, East Indian Railway, in the district of Bardwan, will be put up to sale at noon on Saturday, the 8th March 1909, corresponding with the 24th Falgoun 1315 B.S. at Sitarampur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

- 1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the Railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than 3 feet from its foundation.
- 2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.
- 4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.
- 5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN DIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Burdwan	Pargana Shergurh, mauza Radhanagar.	Mile No. 5	West side of the Railway.	0 13 14'22	0 0 36'73	.....	.....	Commences from chainage 241'20 and terminates at chainage 241'70.	Bounded on the north by the cultivated land of Badal Majhi, south by the cultivated land of Bengal Coal Company, east by the East Indian Railway Company's land, and on the west by the cultivated lands of Badal Majhi and Bengal Coal Company.

Land Acquisition Office, Hooghly, the 12th January 1909.

RASIK LAL SEN, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Boreas Coal Company's Sidang, Salanpur Branch, East Indian Railway, in the district of Bardwan, will be put up to sale at noon on Saturday, the 8th March 1909, corresponding with the 24th Falgoun 1315 B.S. at Sitarampur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

- 1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing or plough the lands closer than 3 feet from its foundation.
- 2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.
- 4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.
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Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN DIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Burdwan	Pargana Pandra, mauza Honbiriuth.	Mile No. 2	East side of the Railway.	3 2 12'30	1 0 6'00	.....	.....	Commences from ch. 33 and terminates at ch. 41 ft. 76 on the Boreas Coal Company's siding.	Bounded on the north by the East Indian Railway Company's land; on the south by the cultivated land of Nobin Mondol, and on the east and west by the cultivated lands of Khudiram Mondol, Radhanath Sarnokar, Uday Mistry, Sudan Mondol, Madhub Swarnokar, Nobin Mondol and Udaya Mondol.
2	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	North side of the Railway.	0 1 1'78	0 0 2'96	.....	.....	Commences from ch. 35 ft. 56 and terminates at ch. 35 ft. 96 on the Salanpur Branch.	Bounded on the north, south, east and west by the cultivated lands of Udaya Mondol.

Land Acquisition Office, Hooghly, the 12th January 1909.

RASIK LAL SEN, Collector under Act I of 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of this district on the 15th March 1909 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

Tausi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.		Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.		If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.		If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.		REMARKS.
		Rent.	Cess.				Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	
1 Reel-duary	Killah Marichpur, pargana Marichpur.	Rs. A. P.			11a. 5p. 13gr. 6p.	Hemendra Roy, manager, and Nath com-men and others.	2,247 15				218 7 34	199 13 1	
147 1	Ma. Harakrishna-pur, pargana Rohang.	2,148 0 0			4 annas	Godadhar Ramanuj Das.	535 12				67 12 0	22 7 0	
147 3	Ma. Harakrishna-pur, pargana Rohang.	2,148 0 0			4 "	Madhusudan Mohanty.	535 12				67 12 0	22 7 0	

Puri, the 9th February 1909.

N. GHOSH, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Jessore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th March 1909 at 1 P.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
5119	Shamta, pargana Muighar.	Rs. A. P.	No	Share No. 1 ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kali Charan Ash and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
						2,077 1 2		605 2 7

Jessore Collectorate, the 12th February 1909.

S. C. SEN, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue 13th February 1909.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3551	Digra, pargana Boro.	Rs. A. P.	Entire	Nil	Basanta Lal Chetry	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
		530 3 5				Nil	107 15 11	Nil
3561	Kharsural, pargana Boro.	1,311 10 6	Nil	8 annas share of the estate	Bhagabati Charone and another.	625 13 0	Nil	53 13 6

The 13th February 1909.

B. DAS, Collector, Hooghly.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Outtock will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd March 1909 at 12 noon, or arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
13	Killa Bishunpur ...	Rs. A. P.	Kt. 8a. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 12a.	Laksmidhar Das and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
17	Killa Ohedra ...	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 2p. 8kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 9p. 18kt.	Babu Jogendra Nath Bose and others.	2,004 7 4	.....	10 0 3
20	Kt. ta. Sundarpur, ph. Jajpur.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 1p. 7kt. 7b. 6p. 3kd. 3bd. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 10p. 18kt. 8b. 12g. 1kd. 1bd.	Suna Dei, wife of Kripasindhu Jham-pai Singh and others.	1,031 14 9	.....	1,300 2 1
27	Ta. Kerkora, ph. ditto.	801 9 6	Whole ..	.....	Chowdhury Narasingh Charan Mahapatra.	.....	389 12 7	.....
28	Kt. ta. Naharapur, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 5a. 3p. 16kt. 12b. 12g. 3bd. of the mahal excluding 10a. 8p. 8kt. 2b. 4g. 3kd. 1bd. represented by 12a. of ma. Banua, 6a. of ma. Kapasipatna, 1a. of ma. Bidyadharpur samil ma. Kapasi, 16a. of ma. Kapasi, 6a. of ma. Digrajsamil Khalgaria, 16a. of ma. Kapleswar and Kapleswar samil Manua, 1a. of ma. Badyarajpur samil Bidyadharpur, 12a. 3p. 10kt. 8b. of ma. Balipai, 12a. 9p. 18kt. of ma. Bridaypur and Tipura, 1a. of ma. Rohada, 15a. 7p. 6kt. of ma. Itra, 16a. of ma. Banpur, Badyarajpur, Biralpur, Bepari Brahmapur, Trilochanpur, Chandeeswar, Khalgaria, comprising area 17'32 Barbat, Ebank, Jalpur, Chalapur, Sukdeity, Bhateshi, Taramadan and Naharapur, 8a. 9p. of ma. Balipada, Arjoonpur, Ballo, Dovabli, Samsundarpur, 8a. 4p. 10kt. of ma. Balipapur, 10a. 9p. 18kt. of ma. Hirapur comprising area 10'27, 8a. 4p. 10kt. of ma. Gopalchuri, 16a. of ma. Utalpur, Kotahli, Nayagobindpur, Nakupai, Badhaipal, Gaidia, 12a. of ma. Kakhariadihi, 8a. of ma. Audatola, 8a. of ma. Banbajpur, 10a. 8p. of ma. Solaparhi, 8a. 7p. 6kt. of ma. Bariandha, 8a. 16kt. of ma. Banigoda, comprising area 54'30, 8a. 9kt. of ma. Banigoda comprising area 54'4, 12a. 4p. 17kt. 12b. 12g. of ma. Kodandpur, 12a. 9kt. of ma. Indas Nos 1 and 2, 11a. 5p. 11kt. of ma. Debidwar comprising area 2'84, Khalgaria comprising area 7'20, 12a. 10p. 8kt. 8b. of ma. Banpur, 12a. 4p. of ma. Bidyadharpur comprising area 29'30, 12a. of ma. Solampur, 8a. of ma. Bidyadharpur comprising area 47, 8a. of ma. Trilochanpur No. 1 and 2, Jalhara comprising area 74'35, 8a. 3p. 8kt. of ma. Hirapur comprising area 15'4, 8a. 4p. 10kt. of ma. Sakhumit, Barudepur and Bokhandpur, 1a. 9p. 18kt. of ma. Indas samil Khalgaria and Indas samil Debidwar, and 3a. 2p. 6kt. of ma. Tipura samil Bidyadharpur.	Choudhuri Parsuram Das and others.	1,933 3 0	.....	2,727 3 3
29	Kt. ta. ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 2a. 6p. 18kt. 9b. 1kd. 3bd. comprising ma. Banpur, Badyarajpur, Biralpur, Bepari Brahmapur, Trilochanpur, Chandeeswar, Khalgaria, Barbat, Ebank, Jalpur, Chalapur, Sukdeity entire, 3a. 3p. 8kt. of ma. Kodandpur, excluding 12a. 9p. 7kt. 8b. 12g. 3kd. 1bd. which represents 16a. of all other mauzas and remaining shares of the above mauzas.	Nale Panda and others.	913 1 0	.....	194 4 7
30	Kt. ta. Kallimogha, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 6p. 18kt. 1b. 12g. 3bd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate, excluding 8a. 5p. 6kt. 14b. 7g. 3kd., represented by 1a. of ma. Panasa, 7a. of ma. Bhanshi, 1a. 3p. 15kt. of ma. Iahapur and 2a. 10p. of ma. Sathibati.	Ram Krishna Bose and others.	1,251 1 0	.....	689 12 9
31	Ta. Gobindpur, ph. Sultanabad.	Kt. 5a. 3p. 18kt. 11b. 10g. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate, excluding 10a. 3p. 7kt. 4b. 10g. represented by 12a. of ma. Kalkhand, Kimbhiripal, Banaria, Sarangpur, Bhuragan, Rada, Bhannra, Rada, Badpal, Barora, Kumbhaka, Bitna, Naranpur, Bari, Kumbh-nagar, Shergur, Kenkarsa, Anyasipur, Allahabad, Chandanpur, Dharpur, Nathapur, 10a. of ma. Kampa, Aroni, Neula, Katang, Bari and holding Nos. $\frac{424}{1}$, $\frac{425}{2}$, $\frac{426}{3}$, $\frac{427}{4}$, $\frac{428}{5}$, $\frac{429}{6}$, $\frac{430}{7}$, $\frac{431}{8}$, entire of ma. Haldibasant and 6a. of ma. Baringi.	Bhobani Jena and others.	506 0 0	562 2 0

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
341 7	Ta. Gobindpur, ph. Sultanabad.	Rs. A. P.	Kt. 10a. comprised in 10a. of ma. Kalakhand, Kibhitiapal, Baneris, Barangpur, Bhurugan, Brada, Bhaura, Boda, Badpai, Sarbara, Kubhanka, Bitna, Naranpur, Haril, Kreesnagar, Shernpur, Kenkarsada, Anyalpur, Alilabad, Chandaupur, Dharrur, Nathapur, 10a. of ma. Bampa, Arual, Nena, Ratlang, Bari and holding Nos. $\frac{451}{1}$, $\frac{455}{2}$, $\frac{456}{3}$, $\frac{457}{4}$, $\frac{458}{5}$, $\frac{459}{6}$, $\frac{460}{7}$, and $\frac{461}{8}$, entire of ma. Haldibasant, excluding all other mauzas and remaining share of above mauzas which represents 6a. of the mahal.	Ch. Brajamohan Mahapatra.	Rs. A. P. 853 1 0	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 853 1 0
344	Ta. Gobindpur, ph. Hatimunda.	3,514 9 0	Whole	.....	Chandra Kumar Bose and others.	.....	5,129 8 1	.....
345	Ma. Argal, ph. ditto.	1,661 0 0	Do.	.....	Bhaskar Naik and others.	.....	1,648 5 4	.....
349	Ta. Badhasyam, ph. ditto.	1,106 0 0	Do.	.....	Kanoojee Madhusudan Pattanaik and others.	.....	1,034 0 0	.....
363	A. J. B. ma. Manpu, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 5p. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 4d.	Shugban Chandra Palda.	566 3 0	.....	423 10 0
367	Kt. ta. Doullara, ph. Bara.	516 0 0	Whole	.....	Bhaskar Naik	.....	496 15 1	.....
369	Kt. ma. Kaupur, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 7p. 17kt. 1b. 15g., comprised in all the mauzas of the estate, excluding 5p. 2kt. 14b. 5g. represented by 10a. of ma. Kaimabad.	Trilochan Narendra Mahapatra and others.	609 2 0	.....	695 11 7
746	Kt. ma. Odasingh, ph. Sunghara.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Hemendra Nath Rai, common manager of Chowdhury Keertibas Das and others.	524 7 0	.....	262 7 0
747	Kt. ma. ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Hemendra Nath Rai, common manager of Chowdhury Dhanurathi Das and others.	518 15 0	.....	274 15 0
755	Pt. Ekramnagar, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 10p. 8kt. 12b. 17g. 2kd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate, excluding 2a. 10. 1ekt. 3b. 2g. 2kd. represented by 10a. of ma. Bangura and Kihunda, 7a. 1p. 4kt. of ma. Jankoti and Mirapur, 3a. of ma. Baingole, Buhalo, Chamarigol, Nunha, Bannara, Banpati, Patpur, Jigulpur, Kolia, Khargan, Matkatpur, Mahajampur, Nichitkul, Rautpali and Bilo.	Lila Kadda Mohan and others.	824 0 0	.....	58 3 0
807	A. D. ma. Madhyachh, etc., ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 11p. 18kt. 2b.	Chowdhury Harihar Das and others.	1,331 2 0	.....	653 8 10
813 5	Tappe Sahajahanpur, ph. Alil.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 4kt. 6b. 7g. 3kd. 3hd. comprised in ma. Alarpur, Arabol comprising area 426-03, Hanjanz, Bandereewar, Bandhgobindpur, Nahanangar, Jarinchhia, Balikuda, Bhagbanpur, comprising area 174-56, Chaitanangal, Asia, Janak, Hamjapur, Katipur, Matkatpur, Mangalpur, Mirjapur, Nahanangara Bara, Nahanangara Sana, Patory Nahanangar, Arabol, comprising area 36-99, Bhagbanpur, comprising area 4-40, Lalai, Gopalpur, Pataraipur, Balpara Bara, Balpara Sana, Tikiri, Gargali, Haripur, Nalipur and Arangabad, entire, excluding 3a. 11p. 15kt. 9b. 12g. 1bd. which represents all other mauzas of the mahal.	Babu Balaram Bhrambar Rai and others through their common manager Babu Suresh Chandra Chakravarti.	8,604 2 0	.....	4,747 1 0
814	Tippe Gopalpur, ph. Alil.	9,363 0 0	Whole	.....	Sawant Lakmi Narayan Jagdeb.	.....	4,641 0 0	.....
816	Kt. Thaney Alamgiri, ph. Alil.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 7p. 19kt. 9b. 5g. 1bd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 5p. 6g. 11g. 3kd. 3bd. represented by 3a. 7p. 8kt. of ma. Dakhinkul.	Simati Mani Das, mother and guardian of Kartik Chandra Pal, minor and others.	3,070 15 0	.....	131 4 0
816	Mt. ma. Sauris, ph. Alil.	1,020 0 0	Whole	.....	Babu Lakmi Narayan Jagdeb.	.....	510 0 0	.....
817	Kt. ma. ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 10p. 10kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 1n. 0kt.	Ajron Kar and others.	919 7 0	.....	501 13 0
827	Thaney Mahavada, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 8p. 14kt. 10b. 17g. 3kd. of the mahal comprised in all the mauzas, excluding 3p. 5kt. 6b. 2g. 1kd. represented by ma. Mahipur Gargali and Haripur entire.	Babu Balram Bhrambar Rai and others through their common manager Babu Suresh Chandra Chakravarti.	3,530 13 0	.....	1,760 0 0
903	Kt. ma. Kaul etc., ph. Kokastand.	636 0 0	Whole	.....	Babu Suresh Chandra Chakravarti.	.....	314 0 0	.....
1065	Ta. Sridharpur, ph. Asutishwar.	3,198 0 0	Do.	.....	Taponthi Ganeswar Bhattacharya.	.....	128 5 3	.....
1102	Ta. Gopalpur, ph. ditto.	5,661 0 0	Do.	.....	Chandma Moni Dei, grandmother and guardian of Balakob Charan Kanoojee, minor, and others.	.....	1,041 0 0	.....
1118	Ta. Rajendrapur, ph. Olas.	.....	.....	Kt. 6a. 2p. 12kt. 5b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 5a. 9p. 7kt. 8b.	Chandhuu Harhar Das and others, subalt of Sri Gopinath Jew Thakur through their common manager Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.	1,489 4 0	.....	735 13 1
1118 1	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto	.....	.....	Kt. 7a. 9p. 12kt. 5b. in each of the estate excluding 5a. 2p. 7kt. 8b.	Bihari Lal Pandit	1,973 3 0	.....	1,863 14 3
1252	Kt. ta. Purnan, ph. Kaimul.	7 0 14 7	Whole	.....	Chowdhury Paruram Das and others.	.....	25 11 9	.....
1262	Ma. Kuchutah, ph. ditto.	Kt. 11a. 5p. 19kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 5a. 7p. 1kt.	Hemendra Nath Rai, common manager, on behalf of Chowdhury Keertibas Das and others.	973 12 0	486 1 0

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1813	Ta. Bhaban, ph. Baruan	Rs. A. P. 2,514 0 0	Whole	Bhaban Sahu	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 2,509 12 6	Rs. A. P.
1814	Kt. ta. Keshpur, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 4a. 6p. 8kt. 18g. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 11a. 7p. 11kt. 1 b. 2g.	Gajendra Mahapatra	579 2 0	.....	269 2 6
1816	Ma. Gopinathpur, etc., ph. Baruan.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 7kt. 9b. 6g. 3kd. comprised in all the mauzas of the mahal, excluding 1a. 11p. 12kt. 6b. 13g. 1kd. represented by 12a. of ma. Sahipur; Nos. 1, 2 and 3, Malikapur, Chitahata and Abdulpur.	Dilawar Khan	1,101 0 0	.....	1,376 5 6
1822	Ma. Enderol, etc., ph. ditto.	692 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Raghunath Pattanaik	.....	1,115 12 0	.....
1828	1a. Sadakpur, ph. Kalmatia.	685 0 0	Do ...	.....	Sarat Kumar Ghose and others.	.....	1,023 15 0	.....
1858	Ta. Muraripur, ph. Abariak.	604 0 0	Do ...	.....	Srimati Palani Dei, wife of Balistab Charan Santra and others.	.....	477 0 0	.....
1870	Ta. Bichana, ph. Paima.	1,002 0 0	Do ...	.....	Ditto	.....	516 0 0	.....
1874	Ta. Radhaprosad, ph. Chanakulat.	2,747 10 6	Do ...	.....	Choudhury Keertihari Das and others through their common manager Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.	.....	1,372 15 0	.....
1876	Ta. Gobindprosad, ph. ditto.	7,517 0 0	Do ...	.....	Balraj Bhramarbar Rai and others through their common manager Babu Suresh Chandra Chakrabarti.	.....	3,758 0 0	.....
1880	Ta. Narasinghprosad, ph. Tilkan.	2,346 0 0	Do ...	.....	Babu Suresh Chandra Chakrabarti, common manager of Syam Sundar Narendra and others, Sobai of Sri Radhagobind Tew.	.....	1,622 0 0	.....
1812	Ta. Gobindprosad, ph. Jodh.	6,043 1 0	Do ...	.....	Babu Balraj Bhramarbar Rai and others through their common manager Suresh Chandra Chakrabarti.	.....	3,311 0 0	.....
1816	Kt. Ta. Badko, ph. Kaima.	764 0 0	Do ...	.....	Radhwanadhab Rai alias Radhawanadhab Pakara.	.....	1,176 0 0	.....
1840	Ta. Katangiri, ph. Baruan.	7,225 0 0	Do ...	.....	Nani Mohan Banerjee	.....	7,875 0 0	.....
1856	Ta. Jublo, ph. Sargara.	728 7 6	Do ...	.....	Choudhury Nurshing Chaman Mahapatra.	.....	728 3 10	.....
1864	Ta. Dhaneswar, ph. Sargara.	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 10p. 5kt. 5b. 13g. 1kd. 1bd. comprised in all the mauzas except 15a. 2p. 8kt. 10b. 6g. 2kd. in ma. Gopalpur, Torand, Taria alias Kantabani, Mahurapur, Mahadpur, Kusmarpur, Padma okhar, Uterkhajoria, Bhatihai, Tulsiapur, Pandapur, Saito, Barde, Adhanga, Barpatuli, Dal, Kope d, Bramanipur, Chhatrapur, Jenukanna, Talagan, Batikanti, Deokoria, Talari, Talinda, Torang, Ali alias Ahlu, Ghikoli, Manpur, Sintia, Nanpatuli, Chilikada, Kharli, Bantia, Fazipur, Gobargali, Ngodh, Santahi, Taraol, Salkana, Bramhanda, Bansipur alias Kansarpur, Gobindpur, Saman alias Gobindpur San, Khawalpur, Tajpur, Ochinda, Khajuria, Solari alias Samari, Adhalwalia, Nanda alias Nuhanda and Johara 9a. 3p. 6kt. 10b. 6g. 2kd. in ma. Khatuatiar, Omla, Hatpur, ph. Matkatabad, Hatpur, Baranpada alias Bramanpada, Kandan, Salpala, Namokhari, Khido, Dhanantir, Ranpal, Bhakindari, Rangrenka, Gobindpur, Baranpada Nos 1 and 2, 15a. 6p. 10kt. 10b. 6g. 2kd. in ma. Karda, 11a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 6g. 2kd. in ma. Batamanna, 15a. 6p. 19kt. 10b. 6g. 2kd. in ma. Alada alampur and Katura, 15a. 6p. 6kt. 10b. 6g. 2kd. in ma. Jalanta, 15a. 6p. 6kt. 10b. 6g. 2kd. in ma. Brahmapur, Kantar and Sarendrab. 9g. 15a. 4p. 6kt. 10b. 6g. 2kd. in ma. Dhaneswar, total representing 11a. 1p. 14kt. 10b. 6g. 2kd. 2bd. of the mahal.	Sidhu Chetan Mahanti and others.	1,015 5 0	.....	618 16 9
1768	Kt. Tanna Naltigiri, ph. Mathanagar.	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 11p. 1kt. 8b. 5g. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 12kt. 12b. 15g. which represents 16a. of ma. Oikana.	Gokhai Padman and others.	924 14 0	.....	146 13 6
1778	Ta. Mahanga, ph. ditto.	685 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Janardan Prosad Rai and others.	.....	312 1 4	.....
1844	Ta. Gobindpur, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 9a. 7p. 12kt. 3b. 2g. 3kd. 2bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mauzas excluding 6a. 4p. 7kt. 12b. 17g. 2bd. represented by 6a. of ma. Marda and Bramanmanjori. 6a. 9p. of ma. Bihampur mukadami, Bilpar mukadami and Chhapur, 4a. of ma. Jampara, Hushad, 2a. 8p. 10kt. 8b. of ma. Gobindpur and 2a. 12kt. 8b. of ma. Khandole and Rangoda.	Manvi Abdul Gani alias Habibur Raheman and others.	880 8 0	.....	12 5 7
1846	Ma. Umar etc., ph. ditto.	663 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Srimati Sunamali Jena Dei and others.	.....	57 5 0	.....
1900	Kt. ta. Cuttack, ph. Cuttackhubell.	.....	.....	Kt. 9a. 4p. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 6a. 8p.	Choudhury Bijoyram Das and others.	543 9 0	.....	371 5 6
1971	Ta. Padmalapur, ph. Bihariakhpur.	.....	.....	Kt. 6a. 9p. 1kt. 14b. 8g. 3kd. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 10a. 3p. 10kt. 1b. 11g. 1kd.	Sonant Narayan Jagdeb and others.	1,880 12 0	.....	210 9 6
1975	Ta. Raghunathpur, ph. Kodanda.	.....	.....	Kt. 4a. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 12 a.	Pa bati Dei and others.	538 0 0	.....	22 3 6
1977	Ta. ditto ph. ditto	1,006 6 0	Whole	Narasingh Paharaj and others.	502 13 8

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2071	Ta. Raghunath, ph. Saino.	Rs. A. P. 815 0 0	Whole	Raghunath Parija ...	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 815 0 0	Rs. A. P.
2120	Ta. Chitalpur, ph. ditto.	828 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Choudhury Dinakrista and others.	.....	806 2 0	.....
2175	Ta. Gonsah Prasad, ph. Hariharpur.	1,414 9 5	Do. ...	.....	Ganesh Prasad Bhagat.	.....	707 4 9	.....
2178	Pt. Madhyasasan, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 7a, 8a, 3kt. 1b, 1g, 1kd. in each of the mas. of the estate, excluding 8a, 3p, 16kt. 14b, 18g, 3kd.	Choudhury Keertibas Das and others.	774 13 0	.....	362 12 0
2199	Kt. ma. Chikinia ...	.....	.....	Kt. 15a, 7p, 14kt. 7b, 8g, 3kd. comprised in all the manzas except 6 pie in ma. Chikinia, which represents 4p, 5kt. 8b, 11g, 1kd. of the mahal.	Baban Das and others.	782 14 0	.....	35 2 2
2453 1	Ta. Puting, ph. Jhankar.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a, in each of the manzas of the estate, excluding 8a.	Deokali Kuanr ...	1,148 0 0	.....	976 0 0
2491	Kt. L. H. ta. Janardanpur, ph. Harpala.	1,149 8 0	Whole ...	.....	Choudhury Keertibas Das and others.	.....	1,145 5 0	.....
2502	Kt. ta. Fagu, ph. Bakharabad.	.....	.....	Kt. 11a, 9p, 18kt. 1b, 14g, 1kd. comprised in all the manzas except 13a, 4p, in ma. Sayapara, 6i, 8p, in ma. Poisa which represents 4a, 2p, 14b, 5g, 3kd. of the mahal.	Srimetya Surjaman Dhye, mother and guardian of Choudhury Lokanath Acharye and others.	864 10 0	.....	859 10 0
2619	Ta. Jagannathpur, ph. Paunda.	1,209 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Munshi Ahemad Bux	.....	1,008 0 0	.....
2623	Ta. Gajendra, ph. ditto.	557 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Choudhury Gajendra Banta Mahapatra and others.	.....	557 0 0	.....
2671	Kt. ta. Niali, ph. Deogan.	.....	.....	Kt. 7a, 10p, 13kt. 11b, 3g, 3kd. in each of the manzas of the estate, excluding 8a, 1p, 6kt. 4b, 16g, 1kd.	Choudhury Harihar Das and others.	863 9 0	.....	771 4 6
2673	Ma. Amarpara, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a, 8p, 2kt. 8b, 2g, 1bd. in each of the manzas of the estate, excluding 2a, 3p, 17kt. 7b, 17g, 3kd, 3bd.	Nimai Charan Mitra and others.	992 3 0	.....	34 9 6
2716 1	Ta. Singhpur, ph. Kately.	.....	.....	Kt. 2a, in each of the manzas of the estate, excluding 14a.	Choudhury Keertibas Das and others.	637 10 0	.....	954 14 0
2716 2	Ta. Ditto ph. ditto	.....	.....	Kt. 2a, 5p, 16kt. 7b, 15g, in each of the manzas of the estate, excluding 13a, 6p, 3kt. 8b, 5g.	Choudhury Sham Chann Das and others.	791 2 0	.....	791 2 0
2718	Ta. Madhab, ph. Kately.	2,669 0 0	Whole	.....	Sri Gopinath Dob Thakur Sabait Choudhury Keertibas Das and others through their common manager Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.	.....	2,669 0 0	.....
2721	Kt. ma. Suninda, etc., ph. ditto.	576 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Chaudhury Keertibas Das and others through their common manager Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.	.....	576 0 0	.....
2741	Ta. Bhatpara, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a 7p, 15kt. 14b, in each of the mas. of the estate, excluding 4p, 4kt. 2b.	Banamali Parida and others.	665 4 0	.....	264 0 0
2767	Kt. ta. Nada, ph. Benabar.	620 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Gobind Chandra Das and others.	.....	315 14 3	.....
2768	Kt. ta. Dobi, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 9a, 1kt, 13b, 2g, 1kt. 2bd. in each of the manzas of the estate, excluding 6a, 11p, 18kt. 2b, 17g, 3kd. 2bd.	Kasinath Kaucngel and others.	635 6 0	.....	391 12
2771	Ta. Singhpur, ph. ditto.	685 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Gobind Chandra Das and others.	.....	342 8 3	.....
2773	Kt. ta. Hanco, ph. ditto.	1,162 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Heershi Kesh Mahapatra and others.	.....	1,160 14 6	.....
2783	Ma. Sangrampur, ph. ditto.	721 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Laksmi har Das ...	.....	360 10 3	.....
2802	Kt. ta. Lakemidhar, ph. ditto	2,303 5 11	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	.....	1,178 7 4	.....
2807	Ta. Alishapur, ph. Korua.	796 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Bhikshore Mahanti and others.	.....	371 14 0	.....
2816	Ta. Saibir, ph. Saibir	.....	.....	Kt. 3i, 9p, 6kt, 13b, 1g, 1kd. in each of the manzas of the estate, excluding 12a, 3p, 13kt, 2g, 18g, 3kd.	Choudhury Keertibas Das and others through their common manager Babu Hemendra Nath Rai.	5,258 0 0	.....	5,258 0 0
2816 1	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto	.....	.....	Kt. 1a, 11p, 18kt. 2b, in each of the mas. of the estate, excluding 14a, 1kt, 14b.	Chaudhury Bapovram Das through his common manager ditto.	2,836 10 0	.....	2,836 0 0
2816 2	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto	.....	.....	Kt. 1a, 4p, 18kt. 7b, in each of the mas. of the estate, excluding 14a, 7p, 1kt. 9b.	Chaudhury Harihar Das through his common manager ditto.	2,048 0 0	.....	1,981 11
2316 2	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto	Kt. 11p, 4kt, 1b, 18g, 3kd. in each of the manzas of the estate, excluding 15a, 15kt 14b 1g, 1kd.	Chaudhury Kulaman Das through his common manager ditto.	1,329 13 0	1,326 14 0

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2814 6	Ta. Saibir, ph. Saibir	Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Dasarathi Das through his common manager Hemendra Nath Rai.	1,585 4 0	1,581 10 0
2816 7	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto	.....	.....	Kt. 9p. 17kt. 12b. 1g. 1kd. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 15a. 3p. 3kt. 3b. 18g. 3kd.	Choudhury Meertun- joi Das through ditto.	1,173 5 0	.....	583 11 0
2816 8	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto	.....	.....	Kt. 10p. 10kt. 15b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 15a. 1p. 9kt. 1b.	Choudhury Padmalay Das through ditto.	1,251 8 0	.....	1,248 12 0
2816 9	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto	.....	.....	Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 18g. 3kd. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1kd.	Choudhury Narabari Das through ditto.	1,339 10 0	.....	1,335 5 0
2816 10	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Jairam Das through ditto.	1,585 3 0	.....	1,581 8 0
2816 11	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto	.....	.....	Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 18g. in each of the mas. of the estate, excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1kd.	Choudhury Gha- n-svam Das and others through ditto.	1,329 10 0	.....	1,326 5 0
2823	Kt. 1a. Dalbed, ph. Sujanagar.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 4p. 11kt. 8b. 7g. 2kd. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 7p. 3kt. 7b. 12g. 3kd.	Choudhury, Harihar Das and other.	560 14 0	.....	280 7 0
2823	Ta. Frunch, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 5p. 5kt. 11b. 14g. in each of the estate, excluding 2a. 6p. 1akt. 4b. 6g.	Ragunath Parija	933 6 0	.....	401 2 10
2824	Ta. Utaharan, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 10a. 5p. 9kt. 9b. 4g. 2kd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate, excluding 5a. 6p. 10kt. 8b. 15g. 2kd. represented by 5a. 10p. 1kt. 6b. 14g. 1kd. 2bd. of ma. Damodarpur and 5a. 8p. 3kt. 1g. 1kd. 2bd. of all other mauzas of the estate.	Ditto	897 2 0	.....	443 9 0
2827	Ta. Gopinathpur, ph. Jalnabad.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 11p. 15kt. 4b. 15g. 2bd. comprised in all the mauzas of the mahal, excluding 3a. 4kt. 11b. 4g. 3kd. 14bd. represented by ma. Protapasan, Lakudi, Bharisole, Hirasur, Bagurnasandelpur, Nagpur, Purnasasan, Purnan Padhan, Panikola, Samlasasan, Kani, Bagnala, Titira, Nimpur, Tala, Kanpur, Bhagbanpur, Gaithpur, Hargan, Nerilo, Kalio, Ogunpur, Anjira, Haypur, Kantar, Sasani, Sidhole, Taitoi, Santo, Sahjanka, Arasole, Purnan, Balpalbunk, Tihudi ph. Khanti, Sarmal, Alikanta, Thaito, Gudpalio, Kantabulhabpur, Salranva, Kanhpur, Kanpur, Alikana, Alabhar, Baharabad, Mungpur, Ambam, Badagar, Tertan, Botigan, Majhikora, Nanilo, Sam- pur, Haripa, Urali, Bathisimha, Upandara, Dando, Kadupura, Jaitelang, Amarsingh, Bodilo, Sarana, and Karada entire and 11a. 4p. 6kt. of ma. Sidhole.	Lala Purno Chandra Rai and others.	2,683 12 0	.....	2,797 4 8
2814	Kt. ma. Narsinghpur, ph. Benahar.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 9p. 4kt. 8b. comprised in all the mauzas excluding 2p. 1akt. 6b. of the mahal represented by ma. Kalio entire.	Basudeb Das and others.	695 2 0	.....	651 12 0
2820	Kt. 1a. Debi, ph. ditto	738 6 0	Whole	.....	Krishna Chandra Das and others.	.....	368 11 5	4
2829	Kt. 1a. Sayedpur, ph. Sujabad.	629 0 0	Do.	.....	Babu Suresh Chandra Chakraborty, com- mon Manager of Babu Halram Bhattacharjee Rai.	.....	314 0 0	.....
2820	Ta. Sitalo, ph. Bho- gu.	.....	.....	Kt. 10a. 10p. 11kt. 4b. 5g. 4bd. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 5a. 1p. 8kt. 11b. 14g. 3kd. 3bd.	Choudhury, Keertibas Das and others.	817 10 0	.....	806 8 2
2871	Thanev Aluragiri, ph. Aiti.	.....	.....	Kt. 9a. 10p. 1akt. 15b. 2g. 2kd., comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 6a. 1p. 6kt. 17g. 2kd. represented by 6as. of ma. Asia, comprising area 60'11, ma. Asia comprising area 57'12, Muhibara, Churamangal, 5a. of ma. Niali, 5a. of ma. Biluluku, Mahadeipur, Jemudeipur, Baghunathpur, Madhadeipur, Butalibade, Bajenami, Nan- pur, Banatpur, Bakhinatal, Galipur, Khar- dank, Patania, Harichandanpur, Tiki- soli, Mijhpara, 4a. of ma. Manduka, Kamasani, Manduka, Bahchandrapur, Nan- pur, Kuspu, Niali and Suktipat, and 11a. of ma. Suika.	Darsani Sahu and others.	1,585 1 0	.....	1,079 0 0
2872	Kt. Thanev ditto ph. ditto.	4,216 0 0	Whole	.....	Surendra Nath Rai and others.	.....	1,560 12 6	.....
2874	Kt. Ta. Birtol, ph. Jhankar.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 2a.	Deokali Kuamar	1,411 5 0	.....	706 11 0
2870	Ta. Kasba, ph. Aluas	Kt. 6a. 1p. 1kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 2a. 10p. 19kt.	Nirmadhab Tashi and others.	1,011 13 0	347 10 0

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3503	Ma. Jarl, ph. Dolgram.	Kt. 18a. 6p. 5kt. 7a. 2kd. 3bd., comprised in all the mauzas, except 1a. 8p. 15kt. 8a. 3g. 1kt. in ma. Champapal, Falpur, Hansanabad, Kotai, Paharapur, Nemra, and T.T.A. 2a. 8p. 1kt. 15b. 16a. 3kd. in ma. Chibotakari, and 2a. 7p. 9kt. 4b. 12g. 1kd. in ma. Jarl, which represents 2a. 5p. 10kt. 15b. 12g. 1kd. 1bd. of the mahal.	Baistab Charan Samal and others.	3,320 14 0	2,028 1 7
3507	Ma. ditto, ph. ditto ...	897 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Parusram Samal and others.	.....	43 0 0	.....
3515	Ta. Alkund, ph. ditto	.....	.....	Kt. 9a. 5p. 13kt. 11b. 16g. 3kd. 2bd. of the mahal, comprised in all the mauzas, excluding 6a. 6p. 6kt. 4b. 3g. 2bd. represented by 10a. 3p. 10kt. 3b. 5g. of ma. Bina, 7a. 9p. 9kt. of ma. Pansotampur, Balchandrapur, Jhankari Bulpur, 5a. 1p. 9kt. of ma. Pritipur, Behari, Kutatibmdas, Sanudih, Senada, 7a. 3p. of ma. Haladidih and 3a. 6p. 9kt. of ma. Barara.	Laksmidhar Panda and others.	702 0 0	.....	845 14 8
3579	Kt. ma. Sanudih, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a. 4p. 1bd. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 7a. 7p. 19kt. 15b. 10g. 3kd. 3bd.	Babu Dayamdhil Panda and others.	569 4 0	.....	349 10 0
3581	Kt. ma. ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 9p. 10kt. 8b. 1g. comprised in all the mauzas of the mahal, excluding 3a. 2p. 9kt. 7b. 19g. represented by 16a. of ma. Katikata, Barada, Nuzpur, Ramchandrapur, Jhankari, Pina, Kaula, Baghunathpur, Kamalpur, Damodarpur, Simila and Sarua, 1a. 6p. of ma. Sanudih and 4a. of ma. Singhpur.	Gananath Panda and others.	611 0 0	.....	54 1 8
3601	Ta. Iyapur, ph. Katia	1,462 0 0	Whole ..	.....	Munshi Shaukh Akbul Ribeman Ahmed and others.	.....	1,353 4 0	.....
3604	Ma. Kuans, ph. ditto	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 11p. 2k. 9b. 10g. 2kd. 1bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mauzas excluding 17kt. 6b. 1g. 1kd. 3bd., which represents 2p. 13kt. of ma. Ta ang Sagarpur.	Sib Prosad Mahanti and others.	561 12 0	.....	78 11 0
4300	Ta. Gobindram, ph. Saraswati.	661 0 0	Whole ..	.....	Hari Prosad Bose and others.	.....	5 0 0	.....
4383	Ta. Lakhinarayanpur, ph. Padmapur.	837 0 0	Do. .	.....	Nemai Charan De and others.	.....	836 2 0	.....
4906	Ta. Brojasundar, ph. Paluda.	656 0 0	Do. ..	.....	Ch. Brojasundar Pat-josi.	.....	276 12 0	.....
5326	Kt. ta. Narahari, ph. Benahar.	1,033 11 7	Do. ...	.....	Kreesta Chandra Das and others.	.....	514 2 6	.....

Cuttack Collectorate, the 13th February 1909.

BRAJA D. HAJARA, Senior Dy. Collector in charge,
for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Mayasarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 25th March 1909 at midday for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
938	Basabla Shetkh, pargana Bahra (Champan).	Rs. A. P. 1,525 19 8	Entire ...	.....	Mrs. Mary Choudhary.	.....	Rs. A. P. 72 15 13	.....
3532	Jahangirpur Shari, pargana Hajipur.	565 19 11	Do. ...	.....	Masannat Sahay Kumar and others.	.....	4 2 5	.....

Mayasarpur, the 13th February 1909.

H. C. WOODMAN, Collector.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, of Act XI of 1859 that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th March 1909 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 6, 8 and 10 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Serial No.	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1	2	Pargana Magura, kismat Kangonberia and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,828 5 0	Whole estate.	.....	Romanath Burn on and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 881 15 0	Rs. A. P.
2	6-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Julpis.	3,480 1 0	.....	Excluding 10 annas share, remaining 6 annas share.	Srimati Chandra Bala Dobi, mother and guardian on behalf Haridhan Ray Chowdhuri.	1,306 10 8½	....	94 11 5
3	10	Pargana Magura, kismat Chetla and others.	809 7 0	Whole estate.	.....	Ditto .. ..	.....	118 3 2½	.....
4	15R.4.	Pargana Magura, kismat Khatiberia and others.	4,078 3 0	..	Excluding 3 annas share remaining 13 annas share.	Pronath Roy Chowdhuri and others.	3,312 3 3	.....	82 1 5
5	15-1	Ditto ...	4,078 5 0	.	Excluding 13 annas share, remaining 3 annas share.	Kali Sahay Roy Chowdhuri	765 14 9	.....	19 10 5

Alipore, the 15th February 1909.

A. MOOKERJEE, for Collector, 24-Parganas.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
42	Harnarainpur, pargana Pachrukhi.	Rs. A. P. 0.8 2 0	.....	Ijmal— Kuta Dhabh Harnarainpur .. 16 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Mohamad Rafuddin and others.	Rs. A. P. 597 5 0	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 81 13 10

Gaya Collectorate, the 17th February 1909.

R. S. GREENSHIELDS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
607	Basuwan	Rs. A. P. 3,672 8	.....	Residuary share— 13a, 18a, 1k. and 1k1. share, excepting separate account Nos. 1, 2 and 3. All other shares than that specified will be included from the sale.	Khondkar Mehdi Hosain and others.	Rs. A. P. 3,218 15 10	.....	Rs. A. P. 13 9 0

Birbhum Collectorate, the 15th February 1909.

M. CHATTERJEE, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bengal and North-Western Railway, in the district of Purnea, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 20th April 1909, corresponding with the 15th Baisakh 1316 Fussi, at Purnea Sadar.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN DIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Purnea	Munadpoor, Kuraila, pargana Dharampoor	86-87	West side	5 0 6	1 2 25	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ayodhya Singh North—Railway land. South—Ayodhya Singh.
2	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
3	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
4	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
5	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
6	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
7	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
8	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
9	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
10	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
11	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Raj parti. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
12	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Raj parti. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
13	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Raj parti. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
14	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	1 13 6	0 2 8	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Mukhat Seth. North—Ditto. South—Railway land.
15	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	East side	5 7 16	1 3 5	...	...	...	East—Ditto. West—Ditto. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
16	Purnea	Muradpoor, Kuraila, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	East side	4 4 13	1 1 24	.....	.....	...	East—Bankoo Ganganta. West—Mougan Ganganta. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
17	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 7	1 1 39	.....	.....	...	East—Raj parti. West—Kanchan. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
18	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	3 13 1	1 0 33	.....	.....	...	East—Raj parti. West—Feringi Mandal and large ditch. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
19	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Large ditch. North—Rajmunder. South—Raj parti.
20	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rajmunder. South—Raj parti.
21	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
22	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
23	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
24	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
25	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Mezhoor Mandar. South—Raj parti.
26	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Mezhoor Mandar. South—Raj parti.
27	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
28	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
29	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 2 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
30	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
31	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
32	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
33	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
34	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 4 2	1 2 5	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Raj parti. North—Ditto. South—Mahadeo.
35	Ditto	Mujdeea, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	Ditto	4 16 2	1 2 14	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.
36	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 3 5	1 2 33	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.
37	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 19 9	1 2 23	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of miles on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN HIGHS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
38	Purnea	Majdeca, pargana Dharanpoo.	86-87	East side	2 17 15	0 3 39	..	....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South— Ditto.
39	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	3 15 12	1 1 0	.....	.....	..	East—Railway land. West— Batesur Mandal. North— Railway land. South— Batesur Mandal.
40	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 5 3	1 1 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
41	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 6 5	1 1 28	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
42	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 6 5	1 1 24	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
43	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
44	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South— Batesur Mandal.
45	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 13 15	1 2 0	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
46	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0	.....	.....	..	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
47	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 14 5	1 2 9	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
48	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 15 7	1 2 12	.....	...	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South— Batesur Mandal.
49	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 17 10	1 2 18	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South— Batesur Mandal.
50	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 18 14	1 2 21	.....	.....	..	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South— Batesur Mandal.
51	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 0	1 2 24	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South— Batesur Mandal.
52	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 3 6	1 2 33	..	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South— Batesur Mandal.
53	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 5 10	1 2 39	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South— Batesur Mandal.
54	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 13	1 3 2	..	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South— Batesur Mandal.
55	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 10 0	1 3 11	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South— Batesur Mandal.
56	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Zirat of Debipoor Factory. South—Batesur Mandal.
57	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North—Zirat of Debipoor Factory. South—Batesur Mandal.
58	Ditto	Muradpoo, Kur-silla, pargana Dharanpoo.	86-87	Ditto	14 9 1	4 3 4	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West— Batesur Mandal. North— Zirat of Debipoor Factory. South—Railway land.
59	Ditto	Majdeca, pargana Dharanpoo.	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5	.....	.....	...	East—Chandbula land Batesur Mandal. West— Railway land. North— Zirat of Debipoor Factory. South— Batesur Mandal.
Total					298 14 6	98 3 0				

Purnea, the 11th February 1909.

A. H. VERNIE, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Howrah, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Wednesday, the 21st April 1909, at the Howrah Collectorate.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collectors of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN SIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Howrah	Pargana Mandalghat, mauza Nengabar.	130	South	49 12 10	13'43	.....	...	From between chains 191'335 to 192'385.	North.—By the boundaries of mauza Godar Nospala (lat No. 3) and Nospala (lat No. 5). South and East.—By the private lands in mauza Nengabar. West.—By the private lands in mauza Nengabar and boundaries of lots Nos. 2, 3 and 5.
2	Do.	Pargana Mandalghat, mauza Godar Nospala.	230	Do.	14 7 6	4'75	.....	..	From between 191'400 to 191'990.	North.—By the boundaries of lots Nos. 1 and 5 and Bengal-Nagpur Railway's acquired land. South.—By the boundary of lot No. 1. East.—By the boundaries of lots Nos. 1 and 5. West.—By the private lands in mauza Godar Nospala and Bengal-Nagpur Railway's acquired land.
3	Do.	Ditto	230	Do.	1 14 2	'56	.....	...	From between 191'435 to 192'145.	North and West.—By the boundary of lot No. 5. South and East.—By the boundary of lot No. 1.
4	Do.	Ditto	230	Do.	0 6 2	'10	.....	...	From between 192'283 to 192'385.	North and West.—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway's acquired land. South.—By the boundary of lot No. 6. East.—By the private lands in mauza Godar Nospala.
5	Do.	Pargana Mandalghat, mauza Nospala.	230	Do.	10 17 14	6'38	.....	...	From between 191'535 to 192'385.	North.—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway's acquired land and boundary of lot No. 4. South.—By the boundaries of lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3. East.—By the private lands in Nospala. West.—By the boundary of lot No. 2.
6	Do.	Pargana Aisha, mauza Chandrapur.	237	North	65 9 0	21'64	.....	...	From between 228'100 to 229'400.	North.—By the private lands in mauza Chandrapur. East and West.—By ditto. South.—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway's land.
7	Do.	Ditto	237	South	0 19 1	'81	.....	...	From between 228'485 to 229'775.	North.—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway's land. South, East and West.—By the boundary of lot No. 8.
8	Do.	Pargana Khaliore, mauza Mohadebpur.	237	Do.	48 16 9	16'14	.....	...	From between 229'250 to 229'210.	North.—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway's land and boundary of lot No. 7. South, East and West.—By the private lands in mauza Mohadebpur.
9	Do.	Pargana Mandalghat, mauza Madhabpur.	238	North	36 9 4	12'65	.....	...	From between 229'280 to 232'400.	North.—By the private lands in mauza Madhabpur. South.—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway's land. East.—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway's land and private lands in mauza Madhabpur. West.—By the river Damodar.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, and the undermentioned estates situated in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate on the 26th March 1909, corresponding with 13th Chaitra B.S. 1315 :—

Conditions of Sale.

- 1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.
- 2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.
- 4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.		REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4814	Dadhia, pargana Manohar ...	1 0 5		1 9 0	
64 4	Nigon, pargana Dhenia ...	3 2 6		20 9 3	
6413	Ditto ditto ...	4 1 2½		28 5 0	
6396	Ditto ditto ...	7 1 10½		46 12 6	
6397	Ditto ditto ...	6 0 34½		36 15 0	
6398	Ditto ditto ...	7 1 39		47 15 9	
5034	Kotal Ghosh, pargana Amatsahi ...	0 3 32½		5 12 0	
6419	Senpara, pargana Indrani ...	11 2 3		48 8 0	
6562	Nigon, pargana Dhenia ...	7 1 24		33 10 0	
66 2	Ditto ditto ...	5 ½ 0		35 1 0	
6658	Khudrun, pargana Dhenia ...	2 1 20½		17 6 6	
4414	Gidhagrain, pargana Arsa ...	0 0 38		1 0 0	
6600	Karui, pargana Dhenia ...	3 3 28½		33 10 6	
121	Gangatikari, pargana Manaharsahi ...	0 0 38½		1 13 3	

Collector's Office, district Burdwan, the 12th February 1909.

17th

A. SAMAD, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Midnapore, will be put up to sale at the Midnapore Collectorate on Friday, the 26th March 1909, corresponding with Bengali 13th Chaitra 1315.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

- 1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to him subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.
- 2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.
- 4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.		REMARKS.
			Ac R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
186	Nabanibar Srirampur, pargana Barada	1 2 12		9 2 0	
2908	Jagannathpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	14 3 17½		14 0 0	
2982	Iswarpurbar, pargana Barada ...	9 0 33		43 10 0	
2986	Srirampur, pargana Barada ...	7 2 25 5		38 11 3	
2990	Harirampur, pargana Chetua ...	6 2 33½		45 2 6	
2996	Syampur, pargana Chandrakona ...	13 3 24½		108 11 0	
2997	Masakpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	4 2 25 7		30 6 0	
3004	Bhangadaha, pargana Barada ...	6 0 30		31 9 0	
3012	Kursu, pargana Barada ...	6 1 16½		36 15 8	
3013	Bhagirathpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	20 2 21		134 1 3	
3014	Dewanchak, pargana Chandrakona ...	1 1 20½		8 7 4	

Collector's Office, district Midnapore, the 13th February 1909.

A. S. SAMAD, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Toposi Extension, Nandi-Panuria section of the East Indian Railway, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, the 19th April 1909, corresponding to the 6th Baisakh B.S. 1318, Sitarampur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

- 1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than 3 feet from its foundation.
- 2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.
- 4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.
- 5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situated.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Burdwan	Mauza Churulia, pargana Shergarh.	7 & 8	Situated on the south side of the railway.	7 18 11	2 2 19'67	.....	.....	The Lot contains two rectangular plots measuring (425 x 250) and (400 x 20) and lying between chains 36'650 and 37'390.	Bounded on all sides by the khas danga land.

Hooghly, the 19th February 1909.

RUSIK LAL SEN, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 6, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		Permanently-settled Estates.			Rs. A. P.	
8218	Bisthazari Patti Mosamat Sarwar Jahan Begum, etc., pargana Bisthazari.	4,291 12 0	Whole ...	.....	Mosamat Sarwar Jahan and others.	..	337 14 0	
8223	Bisthazari Patti Beni-Singh, etc., pargana Bisthazari.	2,245 13 0	Do. ...	.....	Beni Singh and others ...	.....	5,010 4 0	

Monghyr Collectorate, the 20th February 1909.

H. C. LIDDELL, Civil Deputy Collector in charge.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of January 1909 Kist of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
54	Habitpur, pargana Kanihati	1,085 4 9	.....	Residuary share—1000s. 1k. 1kag., is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Charu Chandra Nandi and others.	645 10 9	.....	7 1 3

Burdwan Collectorate, the 22nd February 1909.

W. B. HAYCOCK, Collector of Burdwan.

Sale Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on Thursday, the 25th March 1909, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
815	Rampore diara, pargana Barabganwan.	Rs. A. P. 1,015 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Jaikumar Chand ... ..	.....	Rs. A. P. 3,581 3 7	.....
1716	Itarihapatti Harakhnath Patak, pargana Chausa.	676 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Udit Patak and others ...	Nil	380 4 3	.....
1785	Kataria Jalalpur, pargana Chausa.	1,262 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Ram Karan Ahir and others.	Nil	1,239 9 6	.....
1786	Kathtar Nawabad, pargana Chausa.	1,924 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Sahadeo Rai and others ...	Nil	2,300 12 1	.....
1798	Kusurpe, pargana Chausa	1,325 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Ram Soresh Pandey ...	Nil	150 15 6	.....
1884	Mohanpore, pargana Chausa.	622 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Ramyad Rai and others...	Nil	826 11 7	.....
2021	Sarinja, pargana Chausa...	1,386 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Ramtahal Rai and others	Nil	919 2 3	.....
2022	Ditto ditto ...	774 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Ramawar Rai and others	Nil	400 8 7	.....
2025	Sikthi, pargana Chausa ..	634 6 4	Do. ...	Nil	Sheodher Singh and others	Nil	39 9 9	.....
2075	Amazon, pargana Chainpore.	11,261 13 8	Do. ...	Nil	Nanack Chand and others	* Land reve- nue— 120 8 6 Road cess— 12 0 6 T. M.— 35 0 0 Fine— 10 0 0 Interest— 5 0 0	Nil	.....
7880	Kanchri, pargana Chausa	355 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Basmati Kuar	Nil	970 7 8	.....
9582	Kanarpore, pargana Chausa.	661 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Mahadeo Tiwari	Nil	165 3 0	.....

* These are the arrears due from Khats 70 and 45 at September kist 1908 and the sale is held under section 14, Act XI of 1859.

Shahabad Collectorate, Arrah, the 24th February 1909.

W. A. MARR, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909, at 12 o' clock, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
248	Hijuli, pargana Mam-jouani.	Rs. A. P. 955 13 10	No ...	242-1 8 annas. Besides the above the remaining share, 8 annas, is excluded from the sale.	Nogendra Nath Pal Choudhuri and others.	Rs. A. P. 477 14 11	.....	Rs. A. P. 29 6 4
483	Shanka Chandra, pargana Shahajjal.	10,885 2 8	No ...	483-1 4 annas. Besides the above the remaining share, 12 annas, is excluded from the sale.	Pran Nath Chowdhuri and others.	1,894 1 3	.....	6 7 2
551	Ohur Ramnagar, pargana Bagawan.	1,006 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Debendra Nath Singha Rai and others.	.....	193 4 0	.....
2219	Bilmadia, pargana Rajpur.	1,320 8 10	Do. ...	.....	Primbada Gupta and others.	.....	260 10 6	.....
3194	Basudebpur, pargana Taragonia.	596 8 7	No ...	3194-1 8 annas. Besides the above the remaining share, 8 annas, is excluded from the sale.	Lalit Mohun Mukherji ...	208 4 4	.....	60 7 5

Krishnagar, the 14th February 1909.

R. S. BHATTACHARJI, Deputy Collector in charge, Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, read with Act VII (B.C.) of 1868 that the undermentioned tenure in the estate of Kothdesh, district Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd March 1909, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by above laws are realizable as arrears of land revenue:—

No. of tenure.	Name of tenure, mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole tenure.		Whether the whole tenure is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Name of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.		If the whole tenure is to be sold, the arrear due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrear due from it.		REMARKS.
		Rent.	Cess.				Rent.	Cess.		Rent.	Cess.	
20 21	Ma. Bhowanathpur, pargana Kothdesh, thana Pipili.	Rs. 1,397	...	Whole ...	.....	Gadadhar Pain and others.	.....	...	Rs. A. P. 55 10 0	Rs. A. P. 1 8 11	.....	...
223 221	Ma. Mahukhanda, pargana Kothdesh, thana Pipili.	580	...	Do. ...	...	Mahanta Raghunandan Renuaj Das.	.....	...	48 10 0	2 10 7	.....	.....
216 223	Ma. Sarkana, pargana Kothdesh, thana Pipili.	1,337	...	Do. ...	.....	Parasuram Mohapatra and others.	.....	...	29 4 10	1 14 8	.....	.....
227 229	Ma. Ratilo, pargana Kothdesh, thana Pipili.	921	...	Do.	Gopiprasad Bhagat and others.	175 10 6	6 18 11

Puri Collectorate, the 16th February 1909.
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MURARI MISRA, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate on the 5th April 1909, corresponding with 23rd Chaitra 1315 B.S. (Bengali, Fusli, or Unli, according to the era current in the district.)

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

The condition regarding the payment of a land revenue fixed in perpetuity are not applicable to estate in temporarily-settled districts in which the land revenue should be fixed for the term of the current settlement and be subject to periodical revision on expiry of each settlement. In the case of one estate, situated in a permanently-settled area and yielding an annual rental of less than Rs. 1 there should be no condition regarding payment of land revenue.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
445	Raghunathpur, pargana Halisahar	53 26	Rs. A. 65 9	

Collector's Office, District Nadia, the 24th February 1909.

R. S. BHATTACHARJI, Dy. Collector in charge.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Saran will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909 at noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue. When in columns 5, 7 and 8 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tansi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
394	Benaat, pargana Bsl.	Rs. A. P. 888 15 8	Nil	Ijmali— Bampur 10 8 Benaat 8 0 Masihen Tola 8 0 Birtimohdar Bhadour 8 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Musammnat Jainti Kuer.	Rs. A. P. 510 8 8	Rs. A. P. Nil	Rs. A. P. 67 8 9

Saran Collectorate, the 25th February 1909.

J. M. CHRISTIAN, Deputy Collector.

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	REMARKS.
Mr. Luke Taylor, late an Assistant in the Alliance Jute Mills Co.	Calcutta	19th December 1908.	Messrs. Beggs, Dunlop & Co., on 2nd January 1909.	The estate of the deceased is in charge of this office.
Mrs. Andrews	Agra	11th November 1908.	District Judge, Agra, on 21st January 1909.	No Will and no application for Letters of Administration. The District Judge has been asked to keep possession of the property left by the deceased.
Mr. Etienne Augustus Roussac	.....	22nd December 1908.	District Judge, Agra, on 19th January 1909.	The deceased left a Will in favour of his widow who has obtained Probate.
Mr. T. A. D. Ombrain, late an Assistant in the Haldibari Tea Estate.	General Hospital, Calcutta.	24th November 1908.	District Judge, Dinajpur, on 19th January 1909.	The deceased's brother is applying for Letters of Administration.
Mr. F. B. Clough, late Superintendent of Police.	Lyallpur	21st—22nd November 1908.	District Judge, Lyallpur, on 5th January 1909.	The deceased appears to have left no Will and no one has yet applied for Letters of Administration. The Deputy Commissioner, Lyallpur, has been authorised by the District Judge to take charge of the property.
Mrs. Mary McGuire	Samaatipur, district Darbhanga.	3rd November 1908.	District Judge, Darbhanga, on 11th February 1909.	The District Judge has been asked to furnish particulars of the estate.
Mr. Francis Gregory Clump, late an employe in the Government Telegraph Department at Amritsar.	.....	27th December 1908	District Judge, Amritsar, on 11th February 1909.	Not known whether the deceased has left a Will. His estate is likely to be dealt with by this office.
Rev'd. Mar Drummond	Sara Banki district.	8th " "	District Judge, Fyzabad, on 15th February 1909.	The deceased died intestate and Miss Maria Drummond and 11 others have applied for Letters of Administration.
Mr. Alfred Alone, a Military Pensioner.	Benares	15th February 1909	District Judge, Benares, on 18th February 1909.	The deceased has left no Will, and the Nazir of the Court has been put in charge of the deceased's property, worth about Rs. 143.
Mr. Thomas James Thornton, Assistant Chief Clerk, Audit Department, Ajmer.	Ajmer	10th January 1909	Commissioner, Ajmer, on 16th February 1909.	The deceased is reported to have left a Will in favour of his wife.
Mr. Mansfield Parsons	Braganza's Hotel, Lahore.	10th December 1908	District Judge, Lahore, on 15th February 1909.	The deceased is said to have left a Will in England with his brother who intends to apply for Letters of Administration.
Mrs. Kabir of Ajmer	Ajmer	20th " "	Commissioner, Ajmer, on 16th February 1909.	The value of the estate left by the deceased is under Rs. 1,000.
Mr. Harold Nunn, I.O.S., Offg. Deputy Commissioner in the district of Mandla.	Mandla	31st January 1909	District Judge, Mandla, on 5th February 1909.	It is believed that the deceased has left a Will. His Agents, Messrs. Gundry, Groom & Co., are in communication with the relatives of the deceased with a view to represent the estate.
Mr. Hugh F. Palin, Deputy Inspector-General of the Central Range, Lahore.	Montgomery Hall, Lahore.	8th February 1909	District Judge, Lahore, on 18th February 1909.	No Will of the deceased has been traced. One Mr. E. W. Parker, Advocate of Lahore, has undertaken to look after the estate on behalf of the widow.

3, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET,
Calcutta, the 25th February 1909.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

Nos. 941-47R. C.

Government of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ROAD CESS.

Dated Calcutta, the 2nd March 1909.

RESOLUTION.

Receipts and Expenditure of the District Road Funds in the districts of Darjeeling, Singhbhum and Sonthal Parganas during 1907-08.

READ—

Annual Reports and Accounts for the year 1907-08.

Read again—

Annual Reports and Accounts of the District Road Funds for the previous year and the review thereon.

The opening credit balance of the year was Rs. 1,48,498, and the total receipts of the District Road Committees from all sources amounted to Rs. 2,07,619. The total amount available for expenditure was thus Rs. 3,56,117, of which Rs. 2,00,019 was spent, leaving a credit balance of Rs. 1,56,098 at the close of the year. The closing balance in each of the districts was excessive. A number of bridges were built, and several roads constructed or improved at a total cost of Rs. 51,721.

2. The total expenditure on repairs was Rs. 52,426. One thousand four hundred and seventeen miles of district roads and 64 miles of village roads were maintained.

3. Rupees 591 were spent in planting and maintaining trees on roadsides and on nursery gardens in the districts of Singhbhum and the Sonthal Parganas.

4. The expenditure on establishment amounted to Rs. 25,569.

In the Darjeeling district no Engineer is employed. All the works and repairs in the hills of the district and most of those in the Terai were executed by the members of the Committee and other private gentlemen to whom the thanks of Government are due for their assistance.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution, together with the Annual Accounts of these District Road Funds, and abstracts from the reports of the Chairmen of the District Road Committees, be published in Part II of the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Ordered, also, that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded for information to the—

Commissioners of the Bhagalpur and Chota Nagpur Divisions;
Superintending Engineers of the Northern and Western Circles;
Accountant-General, Bengal;
Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces;
Financial Department of this Government.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. S. THOMSON,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Extract from letter No. 308L., dated 8th July 1908, from E. H. C. WALSH, Esq., I. S., Commissioner of the Bhagapur Division, to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department.

2. The heavy closing balance of Rs. 44,488 at the close of the year against Rs. 38,493 of 1906-07 will, it is expected, be considerably reduced during the current year (1908-09) after metalling road No. 32, Nazalbari to Khoribari.

The work of the District Committee as well as of the Kurseong and Terai Branch Committees has been satisfactorily carried on throughout the year by the gentlemen named in paragraph 15 of the Deputy Commissioner's letter, and the other members also have taken care and interest in the discharge of their duties.

Abstract of the Report by the Chairman, District Road Committee of Darjeeling, on the operations of the District Road Fund of the District, for the year 1907-08.

[*vide letter No. 61R.F., dated 1st June 1908, from W. M. Crawford, Esq., I.C.S., Chairman of the District Road Committee, Darjeeling, to the Commissioner of the Bhagalpur Division.*]

1. *Working of Committees.*—(a) *District Road Committee.*—There were 17 members of the District Committee—6 official and 11 non-official. Five meetings were held during the year. The average attendance was 5·6, or 32·94 per cent. at a meeting. Only one meeting failed for want of a quorum.

(b) *Kurseong Branch Committee.*—The total number of members of this Branch Committee was 9—3 official and 6 non-official. Six meetings were held during the year including one at which there was no quorum. The average attendance was 3·8, or 42·22 per cent. at a meeting.

(c) *Terai Branch Committee.*—Eighteen was the total number of members of the Terai Branch Committee—6 official and 12 non-official. Altogether four meetings were held during the year. The average attendance was 7, or 38·88 per cent. at a meeting.

2. The year opened with a cash balance of Rs. 38,493-2-7 and an outstanding advance of Rs. 3,335-13-1. The total amount of Rs. 79,644-0-1, including the outstanding advance of Rs. 3,335-13-1, was available for expenditure during the year. Out of this, Rs. 2,400 was on account of the Government grant for construction of primary school buildings which was refunded on the 31st March 1908. The actual expenditure during the year was Rs. 29,341-12-1, excluding Rs. 2,400 repaid on account of Government grant for primary school buildings and the unadjusted advance of Rs. 3,413-5-5. The actual cash balance on the 31st March 1908 was Rs. 41,488-14-7. The closing balance was more than one quarter's *kist*; but as a special case for this district, it was allowed by Government as per No. 5106R.C., dated 26th September 1892. The greater part of this amount will be spent for metalling road No. 32 (Nazalbari to Debigunge *via* Khoribari) during 1908-09, as estimated.

RECEIPTS.

3. *Provincial Rates.*—The road cess was levied by the Committee in the district during the year 1907-08 at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee. Rupees 22,302-13-6 was collected on account of "Cess on lands" during the year, against Rs. 22,328-6-6 during 1906-07. The slight decrease of Rs. 25-9 only was due to the payment of the dues for certain estates in advance during the previous years.

4. *Miscellaneous.*—Rupees 3-8 was credited under this head on account of sale proceeds of certain old planks, &c.

5. *Contribution.*—(a) *Grant from Government.*—A sum of Rs. 8,020-6-11 was received under this head, against Rs. 13,587-3-11 of the previous year. The decrease was mainly due to the decrease of the amount granted by Government for this year (1907-08) on account of augmentation of resources.

(b) Rupees 390-4 was received back on account of Banking and Audit fees paid for 1906-07.

(c) A sum of Rs. 7,000 and Rs. 98 were received, as usual, from the Darjeeling Improvement Fund on account of Contribution for Communication and as Darjeeling Improvement Fund's share of the cost of the joint cess and *Tausi* establishment, respectively.

EXPENDITURE.

COMMUNICATIONS.

6. *Original works.*—A sum of Rs. 1,131-15-11 out of the advance made to the Executive Engineer, Darjeeling Division, for the construction of a pile bridge over the Pichla River on Road No. 29, "Phansidewa to Khoribari," was adjusted during the year. The bridge was completed in June last at a total cost of Rs. 1,405-6-5, of which Rs. 273-6-6 was charged during 1906-07.

7. *Repairs.*—Rupees 16,129-10-5, as per details below, was spent under this head for repairs to roads and bridges, against Rs. 20,474-1-3 of the preceding year. The decrease of

Rs. 4,344-6-10 is mainly due to the adjustment during the last year (1906-07) of a heavy sum of advance made to the Executive Engineer for Road Fund works during the previous year :—

Details of repairs.

Name of Committee.	Particulars of expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
District Road Committee, Darjeeling.	Roads ...	4,512 5 7	6,980 2 3
	Bridges ...	2,467 12 8	
Kurseong Branch Road Committee	Roads ...	4,064 11 10	4,144 4 1
	Bridges ...	79 8 3	
Terai Branch Road Committee ...	Roads and bridges ...	4,920 3 7	4,920 3 7
Terai	Total ...	.....	16,044 9 11
	Village roads ...	85 0 6	85 0 6
	GRAND TOTAL ...	.....	16,129 10 5

8. A total of 300 miles out of 349 miles of unmetalled district roads and of $5\frac{1}{2}$ miles out of 14 miles of village roads, maintained by this District Road Committee during the year, was actually repaired at a cost of Rs. 16,044-9-11, or Rs. 53-4 per mile and Rs. 85-0-6 or Rs. 15-4 per mile, respectively, including bridges and culverts thereon. A sum of Rs. 2,547-4-11 out of the total cost of repairs of Rs. 16,044-9-11 for the unmetalled district roads was spent for the maintenance of certain important bridges under the Darjeeling District Committee and Kurseong Branch Committee. The decrease in the cost per mile is due to the circumstances stated in paragraph 7 above.

9. A sum of Rs. 85-0-6 was spent for the maintenance of village roads during the year, against *nil* of the preceding year, as such expenditure was not considered necessary during that year (1906-07).

10. *List of roads.*—The total number of district roads was 54 and that of village roads was 5. The total length of 348 miles 7 furlongs and 23 yards of district roads and 13 miles 5 furlongs and 89 yards of village roads were maintained by the Committee during 1907-08.

11. *Arboriculture.*—There was no expenditure under this head as this is attended to by the Darjeeling Improvement Fund.

12. *Water-supply.*—This is attended to by the Darjeeling Improvement Fund and by Government; hence there is no expenditure under this head.

13. *Loans.*—Rupees 4,326-15-2 principal and Rs. 2,984-2-6 interest were paid during 1907-08 under the terms of the loans granted by Government in 1900 and 1901 for the Road Cess bridges destroyed and damaged by the cyclone in September 1899. No fresh loan was taken during the year.

14. *Public Works Establishments.*—There was no District Engineer under this District Road Committee during the year 1907-08. All the works in the hills and the greater part of those in the Terai were, as usual, executed by the several members of the Committee and by the Managers of Tea Gardens. The thanks of the Committee are due to all these for their valuable assistance. The important Road Cess bridges were repaired by the Executive Engineer, as heretofore, at the cost of the Road Fund. A sum of Rs. 1,123-6, including contingencies, or 6-96 per cent. of the total outlay on work, was spent on the entertainment of an Overseer and a peon by the Terai Branch Road Committee at Siliguri. The pay of the Overseer was Rs. 60 with a fixed horse allowance of Rs. 20 and that of the peon was Rs. 7 per mensem.

15. *Administration.*—There were two Branch Committees (Kurseong and Terai) under the District Road Committee. Mr. O. H. Bompas from 1st April to 19th August 1907, Mr. H. E. Spry from 20th August to 8th September 1907, and Mr. W. M. Crawford, from 9th September 1907 to 31st March 1908, the Deputy Commissioners, were *ex-officio* Chairmen of the District Road Committee and of the Terai Branch Road Committee. Mr. F. G. E. Piffard, the senior Deputy Collector, was the Vice-Chairman of the District Road Committee during the whole year. Mr. H. E. Spry, the Subdivisional Officer of Kurseong, was *ex-officio* Chairman of the Kurseong Branch Road Committee and Vice-Chairman of the Terai Branch Road Committee throughout the year. Dr. A. D. Humphry, the Civil Medical Officer of Kurseong, was the Vice-Chairman of the Kurseong Branch Road Committee as last year. The work of the District Committee and as well as that of the Branch Committees was performed satisfactorily. The Committee's thanks are due to the abovenamed gentlemen and other members of the District and Branch Committees for the care and interest taken by them in the discharge of their duties.

16. *Audit of accounts.*—The members of the Audit Sub-Committee have audited the accounts for the whole year, and the Examiner of Local Accounts in Bengal, has audited the accounts up to April 1908.

1907-1908.

No. 6, PART I.—DARJEELING DISTRICT ROAD FUND.

Annual Accounts of Income and Expenditure from 1st April 1907 to 31st March 1908.

	Rs. A. P.	EXPENDITURE.	Rs. A. P.
Balance on 1st April 1907—		1.—Refunds—	
Cash in hand ...	38,493 2 7	Of cesses ...	.....
Advances outstanding ...	3,335 13 1	Of other receipts ...	.....
Deposits unrepaid ...	.....	
		8.—Provincial Rates—	
		Establishment and contingencies	1,186 0
		of office of collection.	50 8
		Establishment and contingencies	1,236 8
		of office of revaluation.	
		14.—Interest on other obligation—	
		Interest on Government loans ...	2,984 2
			2,984 2
		18.—Administration—	
		Establishment and contingencies	1 695 8
		of Committee's office.	167 4
		Audit fee ...	1,862 12
		30.—Stationery and Printing—	
		Stationery and Printing ...	280 13
			280 13
		32.—Miscellaneous—	
		Staging bungalow establishment	.....
		and contingencies.	.....
		Staging bungalow petty con-	
		struction and repairs	22 8
		Provident Fund contribution ...	20 0
		Miscellaneous ...	42 8
		45.—Civil Works (Public Works)—	
		Original works ...	1,131 15 1
		Repairs ...	16,129 10
		Establishment and contingen-	1,123 6
		cies, &c.	
		Tools and Plant ...	.....
		Sign-boards ...	.....
			18,385 0
		Irrigation—	
		Canal toll establishment and con-	.....
		tingencies.	
		Contribution—	
		Contribution to Provincial Gov-	2,623 0
		ernment.	2,623 0
		Loan—	
		Repayment of Government loans	4,326 15
			4,326 15
		Total expenditure ...	31,741 12
		Balance on 31st March 1908—	
		Advances outstanding ...	3,413 5
		Deposits unrepaid ...	...
		Cash ...	44,488 11
			47,902 4
		GRAND TOTAL ...	79,644 0
RECEIPTS.			
VI.—Provincial Rates—			
Cess on lands ...	22,302 13 6		
Cess on mines, &c. ...	.....	
Cess on houses ...	.....	
One per cent. road cess ...	.....	
	22,302 13 6		
XXV.—Miscellaneous—			
Rent of serais and bungalows	.....	
Fees, fines and forfeitures ...	...	
Miscellaneous ...	3 3 0		
Interest on arrear collections ...	.....	
	3 8 0		
XXX.—Irrigation—			
Canal tolls ...	.....	
XXXII.—Civil Works (Public Works)—			
Road tolls ...	.....	
Ferry tolls ...	.....	
Arboriculture ...	.....	
Contributions—			
Refund of contribution which	390 4 0		
was made from Local to Pro-			
vincial (Banking and Audit			
fees).			
Grant from Government ...	8,020 6 11		
Grant from Darjeeling Im-	7,098 0 0		
provement Fund ...			
	15,508 10 11		
Loan—			
Loan from Government ...	.....	
Suspense Account—			
Deposit ...	.....	
Total Receipts ...	57,815 0 5		
GRAND TOTAL ...	79,644 0 1		

DISTRICT ROAD FUND OFFICE,
Darjeeling, the 2nd June 1908.HARI LAL GOSWAMI,
Head Clerk and Accountant.F. G. E. PIERARD,
Vice-Chairman.W. M. CRAWFORD,
Chairman.

Examined and found correct.

J. Cowie, Supdt. of Police,
B. O. Hodgson, Exe. Engineer, } Members of the Audit Committee.

Extract from letter No. 398L.F., dated the 12th August 1908, from H. J. McIntosh, Esq., I.C.S., Commissioner of the Chota Nagpur Division, to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department.

2. The report is on the whole an unsatisfactory one. It shows that the Committee have failed in a signal manner to make the best use of the funds at their disposal, and that the year closed with a very heavy unspent balance. This is ascribed in part to the inefficiency of the late District Engineer. It is hoped that with the new District Engineer, the Committee will be able to utilize fully the funds at their disposal during the current year.

3. I observe that the Committee held only seven meetings during the year. The Deputy Commissioner will be instructed to arrange that a meeting is held regularly once a month.

Abstract of the report by the Chairman, District Road Committee of Singhbhum, on the operations of the District Road Fund of the District for the year 1907-1908.

(Vide letter No. 57R.C., dated 23rd May 1908, from H. D. deM. Carey, Esq., I.C.S., Chairman, District Road Committee, Singhbhum, to the Commissioner of the Chota Nagpur Division.)

1. *Working of the Committee.*—The Committee held seven meetings during the year in all of which quorums were obtained.

2. The accounts were as usual audited by the Finance Committee appointed under section 174 of the Act. The local auditor inspected the accounts for the period from 1st August 1906 to 30th June 1907.

RECEIPTS.

3. The Road Cess was levied at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee. The demand on account of cess on lands and mines, quarries, jungles, &c., during the year, including the arrears of last year, amounted to Rs. 13,132. Of this a sum of Rs. 12,792 was realised within the year and Rs. 4 adjusted out of excess payment from previous year, leaving a balance outstanding on 31st March 1908 of Rs. 336 only. A sum of Rs. 2 was also received in advance during the year. Including a few small miscellaneous receipts, annual Government grant for 2 years (1906-07 and 1907-08), special Government grants and opening balance of Rs. 17,590-11-7, the income available for expenditure in the year was Rs. 60,585-11.

EXPENDITURE.

4. *Repairs—Civil Buildings.*—The Road Cess building and godown at Chaibassa was repaired at a cost of Rs. 228-12-6 during the year, of which a sum of Rs. 83-13-6 was recovered from the Chaibassa Municipality as repair cost of that portion of the office building which is occupied by that department.

5. *Original Works Communications.*—During the year a sum of Rs. 6,774-5-7 was spent under this head, against the budget allotment of Rs. 6,000. Besides this budget grant, a special Government grant of Rs. 4,500 was received during the year to be spent under this head for the construction of some light bridges on Jyntgarh road and completion of the Dobro bridge in the 5th mile of Bend Road. These works are in progress. The saving of Rs. 3,726 is due to the total neglect of works by the late District Engineer.

6. *Repairs—Communications.*—Twenty-three roads comprising about 303 miles were repaired during the year at a cost of Rs. 7,111-1-5, against an allotment of Rs. 11,461. The saving (Rs. 4,350) is due to the cause explained in paragraph 5 above.

7. The following statement shows the length of district roads (metalled and unmetalled and village roads), the amount spent on the maintenance of the roads and the cost per mile:—

DISTRICT ROADS.												VILLAGE ROADS.						REMARKS.
METALLED.						UNMETALLED.						Number of roads.	Cost.					
um- ber of sds.	Total length.	Cost.				Num- ber of roads.	Total length.	Cost.					Total length.	Ori- ginal works.	Repair works.	Total.	Per mile of each road.	
		Ori- ginal works.	Repair works.	Total.	Per mile of each road.			Ori- ginal works.	Repair works.	Total.	Per mile of each road.							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
						23	303	Rs. 6,778	Rs. 6,917	Rs. 13,695	45-18	6	26-5	...	Rs. 194	Rs. 194	7-6	Menharpur Father- bass Road I.B., length about 2½ miles, has been taken into ac- count in columns 7 to 9. The cost in column 9 also includes Rs. 200 for Punglabura Bungalow.

No roads are maintained by the District Road Committee from Public Works Funds.

8. *Arboriculture*.—Four hundred and sixty-eight new trees were planted during the year. These together with 1,007 unestablished plants of the preceding year were maintained at a cost of Rs. 226-2-9, the allotment being Rs. 350. The existing trees were reported to be in fair condition.

9. *Nursery*.—There are four nursery gardens as reported last year. The garden at Chaibassa on the south bank of the Jubilee tank contains ... 264 plants.

Boea	...	...	...	...	50	..
Jorapooker	...	...	...	...	25	..
Gamaria	...	...	...	...	100	..

The plants were reported to be thriving well.

10. The following statement compares the cost of maintenance during the year of the several classes of roads with that of previous year and the average cost per mile :—

CLASSIFICATION OF DISTRICT ROADS.	Length.		Expenditure incurred.		Average cost per mile.	
	1906-07.	1907-08.	1906-07.	1907-08.	1906-07.	1907-08.
Class IIB, Unmetalled roads partially bridged and drained.	185.5	112.5	8,323	4,806	44.9	42.8
„ III Banked and surfaced with murum ...	13	5	696	290	53.5	58
„ IV Banked but not surfaced, partially bridged and drained.	17	27	620	390	36.4	14.4
„ V Cleared, partially bridged and drained	192	133	1,483	1,621	7.7	11.4
„ VI Village roads cleared only ...	38.5	25.5	200	104	5.1	4.1

11. No famine relief works were done during the year. A sum of Rs. 177-14-8 was paid to the whole-time clerks and servants out of the savings, against the head “ Establishment and contingencies of office of collection ” on account of grain compensation allowance for the dearness of rice under Government circular orders issued from time to time on the subject.

12. The following table compares the revenue of the District Road Cess Committee, excluding opening balance and the amount under head (“ Suspense account ”), the expenditure incurred in original and repair works and the establishment employed on these works, as also the percentage of the total expenditure on works including establishment calculated on the revenue with those of the two previous years :—

YEAR.	Revenue.	Amount spent on original work under head Communications.	Amount spent on communications, repair works and miscellaneous public improvement.	Total expenditure on original and repair works.	Expenditure on account of establishment employed on works.	Total expenditure on works including cost of establishment employed on them.	Percentage of establishment on amount spent and on works, column 6 over column 5.	Percentage of total expenditure of works on revenue column 7 on column 2.	REMARKS.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
1907-08 ...	42,995*	6,775	7,186	13,961	3,096	17,057	22.1	39.6	* Government grant for 2 years (1906-07 and 1907-08) has been received this year.
1906-07 ...	10,423†	3,775	11,440	15,215	3,436	18,251	22.5	93.9	† The annual Government grant of Rs. 1,000 not received this year.
1905-06 ...	34,953	9,439	12,682	22,121	3,436	25,557	15.5	73.1	

13. The following table compares the expenditure incurred on original and repair works in the Kolhan during the year with that of the preceding year : —

Number of roads as per schedule.	NAME OF ROADS.	Length.	Class.	Amount expended in 1906-07.	Amount expended in 1907-08.
1	Chaibassa-Jyntgarh Road ...	36	IIB	Rs. 4,869	Rs. 953
	Chaibassa-Bend Road (Kolhan portion).	5	IIB	397	12
	Chaibassa-Subarnarekha Road (Kolhan portion).	8	IIB	276	78
	Chaibassa-Katbari Road (Kolhan portion).	20	IIB	755	532
	Chaibassa-Amda Road (Kolhan portion)	11	III	546	290
6, 10 to 16	V Class roads in Kolhan ...	124	V	584	881
23, 25	VI Village roads ...	7.5	VI	49	57
24, 26	Repairs to inspection bungalows (in Kolhan).	...	...	206	25
	Repairs to Road Cess office building	...	...	254	229
	Arboriculture work ...	...	...	302	238
	Repairing wells in Kolhan ...	...	...	105	76

14. *Cash balance*.—Out of the closing balance of Rs. 38,141-15-8, a sum of Rs. 4,494 is payable to the Deputy Commissioner, Singhbhum, for the construction of Primary School buildings under him, and Rs. 1,000 to villagers for supply of water, in case $\frac{1}{3}$ cost is contributed by them. As high price of food grains still continues, nothing has been spent out of Rs. 1,000 during the year.

15. *Water-supply*.—One new well in town Chaibassa was constructed by the municipality and one new well by Government in Kolhan from Improvement Fund during the year. Three tanks were constructed by private persons in the Kolhan Government estate. Three tanks of the Thakur of Anandpur previously omitted to be shown have now been added to the figure below Monoharpur Thana. Four wells in the Kolhan were repaired by the District Road Cess Committee at a cost of Rs. 75-9-6 during the year, against a budget allotment of Rs 300 for 14 wells. It is reported that contractors were not available for repairing the remaining wells. The statement of water-supply is given below :—

Serial number of village.	Supplied from	Supplied from tanks or wells.	Population by last census.	SOURCE AND CHARACTER OF WATER-SUPPLY.									OWNERSHIP OR CONTROL.						Is permanent supply adequate to population	Remarks of Inspecting Officers.
				Wholesome tanks.	Unwholesome tanks.	Total tanks.	Wholesome wells.	Unwholesome wells.	Total wells.	Total sources.	Perennial.	Intermittent.	GOVERNMENT.		LOCAL.		PRIVATE.			
													Tanks.	Wells.	Tanks.	Wells.	Tanks.	Wells.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
1	Chaibassa ...	Chaibassa Town Tanks, 8 Wells, 97	8,653	6	2	8	72	25	97	105	Tanks 4 Wells 75	Tanks 4 Wells 22	8	7	...	10	...	80	Yes.	There are many rivers and springs in the caks of this thana.
2	Monoharpur...	Monoharpur Thana. Tanks, 4 ... Well, 1	40,343	4	...	4	1	...	1	5	Tanks 4 Well 1	...	...	1	...	...	4	...	Yes ...
3	Chakardhar-pur.	Chakardhar-pur Thana. Tanks, 33 Wells, 15	102,568	16	17	33	13	2	15	48	Tanks 24 Wells 15.	Tank 9	3	3	...	...	30	13	Yes.
4	Ghatasila ...	Ghatasila Thana ... Tanks, 85 Wells, 67	220,359	57	28	85	61	6	67	152	Tanks 46 Wells 57	Tanks 39 Wells 10	...	1	...	1	85	66	Yes.	
5	Kolhan ...	Kolhan Thana ... Tanks, 263 Wells, 44	241,751	200	53	253	81	13	44	297	Tanks 159 Wells 230	Tanks 94 Wells 14	115	80	...	...	138	14	Yes.

No. 6, PART I, SINGHBHUM DISTRICT ROAD ACCOUNT.

Annual account of income and expenditure from 1st April 1907 to 31st March 1908.

Receipts.	Amount.	Disbursements.	Amount.
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
Opening balance ...	17,590 11 7	I.—Refunds—	
VI.—Provincial Rates—		Of Cess ...	.....
Cess on lands ...	8,370 10 9	Of other receipts ...	.....
Cess on mines and railways ...	4,423 11 4	8.—Provincial Rates—	
Cess on house ...	.....	Establishment and contingencies of office of collection ...	390 3 11
XII.—Interest—		Revaluation charges ...	.....
Interest on arrear collections of road cess.	.....	14.—Interest on other obligation—	
XXV.—Miscellaneous—		Interest on miscellaneous account.	.....
Fees, fines and forfeitures...	287 1 3	Interest on other account ...	..
Miscellaneous ...	1,937 7 11	18.—Administration—	
XXX.—Irrigation Minor Works and Navigation—		Establishment and Contingencies of Committee's office.	1,009 3 6
Local Canal receipts ...	.....	Audit fee ...	94 8 0
XXXII.—Civil Works—		29.—Superannuation pension ...	150 0 0
In charge of Civil Officers—		30.—Stationery—	
Road tolls ...	.....	Stationery and Printing ...	189 9 9
Ferry tolls ...	.....	31.—Travelling allowance ...	512 3 9
Receipts from staging bungalows.	42 15 0	32.—Miscellaneous—	
Contribution from private persons.	.....	Provident Fund contribution...	81 7 0
Contribution from municipalities.	.....	Miscellaneous ...	.....
Miscellaneous ...	.....	33.—Famine Relief ...	.....
Grant from Government ...	27,933 1 2	43.—Minor Works and Navigation—	
Transfer between local and local.	.....	Canal toll establishment and contingencies.	—...
Total Revenue ...	42,994 15 5	45.—Civil Works—	
Debt—		Civil Buildings ...	.....
Temporary loan from ...	.....	New Works ...	.....
Advances ...	8,892 15 6	Repairs ...	228 12 6
Deposits ...	2,150 12 0	Communications—	
Total Receipts ...	54,038 10 11	New Works ...	6,774 15 7
Grand Total Receipts, including balance.	71,629 6 6	Repairs ...	7,111 1 5
		Miscellaneous Public Improvements—	
		New Works ...	.....
		Repairs ...	75 9 6
		Establishment ...	2,447 12 2
		Petty Establishment ...	430 8 0
		Tools and Plant ...	1,135 7 7
		Refunds ...	.....
		Contribution to Provincial Government—	
		Percentage cost of establishment for offices of account and control.	126 0 0
		Refunds of unexpended balance of Government contribution	.....
		Contribution for Famine Relief	... ..
		Contribution to other Road Committees.	.....
		Total Expenditure ...	20,757 11 8
		Debt—	
		Temporary loan ..	.....
		Advances ...	6,583 0 10
		Deposits ...	6,146 10 4
		Total Disbursements ...	33,487 6 10
		Balance on 31st March 1908 ...	38,141 15 8
		GRAND TOTAL ...	71,629 6 6

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Extract from letter No. 348L., dated the 16th July 1908, from E. H. C. WALSH, Esq., I.C.S., Commissioner of the Bhagalpur Division, to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department.

2. The year closed with a balance of Rs. 73,467, against Rs. 92,414 of 1906-07. Although this shows a reduction in the heavy balance as compared with the preceding year, still it is far too great, and must be reduced to a reasonable amount during the current year. The causes which tend to prevent a better administration have been stated by the Deputy Commissioner in paragraph 3 of the report.

3. As regards the working of the Committee, it is satisfactory to note that the percentage of average attendance increased to 53·7, as compared with 37·77 of preceding year. The Deputy Commissioner has devoted much attention to the improvement of the present state of the roads, and if a higher scale of rates for labour is sanctioned, as proposed, it is hoped that there will be a marked improvement during the present year.

Abstract of the Report by the Chairman, District Road Committee of the Sonthal Parganas on the operations of the District Road Fund of the District for the year 1907-1908.

[Vide letter, dated 5th June 1908, from H. W. P. SCROOPE, Esq., I.C.S., Chairman of the District Road Committee of Sonthal Parganas, to the Commissioner of the Bhagalpur Division.]

1. The Local Self-Government Act was not in force in this district. The provisions of the Cess Act were extended to some selected portions of the district under Government Notification No. 4489R.P., dated the 20th August 1901.

2. *Working of the Committee.*—Certain changes were made in the constitution of the Committee which consists of 9 members, of whom 3 are *ex-officio* and the rest non-official. It can scarcely be called a representative District Committee. Dumka is difficult of access and residents of the outlying subdivisions find it impossible to attend regularly the meetings of the Committee; hence the Committee as at present constituted consists of gentlemen resident in the neighbourhood of Dumka. The Committee held 18 meetings during the year against 21 in the previous year: of these 7 were special and the rest ordinary. The average attendance of members was 3·55 against 3·4 in the previous year, and the percentage of average attendance was 53·7 against 37·77.

RECEIPTS.

3. The year opened with a cash balance of Rs. 92,414. The income of the Committee from all sources amounted to Rs. 1,02,190, and the expenditure Rs. 1,21,137, leaving a closing balance of Rs. 73,467. The heavy closing balance is mainly due to the following causes:—

- (a) The lack of suitable contractors to work in the district. The local contractors who took up petty road repair works have failed to finish them according to the sanctioned estimates in terms of their agreements. Instances of bad and scamped work were regrettably frequent, and fines and deductions had to be made on this account.
- (b) Bad subordinates. During the year, the quality of supervision exercised by subordinates over the roads in their charge has been generally bad.
- (c) Insufficiency of the rates provided in the sanctioned estimates. This would account in a great measure for the difficulty in obtaining suitable contractors. The demand for labour is on the increase throughout the district and a general rise has taken place in the wages of coolies, and a revised scale of rates has therefore been prepared and submitted for sanction.

4. The receipts of the year consisted mainly of the Government grant-in-aid. The following table compares the receipts under the several heads of the year with those of the previous year:—

	1906-07.	1907-08.
	Rs.	Rs.
Balance on 1st April	... 93,542	92,414
VI.—Provincial Rates—		
Cess on land	... 4,078	4,186
XII.—Interest—		
Interest on arrear collection of Road cess.	19	7

	1906-1907	1907-1908
	Rs.	Rs.
XXV.—Miscellaneous—		
Fees, fines, and forfeitures ...	...	17
Miscellaneous ...	51	34
XXX.—Irrigation, Minor Works and Navigation—		
Local Canal receipts ...	...	50
XXXII.—Civil Works—		
Ferry tolls ...	56	53
Receipts from staging bungalows	688	549
Contribution from private persons	3,644	1,388
Miscellaneous ...	120	625
Grant from Government ...	91,338	79,182
Debt—		
Advances ...	7,588	15,199
Deposits ...	1,930	400
Earnest money on Tenders ...	1,600	500
Total receipts ...	1,11,112	1,02,190
Grand Total receipts including balances ...	2,04,654	1,94,604

5. *VI.—Provincial Rates*—The actual receipts from cess on lands were Rs. 4,185-10-3 during the year, instead of Rs. 27,000 shown in the budget estimate, and this large difference is due to the Estates borne on the rolls of other districts not being valued and assessed to cesses during the year 1907-08. The cess was levied at the maximum rate allowed by the law.

6. *XXV.—Miscellaneous*—Rupees 17 shewn against “Fees, fines and forfeitures” represents the amount of fine realized from the contractors for non-completion of works within the contract time. The decrease under “Miscellaneous” is due to the sale of tender forms not fetching more than Rs. 27-8 against Rs. 39-8 in the previous year.

7. *XXX.—Irrigation Minor Works and Navigation*—Rupees 50 against “Local canal receipts” represents the amount realized from the villagers on account of sale of water for irrigation purposes.

8. *XXXII.—Civil works*—The actual receipts from the staging bungalows were Rs. 548-11 during the year, instead of Rs. 595 shewn in the budget estimate. The income fell off considerably, but receipts from this source appear to be purely dependent upon chance. Out of Rs. 1,388 shewn under “Contribution from private persons,” Rs. 342 represents the donations made by the Lachmipur Estates towards the construction of two pucca culverts on Godda-Dhuria road, and Rs. 300 made by Mahammad Ismail Chowdhury for repairs to Kotalpukur-Hiranpur road, and the balance Rs. 746 is on account of subscription from influential and substantial local men for construction of primary school buildings in this district. The receipts under “Miscellaneous” more than doubled the amount shown in the budget estimate owing to much larger collections under (1) sale proceeds of unserviceable tools and plant, (2) sale proceeds of fruits, (3) rent of road-side land, and (4) sale proceeds of old furniture of Dumka dāk bungalow.

9. The decrease under “Grant from Government” is due to there being no receipts under “Agricultural improvements” and “Miscellaneous Public Improvements” in Government Estates, and also to the withdrawal of the special grant of Rs. 6,000.

EXPENDITURE.

10. The following table shows the outlay incurred in 1907-08 compared with that of the previous year:—

	1906-07.	1907-08.
	Rs.	Rs.
3. Land Revenue—		
New works ...	16,994	17,215
Repairs ...	3,831	9,735
Miscellaneous ...	408	472
Agricultural Improvements ...	1,001	349
Sanitary ditto ...	2,227	1,536
8. Provincial rates—		
Establishment and contingencies of office of collection	6	...
Revaluation charges ...	197	697
18. Administration—		
Establishment and contingencies of Committee's office ...	1,616	1,439
Audit fee ...	36	38
Carried over ...	26,316	31,481

					1906-07.	1907-08.
					Rs.	Rs.
	Brought forward	...	...	...	26,316	31,481
29.	Superannuation allowance and pension—					
	Pensions	...	...	...	158	70
	Gratuity	...	...	...	36	...
30.	Stationery—					
	Stationery and Printing	...	...	...	274	302
32.	Miscellaneous—					
	Provident Fund contribution	...	...	...	292	272
	Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	204
45.	Civil Works—					
	Civil Buildings—					
	New works	...	...	...	226	2,184
	Repairs	...	...	...	141	13
	Communications—					
	New works	...	...	...	14,679	24,415
	Repairs	...	...	...	23,944	19,132
	Establishment	...	...	...	19,931	21,486
	Petty establishment	...	...	...	358	318
	Tools and Plant	...	...	...	2,015	1,278
	Travelling allowance of Veterinary Assistant	...	...	...	150	150
	Percentage cost of establishment for offices of control and account	...	...	...	48	50
	Refund of unexpended balance of Government contribution	...	...	...	...	6,000
					88,568	1,07,555
	Debt	...	...	...	...	...
	Advance	...	...	...	19,936	13,282
	Deposits	...	...	...	1,786	450
	Earnest money on tenders	...	...	...	1,950	50
Total Disbursements					1,12,240	1,21,137

11. The total expenditure under "Land Revenue" was Rs. 29,307, against Rs. 24,461 in the year before. The increase is due to the sanction of fresh works which were found necessary out of the last year's (1906-07) unspent balance.

12. *Agricultural Improvements.*—The expenditure under this head fell off to a large extent and fell far short of the allotment of Rs. 2,180 made for the purpose. This is mainly due to the want of proper supervision over these works.

13. *Sanitary Improvements.*—Rupees 1,536 was expended in improving, repairing and constructing tanks, wells, and *bandhs* in the Damin.

14. *Provincial Rates.*—The figure, viz., Rs. 697, represents the amount actually spent and the increase is due to the establishment being provided for on an increased scale.

15. *Administration, Establishment and contingencies of Committee's office.*—The decrease under this head is mainly due to the permanent accountant having been transferred to the settlement department and the consequent omission of his personal allowance at the rate of Rs. 20 a month. Rupees 37-8 represents the amount actually spent on account of audit fee.

16. *Superannuation allowance and pension.*—The decrease under this head is due to the death of pensioner, Babu Ram Tirtha Sen, late Road Office clerk, on the 11th August 1907.

17. *Civil Buildings.*—Rupees 2,184-5-4 was spent towards the construction of the five primary school buildings at Bamangama, Mandro, Poreya, Gorla and Jamnagar in this district. The cost was met out of the special grant of Rs. 4,050, placed at the disposal of the the District Road Committee by the Education Department for constructing certain primary school buildings in this district.

18. *Civil Buildings—Repairs.*—Rupees 12-12 shown against "repairs" represents the amount of the municipal tax paid for the Road office buildings. The annual repairs were not done as the building will be shortly re-roofed with Raniganj tiles.

19. *Communication—New works.*—The important works carried out during the year both under the Road Fund and Land Revenue are given below with the amounts spent upon each:—

ROAD FUND.

	Rs.
1. Constructing 2nd Dhanbhasa bridge	4,997
2. Bridging Godda-Hansdiha road	3,215
3. Constructing Bilki bridge on Bhagalpur-Suri road	3,638
4. Improving Godda-Hansdiha road	5,050
5. Constructing Fatehpur Inspection Bungalow on Dumka-Jamtara road.	1,941

ROAD FUND—concluded.

	Rs.
6. Stone metalling Dumka-Rampurhat road from ... 21st to 25th mile.	998
7. Gravelling Dumka-Pakour road on last five miles	1,942
8. Gravelling Dumka-Godda road	1,330
9. Supplying furniture for Dumka Dāk Bungalow	471
10. Ditto for Deoghar Inspection Bungalow	141

DAMIN FUND.

1. Improving Bhagaya-Shahabad road	3,806
2. Constructing a 20-foot span bridge on Bhagaya-Shahabad road.	584
3. Constructing Civil Hospital Assistant's quarters and dispensary at Borio.	951
4. Constructing corrugated iron pipe culverts in Godda Damin	357
5. Improving Tinpahar-Borio road	3,707
6. Construction of Gumra bridge in Dumka Damin	4,911
7. Constructing a bridge at Sonadhani	300
8. Ditto ditto at Mohanpur	699
9. Constructing Damin Inspection Bungalows at Amrapara and Dumurchi.	1,016
10. Improving a bridge on Karmataunr-Rajabhita road	433
11. Constructing Gopikandar-Nargunge road	310

20. *Communication—Repairs.*—The expenditure fell from Rs. 23,944 in the year 1906-1907 to Rs. 19,132 during the year. The decrease is mainly due to the advances drawn for repairs of certain roads in the district not having been adjusted before the year closed, and also to the lapse of the allotments for certain roads under the District Engineer and the Subdivisional Officer, Jamtara.

21. There was no change in the classification of the scheduled district and village roads under charge of the District Road Committee. During the year 43 scheduled roads with a total mileage of 840 miles were maintained at a total cost of Rs. 18,653 against Rs. 23,036 in the previous year. Of the total length, 15½ miles were metalled and the rest unmetalled, and of the total cost Rs. 395 was spent on the former and Rs. 18,258 on the latter class. The cost per mile of metalled road was thus Rs. 25·4 and of unmetalled road Rs. 22·1. Several important roads were improved during the year by the construction of pukka bridges and culverts and gravelling some of the kutcha portions.

22. The total number of scheduled village roads was the same as in the previous year. Four roads with a total mileage of 23 miles were maintained at a cost of Rs. 250, the cost per mile being 7·7. No substantial improvement was effected in the condition of the village roads. The expenditure on repairs is classified in the following table:—

DISTRICT.	CIVIL BUILDINGS.			COMMUNICATIONS.																			
SONTHAL PARGANAH.	Government buildings.	Other buildings.	Total buildings.	DISTRICT ROADS.			VILLAGE ROADS.			GOVERNMENT ROADS.			ROADS IN GOVERNMENT ESTATES.			OTHER ROADS.			Other repairs.	Total communication.	Miscellaneous repairs.		
				Number of miles.	Outlay.	Cost per mile.	Number of miles.	Outlay.	Cost per mile.	Number of miles.	Outlay.	Cost per mile.	Number of miles.	Outlay.	Cost per mile.	Number of miles.	Outlay.	Cost per mile.					
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18				19	20	21	22	23
1906-07	141	141	832½	23,036	23·1	33	485	13·7	...	...	...	...	3,831	...	...	...	...	107	27,775	...	27·9
			+ 345																	(a)			
			487																				
1907-08	13	13	840	18,653	22·2	33	255	7·7	...	...	...	...	8,887	...	...	...	...	1,072	28,967	...	28·81

(a) For repairs to road inspection bungalows Rs. 224
Ditto Damin Ditto Rs. 848

23. *Railway feeder roads.*—The construction of new feeder roads, viz., Bhagaya-Shahabad and Tinpahar-Borio roads was taken up, and Rs. 3,806 and 3707 respectively were spent during the year. Rupees 7,750 was provided in the sanctioned Budget Estimate for improving the Sahabganj-Bhanjhi road, but it was found impossible to induce a contractor to take up the work, and consequently the whole sum lapsed. This appears to have been due to insufficiency of the rates provided in the estimate. They have now been revised and the work will be taken in hand this year.

24. *Famine relief.*—No famine relief operations were carried out during the year.

25. The receipts and expenditure of the three dāk bungalows under the Committee are compared with those of the previous year in the following table :—

Name of Dāk Bungalow.	Receipts.		Expenditure.	
	1906-07.	1907-08.	1906-07.	1907-08.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Dumka	150	165	105	685
Rajmahal	315	167	253	177
Sahebganj	138	73	358	272

26. *Establishment.*—The expenditure was in excess of that of the previous year. The increase is attributable to the entertainment of a temporary establishment, including a supervisor at a cost of Rs. 2,360, against Rs. 2,488 in the previous year, and also to payment of grain compensation allowance of Rs. 600 to those employes of the District Road Committee who were entitled to it under the rules.

27. The following table shows the amount spent on establishment and the percentage of its cost on expenditure on Civil works :—

Year.	Outlay on works and repairs.	Outlay on establishment employed on works.	Percentage.
	Rs.	Rs.	
1906-07	63,451	19,931	31·41
1907-08	75,051(a)	21,486	28·62

	Rs.	A.	P.
(a) Land Revenue	29,807	0	3
Civil Buildings	2,197	1	4
Communication	43,546	12	4
	75,050	13	11

The percentage is high owing (a) to the accumulation of funds from the lapses of allotments made for works and repairs, (b) to the debit to establishment of the charges on account of such petty establishment as malis, chaukidars, &c., which are properly chargeable to work. The total cost on establishment is Rs. 23,659 against the receipt of Rs. 86,091.

28. *Medical.*—There are no medical institutions under the Committee, and there was thus no expenditure under this head. A sum of Rs. 951 was spent towards the construction of a dispensary building and Civil Hospital Assistant's quarters at Borio out of the Estate Improvement Funds.

29. *Village sanitation.*—The scheme promulgated by Government in Circular No. 10T.-M., dated the 30th May 1903, for the improvement of sanitation of villages and rural towns was not tried in this district during the year.

30. *Tools and Plant.*—The expenditure under this head was Rs. 1,278, against the Budget provision of Rs. 600. The excess of Rs. 678 is due to the purchase of certain important tools urgently wanted for the Damru projects and bridge works with the approval of the Superintending Engineer.

31. *Travelling allowance of Veterinary Assistant.*—Rupees 150 was paid on account of travelling allowance of the Veterinary Assistant.

32. *Arboriculture.*—There has been no change in the system of arboriculture in this district since last year's report. Special attention has been paid to filling in gaps of existing avenues and providing plants with gabions for which Rs. 365 was spent. New nurseries have been established in the compounds of several road Inspection Bungalows and *gumlas* have been provided at most of the nurseries for planting seeds during the coming rains. It is reported that 1,310 new plants were planted during the year, against 1,010 in the preceding year. The matter has received more attention and it is expected that better progress will be made every year.

33. *Water-supply.*—There was no outlay incurred on water-supply from the District Road Fund except on sinking a pucca well in the compound of the newly-constructed Inspection Bungalow at Fatehpur on Dumka-Jamtara road. A sum of Rs. 1,536 was, however, spent out of the Estate Improvement Fund in sinking wells, excavating and improving tanks and *bandhs* in the Damru. It is reported that the water-supply is sufficient throughout the district and that the existing sources were enough for ordinary purposes.

A statement showing the thana totals of Form I, prescribed in Government Circular No. 8T.—M., dated the 15th May 1896, for several subdivisions. is appended below—

Statement showing the sources of water-supply.

NAME OF THANA.	NUMBER OF VILLAGES.		Population by last census.	SOURCES AND CHARACTER OF WATER-SUPPLY.									OWNERSHIP OR CONTROL.						Is permanent supply adequate to population?	REMARKS OF INSPECTING OFFICERS.
	Supplied from river, khal, or canal.	Supplied from tanks or wells.		Wholesome tanks.	Unwholesome tanks.	Total tanks.	Wholesome wells.	Unwholesome wells.	Total wells.	Total sources.	Perennial.	Intermittent.	Government—		Local—		Private—			
													Tanks.	Wells.	Tanks.	Wells.	Tanks.	Wells.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Dumka Sub-division.																				
Dumka ...	10	24	23,052	72	137	209	879	90	909	1,178	986	103	3	30	...	...	206	930	Yes, except in some places.	
Deoghar Sub-division.																				
Deoghar ...	10	1	100,014	26	70	96	236	22	258	354	291	63	1	18	...	3	95	240	Yes	
Madhupur ...	4	5	76,611	48	40	88	103	1	104	192	176	16	...	4	...	...	88	100	Yes	
Sarath ...	3	3	75,954	21	11	32	42	2	44	76	68	8	...	2	...	...	32	42	Yes	
Sarwan ...	3	..	44,824	13	9	21	84	1	85	106	98	8	...	2	...	...	21	53	Yes	
TOTAL ...	30	9	217,403	107	130	237	465	26	491	728	633	95	1	38	...	3	230	465	..	
Godda Sub-division.																				
Godda (46 villages)	...	Tanks and wells for each villa. re.	31,650	65	40	105	480	60	540	645	447	138	2	6	1	1	102	533	Yes.	The supply of water for each village is sufficient if the unwholesome tanks and wells had been re-excavated. Some of the wholesome tanks and wells require deepening and clearing; sinking of a few wells is necessary which will remove the inconvenience felt by the people of many villages as the water source is distantly situated.
Mahagama (22 villages.)	...	Ditto	21,314	51	24	75	284	11	295	370	270	161	...	1	...	...	75	204	..	
Paroya (27 villages)	...	Ditto	25,946	64	21	89	189	11	200	289	194	63	...	1	...	...	89	119	..	
Daman-i-Koh (30 villages.)	...	Ditto	16,263	39	2	38	120	4	124	156	65	88	14	10	...	...	18	114	..	
Total ...	...	...	104,172	214	87	301	1,073	86	1,159	1,490	918	542	16	18	11	1	244	1,140	...	
Jamtara Sub-division.																				
Jamtara ...	...	20	3,287	89	207	296	...	...	...	296	84	212	...	...	...	...	296	...	Yes.	
Pakaur Sub-division.																				
Pakaur ...	1	18	73,647	43	215	258	296	2	308	466	218	248	...	2	...	...	256	206	No.	
Mahepur ...	...	16	27,794	70	305	375	65	1	66	441	181	360	...	...	...	...	375	66	Yes.	
Daman ...	...	3	65,556	5	3	8	78	...	73	81	76	5	2	1	...	...	6	72	No.	
TOTAL ...	1	37	2,36,907	118	523	641	314	3	347	989	475	513	2	3	...	...	639	314	...	
Rajmahal Sub-division.																				
Rajmahal ...	47	115	55,997	138	438	573	176	120	296	860	340	529	2	...	213	131	309	163	.....	The water-supply is ample for drinking purposes both in the Daman and in the Jamtara tracts, but there are many unwholesome tanks and wells in the portion of Jamtara tract that is at some distance from the Daman. The water-supply for irrigation purposes in the Daman is insufficient and should be increased.
Sahebganj ...	16	7	18,547	1	1	2	160	6	175	177	175	2	...	4	1	15	1	157	.....
Bahwa ...	20	142	37,363	120	452	572	130	140	270	842	330	503	2	...	213	108	357	162	.....
Daman-i-koh ...	390	191	1,02,072	161	123	284	830	6	836	1,130	908	162	120	39	134	691	54	105	.....
TOTAL ...	473	455	274,679	440	1,011	1,451	1,293	272	1,567	3,018	1,823	1,196	130	34	551	948	770	585	.....

SONTHAL PARGANAS DISTRICT ROAD COMMITTEE.

Annual Account of Income and Expenditure for the year 1907-08.

RECEIPTS.	Amount.	Total.	EXPENDITURE.	Amount.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance on 1st April 1907 ...	.....	92,414 7 3	1. Refunds—		
VI.—Provincial Rates—			Of cess ...	.....
Cess on lands ...	4,185 10 3		Of other receipts ...	.....
Cess on mines and railways.	.....		3. Land Revenue—Management of Government estates—		
Cess on houses ...	.....	4,185 10 3	Miscellaneous Public Improvements—		
XII.—Interest—			New works ...	17,215 0 6	
Interest on arrear collection of road-cess.	7 6 7	7 6 7	Repairs ...	9,735 1 8	
XXV.—Miscellaneous—			Miscellaneous ...	472 2 3	
Fees, fines and forfeitures.	17 0 0		Agricultural Improvements ...	348 7 5	
Miscellaneous ...	34 6 0	51 6 0	Sanitary improvements ...	1,536 4 5	29,807 0 3
XXX.—Irrigation—Minor Works and Navigation—			8. Provincial Rates—		
Local Canal Receipts.	50 0 0	50 0 0	Establishment and contingencies of office of collection.	.....
XXXII.—Civil Works—			Revaluation charges ...	697 0 8	697 0 8
In charge of Civil officers—			14. Interest on other obligations—		
Road tolls ...	.....		Interest on miscellaneous account ...	.....
Ferry „ ...	53 0 0		Interest on other account ...	.....
Receipts from Staging Bungalows.	548 11 0		18. Administration—		
Contribution from private persons.	1,388 0 0		Establishment and contingencies of Committee's office.	1,439 2 9	
Contribution from Municipalities.	.....		Audit-fee ...	37 8 0	1,476 10 9
Miscellaneous ...	634 12 5	2,614 7 5	24. Medical—		
Grant from Government ...	79,181 13 0	79,181 13 0	Expenses during the prevalence of bubonic plague—		
Transfer between Local and Local.	.....	.....	Expenses for local measures ...	.....
TOTAL REVENUES ...	.....	86,090 11 3	Expenses for plague camps ...	.....
Debt—			29. Superannuation allowance and pensions—		
Temporary loan from	.....		Pension ...	70 4 10	
Advances ...	15,199 6 1		Gratuity ...	.....	70 4 10
Deposits ...	400 0 0		30. Stationery—		
Do.—Earnest-money on tenders.	500 0 0	16,099 6 1	Stationery and Printing ...	302 7 6	302 7 6
			32. Miscellaneous—		
			Provident Fund Contributions ...	271 9 6	
			Miscellaneous ...	204 3 0	475 12 6
			43. Minor Works and Navigation—		
			Canal toll establishment and contingencies	.....
			45. Civil Works—		
			Civil buildings—		
			New works ...	Rs. A. P. 2,184 5 4	
			Repairs ...	12 12 0	
			Communications—		
			New works ...	24,415 1 0	
			Repairs ...	19,131 11 4	43,546 12 4
			Miscellaneous Public Improvements—		
			New works ...	.....
			Repairs ...	.....
			Establishment ...	21,485 12 9	
			Petty establishment ...	318 7 10	
			Tools and Plant ...	1,278 5 8	
			Travelling Allowance of Veterinary Assistant.	150 0 0	68,976 7 11
			Contribution to Provincial Government—		
			Percentage cost of establishment for offices of account and control.	50 0 0	
			Refunds of the unexpended balance of Government contribution.	6,000 0 0	6,050 0 0
			Contribution for Famine Relief ...	.....
			TOTAL EXPENDITURE ...	.....	1,07,355 12 5
			Debt—		
			Temporary loan from ...	.....
			Advances ...	13,251 10 9	
			Deposits ...	450 0 0	
			Do. Earnest-money on tenders ...	50 0 0	13,751 10 9
			Total Disbursements ...	.....	1,21,137 7 2
			Balance on 31st March 1908 ...	.....	73,467 1 5
			GRAND TOTAL, INCLUDING BALANCE ...	.....	1,94,604 8 7
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS, INCLUDING BALANCE.	.....	1,94,604 8 7			

PRAFULLA CHANDRA GHOSH,

For Chairman, District Road Committee, Sonthal Parganas.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 23rd February 1909

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS			
		Rs.	A. P.			Rs.	A. P.
Capital paid up	---	2,00,00,000	0 0	Government securities	---	3,12,40,167	0 6
Reserve Fund	---	1,65,00,000	0 0	Other authorised investments	---	85,40,775	0 0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs. 79,91,072 10 11	1,43,27,743	5 4	Loans on Government and other authorised securities	---	4,76,05,057	1 0
Ditto ditto at Branches	63,36,670 10 5	16,78,98,475	0 3	Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	---	5,47,03,899	1 11
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	---	5,85,765	7 6	Bills discounted and purchased	---	2,97,64,427	12 9
Bank Post Bills, &c.	---	15,47,946	8 3	Balances with other Banks	---	31,89,597	14 11
Sundries	---	---	---	Bullion	---	3,950	12 0
				Dead Stock	---	19,01,892	0 1
				Stamps	---	17,123	12 6
				Sundries	---	2,92,082	6 6
						17,23,49,472	13 8
				Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office	Rs. 2,67,33,793 2 0	4,85,11,457	2 8
				Cash & Currency Notes at Branches	Rs. 2,17,77,664 0 8	---	---
						22,08,59,930	0 4
						22,08,59,930	0 4

* Includes Nova. & § Nova. value Rs. 1,56,645 0 0
 † do. do. do. 1,27,102 8 0
 .. 2,83,747 8 0

BANK OF BENGAL
 Calcutta, the 25th February 1909.

Rate for Demand Loans, 8 per cent.

Percentage 26-31.
 C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant. (251-1) W. D. CRICKSHANK, Secretary and Treasurer.

In the First Court of the Subordinate Judge, Gaya.

TITLE EXECUTION CASE No. 53 of 1909.

Babu Janardan Singh and others, decree-holders, *versus* Pran Singh and others, judgment-debtors.

Name of Court.	Number of the case.	Names of parties.	Date of sale.	Decretal amount with interest and cost.	Name of the properties of the judgment-debtors, with their tauzi numbers and jama sadar.	Value of the properties as given by the decree-holders.
Sub-Judge, 1st Court, Gaya.	53 of 1909	Babu Janardan Singh and others, decree-holders, <i>versus</i> Pran Singh and others, judgment-debtors.	15-3-1909	Rs. 94,366 12 5	Eight annas out of 16 annas <i>asli</i> with <i>dakhl</i> proprietary right of judgment-debtors of village Akbarpore Pakri, appertaining to mahal Goharpore Sinduari, &c., pargana Kabar, district Gaya, bearing tauzi No. 2652, and jama sadar, Rs. 6,105-12, under the jurisdiction of police-station and sub-registration office at Tikari, district Gaya.	Rs. 4,000

Gaya, the 26th February 1909.

SARADA PRASAD BASU, Sub-Judge, 1st Court.
 (279-1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif at Balasore.

PRESENT:

Babu Baidyanath Ghatak, M.L., Munsif.
 EXECUTION CASE No. 97 of 1909.

Gobind Chandra Mahapatra of Patuasaj Bag, Brindaban, pargana Khejuri, decree-holder, *versus* Sri Chaudan Bhuyan Brindaban Chandra Rai of Gad Banturapur, pargana Sahabandar, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court at Balasore, in the Court premises on the 15th day of April 1909, for realization of Rs. 1,290-5-5.

Four-anna share belonging to the judgment-debtor of the estate Bistupur, pargana Sahabandar, bearing tauzi No. 1368, of the Balasore Collectorate, police-station Baliapal, Government revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 3,816, and that payable for the above share is Rs. 954.

BAIDYANATH GHATAK, Munsif.

Balasore, the 15th February 1909. (311-1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Munsif at Balasore.

PRESENT:

Babu Baidyanath Ghatak, M.L., Munsif.
 EXECUTION CASE No. 98 of 1909.

Gobind Chandra Mahapatra of Patua Bag Brindaban, pargana Khejuri, decree-holder, *versus* Sri Chaudan Bhuyan Brindaban Chandra Rai of Gad Banturapur, pargana Sahabandar, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the Munsif's Court at Balasore, in the Court premises, on the 15th day of April 1909, for realization of Rs. 1,273-7-8.

Four-anna share belonging to the judgment-debtor of the estate Bistupur, pargana Sahabandar, bearing tauzi No. 1368 of the Balasore Collectorate, police-station Baliapal, Government revenue payable for the entire tauzi is Rs. 3,816, and that payable for the above share is Rs. 954.

BAIDYANATH GHATAK, Munsif.

Balasore, the 15th February 1909. (212-1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Cuttack.

ORIGINAL SUIT No. 182 of 1904.

Ramanath Oboudhury and others of Sundari, pargana Sunhat, plaintiffs, *versus* Kishori Mohan Das and others of Sunhatbindha, pargana Sunhat, defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given to the public that the following mortgaged property of the judgment-debtors will be sold for realization of Rs. 7,612-9-7, by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court in the Court-house on the 15th April 1909, at 12 o'clock noon.

Schedule of property.

An one anna twelve gandas share belonging to aforesaid debtors in taluk Killah Ambohota, pargana Soso, district Balasore, bearing tauzi No. 376, the Government revenue payable for the whole estate being Rs. 5,562, the revenue payable for the share to be sold is Rs. 556-3-2 with every other sort, title and interest that the judgment-debtors might have in the property.

J. A. MUKHARJI, Subordinate Judge.

Cuttack Sub-Judge's Office, the 24th February 1909.
(174--1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of **GEORGE BRUCKEFELDT**, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 9th day of February last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 25th day of November 1907 to the 31st day of January last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 9th day of March instant, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. (254--1)

In the matter of **JOHN DOYLE**, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 9th day of March instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

N. C. Bose, Attorney. (255--1)

In the matter of **HADJEN ABDUL RAHAMAN HAJI AHMAD PATEL**, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 9th day of March instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Manuel & Augurwallah, Attorneys. (256--1)

In the matter of **ROOP LALL SINGH**, residing at No. 49, Choonapukur Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business in his own name as a petty piece goods dealer in Calcutta at present without any occupation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 2nd day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (257--1)

In the matter of **BIJOY KRISHNA BANERJEE** residing at No. 61-2, Nimtolla Ghat, 1st Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and employed as a Clerk in the office of Babu Amar Nath Ghosh, Attorney-at-Law of No. 10, Hastings Street in Calcutta aforesaid, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 7th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (258--1)

In the matter of **MOORLEEDHUR**, residing at No. 5, Shama Bye's Lane in the town of Calcutta, formerly carried on business as dealer in piece-goods under the name and style of Gonesh Dass Moorleedhur up to the month of December 1906 at No. 113, Monohar Dass Kalra, Barabazar in Calcutta, since without occupation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 7th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (259--1)

In the matter of **TULSI DAS SIL**, residing at No. 6 Sagar Dhur's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carried on business as Electrical Engineer and Contractor on his own account under the name, style and firm of T. D. Sil at No. 12 Sagar Dhur's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and now employed as an assistant in the employ of the Luxmir Bhandar, Limited, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 8th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Mitra and Dutt, Attorneys. (260--1)

In the matter of **DAMOODAR BURAL AND PERO LAL BURAL**, both residing at No. 4, Chintamani Dass Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business in Hardware in copartnership with one Umesh Chunder Banerjee at No. 97, Clive Street, Calcutta, under the name and style of U. C. Banerjee & Co., now without any employment, both members of a Hindu joint family governed by Bengal School, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 8th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Anil Nath Bose, Attorney. (261--1)

In the matter of **HARO BILAS SEN**, residing at No. 6-1, St. James' Lane, in the town of Calcutta, a clerk employed in the Accounts Department at the Calcutta Custom House, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 11th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Arunendra Nath Ghosh, Attorney. (262--1)

In the matter of **BASANTA KUMAR CHUCKERBUTTY**, residing at No. 10, Huzareemull's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, without any employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 16th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

B. N. Basu & Co., Attorneys. (263--1)

In the matter of **JNANENDRA NATH CHUCKERBUTTY** alias **JNANENDRA KUMAR CHUCKERBUTTY**, residing at No. 10, Huzareemull's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and employed as a clerk in Paper Currency Department at Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 16th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

B. N. Basu & Co., Attorneys.

(264—1)

In the matter of **CHARLES OSMOND VRENIEX**, at present residing at Sorampore in Bengal and serving on the Railway Board, Government of India, a European British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 18th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

(265—1)

In the matter of **ALFRED WRIGHT**, lately an Inspector of Railway Telegraphs and **Adriene Wright**, wife of the said Alfred Wright, both now carrying on business jointly as milk suppliers at their residence, No. 71, Serpentine Lane, in the town of Calcutta, under the name and style of "The Bengal Dairy," both European British-born subjects, insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 18th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvents in person.

(266—1)

In the matter of **SUKDEODAS RAMBULLUR AND JOHNRAM**, traders, all carrying on business in co-partnership in piece-goods at No. 113, Monohor Das Katra, in the town of Calcutta, under the name and style of Ghasiram Jewander, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 23rd day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. C. Mitter, Attorney.

(267—1)

In the matter of **HENRY PIERRE DE SILVA**, at present residing at No. 37, Elliott Road, in the town of Calcutta, employed as a Shift Engineer in the Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 25th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

(268—1)

In the matter of **KISSEN CHAND BANTIA**, residing at No. 15, Khongraputty, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business at the same place as a dealer in piece-goods, under the name and style of Kissen Chand Bantia, a trader, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 28th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. L. Burrell, Attorney.

(269—1)

In the matter of **JOHN HENRY ROBERTS**, at present employed in the East Indian Railway Workshops at Lillooah and residing at No. 28, Pearce Road, Lillooah, a European British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 12th day of November last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

(270—1)

In the matter of **ALBERT ANGELO LACEY**, residing at No. 63, Dhurumtollah Street in Calcutta, at present a petty broker, an European British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 14th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney.

(271—1)

In the matter of **MEGHRAJ ACHARYA**, residing at No. 201, Harrison Road, in the town of Calcutta, a Gomastha in the firm of brokers Durga Dass Hari Dass, Barabazar, in Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 4th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

G. C. De, Attorney.

(272—1)

In the matter of **HERBERT HOPE FRENCH**, residing at No. 9, Tottie's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, a Government Pensioner and afterwards an Assistant of Arthur, Barnes & Co., at present unemployed, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 15th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

(273—1)

In the matter of **BAIJA NATH KHETTRY**, residing at No. 26, Shiboo Thakoor's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business on a small scale in silver, now without any occupation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 29th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

A. K. Thakur, Attorney.

(274—1)

In the matter of **IMDAD ALI AND MOHAMMED MOGUL**, residing at No. 10, Chandney Bazar, Calcutta, in the town of Calcutta, who had formerly carried on business as dealers in shoes in copartnership at Chandney Bazar, Calcutta, but since January 1908 are without any occupation or employment, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 14th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

P. N. Paul, Attorney.

(275—1)

In the matter of **KESRI CHAND**, residing at No. 1, Aga Mahomea Karbulla Street, in the town of Calcutta, and carrying on business as wholesale dealer in miscellaneous goods and Commission Agent at No. 23, Amratolla Street in Calcutta aforesaid, under the name, style and firm of Kurat Chand Kesri Chand, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 2nd day of June last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. N. De, Attorney.

(276—1)

In the matter of **DALLUMUL ANJURWALLAH**, residing at No. 54, Shib Thakur's Lane, in the town of Calcutta and carrying on business as a broker and dealer in bran at No. 96-97, Lower Chitpore Road in Calcutta and at No. 1, Hanuman Lane in Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 29th day of

October last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

S. C. Mitter, Attorney.

(277—1)

In the matter of WILLIAM ORMOND RANDEAU, at present residing at Assansole in the Bengal Presidency and employed as a Guard in the East Indian Railway Company at Calcutta, a European British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 23rd day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

J. N. Chatterjee, Attorney.

(278—1)

In the matter of KANAYA LALL, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 9th day of March instant, at the hour of half-past 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

N. C. Gupta, Attorney.

(282—1)

In the matter of DALLUMUL AGARWALLAH, an insolvent.

On the 12th day of January it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. C. Mitter, Attorney.

(222—2)

In the matter of SUKDEODAS, RAMBULLUB and JOKHIRAM, insolvents.

On the 23rd day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. C. Mitter, Attorney.

(223—2)

In the matter of KESRI CHAND, an insolvent.

On the 17th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. N. De, Attorney.

(224—2)

In the matter of MEGHRAJ ACHAROYA, an insolvent.

On the 4th day of February instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

G. C. De, Attorney.

(225—2)

In the matter of BAIJANATH KHETTRY, an insolvent.

On the 29th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

A. K. Thakur, Attorney.

(226—2)

In the matter of KISSEN CHAND BENTIA, an insolvent.

On the 28th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. L. Bural, Attorney.

(227—2)

In the matter of H. P. DE SILVA, an insolvent.

On the 28th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(228—2)

In the matter of W. O. RANDEAU, an insolvent.

On the 23rd day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. N. Chatterjee, Attorney.

(229—2)

In the matter of A. A. LACEY, an insolvent.

On the 14th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney.

(230—2)

In the matter of BASANTA KUMAR CHUCKERBUTTY, an insolvent.

On the 16th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. N. Basu & Co., Attorneys.

(231—2)

In the matter of JNANENDRA NATH CHUCKERBUTTY, *alias* JNANENDRA KUMAR CHUCKERBUTTY, an insolvent.

On the 16th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. N. Basu & Co., Attorneys.

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In the matter of C. O. VERNIEUX, an insolvent.

On the 18th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(233—2)

In the matter of H. H. FRENCH, an insolvent.

On the 15th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(234—2)

In the matter of A. WRIGHT and another, insolvents.

On the 19th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvents in person.

(235—2)

In the matter of IMDAD ALI and another, insolvents.

On the 14th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Paul, Attorney.

(236—2)

In the matter of TULSI DASS SEAL, an insolvent.

On the 8th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Mitter and Dutt, Attorneys.

(237—2)

In the matter of HARA BILAS SEN, an insolvent.

On the 11th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

A. N. Ghose, Attorney.

(233—2)

In the matter of DAMODAR BURRAL and another, insolvents.

On the 8th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

A. N. Bose, Attorney.

(239—2)

In the matter of **BIJOY KRISTO BANNERJEE**, an insolvent.

On the 7th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(240—2)

In the matter of **MOORLIDHUR**, an insolvent.

On the 7th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(241—2)

In the matter of **ROOP LALL SINGH**, an insolvent.

On the 2nd day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney.

(242—2)

In the matter of **J. H. ROBERTS**, an insolvent.

On the 12th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(243—2)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 18 of 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 44 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, that the insolvent Benimadhab Banerji, son of Chandra Kumar Banerji of Katpukur Lane, Shibpur in Howrah, has applied for his discharge and that the 20th March next has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 24th February 1909.

(249—1—86)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 of 1909.

Naba Kumar Pal, son of late Raj Chandra Pal of Sahapur, thana Tollygunge, district 24-Parganas, applicant, *versus* Phanindra Nath Mitra of Bhawanipore and others, creditors, opposite party.

ON the 15th February 1909, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said applicant will be heard on the 22nd March 1909 and that the applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROY, District Judge.

Alipore, the 25th February 1909.

(252—1—85)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jessore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 of 1906.

PETITIONER Sarat Chandra Basu, son of late Ram Lal Basu of Dhopadi, pargana Chengutia, station Monirampur, district Jessore, was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 7th August 1908.

L. PALIT, District Judge.

Jessore, the 18th February 1909.

(204—3—70)

In the Court of the District Judge of Gaya.

PRESENT:

S. S. Skinner, Esq., District Judge.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 of 1909.

WHEREAS one Dhani Ram, son of Ram Charan Ram, deceased, by caste Kahar Rawani, inhabitant of mauza Shewganj, pargana Siris, zilla Gaya, has applied to this Court by a petition dated 6th February 1909, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907 and the following names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed

the 5th day of March 1909 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

Those who desire to be represented in the matter should attend in person or by duly instructed pleaders, the particulars of debt alleged in the petition to be due are as follows:—

	Rs.	a.	p.
1. Paran Mail and Gabind Ram of Rafigunj, pargana Char-kowan, zilla Gaya.	775	14	6
2. Chanderbhan Singh of Teldiha, pargana Siris, district Gaya.	130	0	0
3. Jitbhan Singh of Dudpi, pargana Siris, zilla Gaya.	45	0	0
Total	950	14	6

S. S. SKINNER, District Judge.

Gaya, the 26th February 1909.

(253—1—81)

In the Court of the District Judge of Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 21 of 1908.

WHEREAS Srihari Kor of Dandapore, pargana Kismat Danta Kharai, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 21st December of 1908, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, II of 1907, and the following names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give notice that the Court has fixed the 15th day of March 1909, for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. Those who desire to be represented in the matter, should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due are as follows:—

	Rs.	a.	p.
Sheik Hingun	376	5	15
Abhram Maity	81	0	0
Nityananda Sow	10	0	0

E. R. FORRESTER, District Judge.

Midnapore, the 22nd February 1909.

(248—1—87)

SURENDRO NATH SEN GUPTA BHAYA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(281—4—88)

Notice.

Tenders—Bengal Veterinary College.

TENDERS of rates from native firms and preferably actual manufacturers for the supply of the following articles of local manufacture or production, during the official year 1909-10, will be received by the undersigned up to 2nd March 1909:—

The probable amount required of each article is given and the terms may be ascertained on application to the undersigned.

1. Linseed oil	...	5 Mds.
2. Turpentine "	...	4 "
3. Coconut "	...	4 "
4. Mustard "	...	37 "
5. Bazar drugs of different kinds	...	worth about Rs. 700.
6. Bandage cloth 500 yards of 12 sq yds. each.	...	600 bars.
7. Bar soap	...	5 Mds.
8. Cotton wool	...	24 "
9. Jute and rope	...	6 "
10. Lard	...	100 pairs.
11. Brushes and curry combs	...	300 tons.
12. Kerosin oil	...	3 gross.
13. Dusters	...	1 "
14. Towels	...	4 Mds.
15. Twine	...	500
16. Gunny-bags	...	4 gross.
17. Baskets	...	80
18. Buckets	...	24
19. Door mats (coir)	...	Rs. 500.
20. Wooden furniture worth about	...	90 Mds.
21. Flour	...	24 "
22. Ghee	...	

Every successful tenderer will have to deposit, as security, a sum of money to be fixed hereafter, and to execute a contract bond within a specified time.

E. H. BRAND,

Assistant Principal, Bengal Veterinary College, Belgachia, the 11th February 1909.

WANTED a Muhammadan who has passed the 1st grade Vernacular Mastership Examination from any of the 1st class Training Schools in Bengal, for the post of an Assistant Master in the Dumka Zilla School on a pay of Rs. 15 rising to Rs. 20 by an annual increment of Rs. 1. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 10th March 1909.

M. PROTHERO,
Inspector of Schools,
Bhagalpur Division.

Bhagalpur,
The 16th February 1909.

WANTED a qualified European for the post of Inspector of Septic Tank Installations in Bengal. The pay of the appointment is Rs. 200 to Rs. 300 a month rising by an annual increment of Rs. 20. Candidates with previous Municipal or Cantonment Sanitary experience will have preference. Applications with copies of testimonials should be submitted in the first instance in writing to the undersigned not later than the 10th March 1909.

F. C. CLARKSON, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal,
Writers' Buildings, Calcutta,

Calcutta, the 26th February 1909.

WANTED immediately qualified Amins on consolidated pay of Rs. 25 a month. Experienced English-knowing men are required. Applications in the candidate's own handwriting, stating age, attainments, qualifications and past services with copies of testimonials should be submitted to the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Motihari, district Champaran.

Motihari, the 15th February 1909.

Wanted.

WANTED a Bihari Graduate for the post of Sub-Inspector of Schools, Bagodar Circle, on a salary of Rs. 50 a month, with Travelling Allowance under the Rules of the Civil Service Regulations. Applications must reach this office on or before the 20th March 1909.

E. A. LEFEUVRE,
Offg. Inspector of Schools,
Chota Nagpur Division.

Purulia, the 15th February 1909.

Wanted

AN experienced Overseer for Famine Relief Works on a consolidated salary of Rs. 80 to Rs. 100 per month inclusive of all allowances. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 10th March 1909.

F. C. TEMPLE, District Engineer.
Muzaffarpur, the 19th February 1909. (245-3)

Notice.

WANTED a Head Clerk and Accountant for the District Board of Saran on a salary of Rs. 80-2-120 (annual increment). None need apply who is not qualified under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334 L.S.-G. dated 20th December 1901, and has no experience of District Board accounts.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 16th March 1909.

JAGDAM SAHAI, for Chairman, District Board, Saran.
Chapra, the 19th February 1909. (219-2)

Notice.

THE Directors have made the following change in the Bank's European establishment:—

Mr. C. M. Tallack to officiate as Cashier, vice
Mr. A. C. Brown, proceeding on furlough.
By order of the Directors,

W. D. CRICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, the 2nd March 1909.

(233-1)

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sambalpur-Cuttack Road, Khalsa Section, from Sambalpur to the border of the Rairakhol State, and Sambalpur-Sonepur Road from Sambalpur to Dhama will be closed to cart traffic from 25th February 1909 to 25th June 1909, during construction of the roads. Temporary roads have been constructed along the sides of the roads for cart traffic.

H. P. TULAPATRA, Accountant,
for Executive Engineer,
Sambalpur Division.

Sambalpur, the 22nd February 1909.

Road-Cess Notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the District Board of Monghyr have determined, at a special meeting held on the 6th February 1909, to levy the road-cess in the district during the ensuing cess year 1909-10 at the maximum rate of half-anna in the rupee on the annual value of land, &c.

L. P. SINGHA, Vice-Chairman.
Monghyr, the 12th February 1909. (197-2)

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned.

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	Number of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
W 462 of 08	UA 69	Rs. 53508 1,000	Babu Asutosh Dutta, 142, Kalighat Road, Kalighat, Calcutta.

WM. W. WOOLAM,

Assistant Comptroller-General,
In charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 9th February 1909.

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 18552, dated the 22nd January 1909, and granted by Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned are about to apply for surrender of the securities:—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's names.
		Rs.	
114189	1842-43	600	Satya Das Banerjee,
114190	Do.	500	Dharmadas Banerjee,
114191	Do.	500	and Krishna Das
114192	Do.	800	Banerjee, certificate-
114269	Do.	500	holders, estate Bepro
114270	Do.	100	Doss Banerjee, de-
114271	Do.	1,000	ceased.

Names of the Proprietors—Satya Das Banerjee, Dharmadas Banerjee, Krishna Das Banerjee.

Residence—17, Gurpar Road, Calcutta.

The 2nd March 1909. (280-1-39)

In the matter of the Behar Machine Works Co., Ltd.

(IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the Company will be held on Sunday, the 18th April 1909, at 4 P.M., at Bankipore, at the house of Mr. Nujmul Huda, Barrister-at-law, when the liquidation Report declaring the winding up of the Company will be laid before the meeting.

All share-holders are requested to attend.

SYED ZAINUDDIN,
Liquidator.

Bankipore, the 22nd February 1909.

(246-1-80),

Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of a requisition of twelve qualified subscribers to the U. S. F. P. Fund (resident in England), a special meeting of the subscribers to the Fund will be held in the Town Hall on Saturday, the 12th June 1909, at 3 P.M. to consider the advisability of referring again to the general body of subscribers the revision and amendment of the proviso added to Rule 54 by Circular No. 1 of the 10th April 1907.

Under the above proviso every subscriber's share of surplus at the commencement of each year was restricted to an amount not exceeding his registered annual subscription, any surplus in excess of this limit being held over for addition to the surplus to be distributed in the following year, instead of being available for refund to the subscriber concerned in cash or for enhancement of the pension assured.

The requisitionists propose that the above proviso be repealed in view to a reversion to the practice of treating excess surplus as available for refund in cash or for enhancement of the pension assured.

Subscribers who cannot attend the above meeting have the right to vote by proxy; the votes to be valid should be stamped with a one-anna stamp and registered in this office not later than the 9th June 1909.

RIVERS HOWE, Secretary.

52-3, Park Street, Calcutta, the 18th February 1909.
(208-5)

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED.

From 1st September 1908 to 31st March 1909.

Name.	Post Box No.
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Abrecht & Co. ...	19
Arracan Co., Ltd. ...	28
Agelasto & Co., A. ...	37
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APPENDIX TO

The Calcutta Gazette.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

CALCUTTA, the 25th February 1909

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—ANXIOUS BAY.

Venus harbour—Obstruction to navigation removed.

No. 98 (*first publication*).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 65, dated the 28th January 1909, issued by this Office, the President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given further notice (No. 2 of 1909) that the Obstruction referred to has been removed.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 1061 and 1066.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—KANGAROO ISLAND, BACKSTAIRS PASSAGE.

Capes Willoughby and St. Albans—Lights.

No. 99 (*first publication*).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 3 of 2nd January 1909, issued by this Office, the President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given further notice (No. 3 of 14th January 1909) that in about Fourteen (14) days' time, a Red Light will be exhibited from the lower part of the Tower of the Cape Willoughby Lighthouse showing over the Scrapper Shoal from about south by west until shut in by the high land of Cape St. Albans, and that in all probability the Unwatched Light at Cape St. Albans will be changed to a fixed White Light showing from east south-east around by east to north until obscured by Cape Willoughby, but as to this a further notice will be issued.

This affects Admiralty Charts, Nos. 2389B, 1014, and 25.

AUSTRALIA—TORRES STRAIT.

Prince of Wales channel, Ipili reef—Beacon blown down.

No. 100 (first publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 1 of 1909) that the Beacon on Ipili Reef, Prince of Wales Channel, has been blown down. The beacon will be restored as soon as practicable.

Charts affected: Nos. 2354 and 691; *Australia Directory*, vol. 2.

INDIA, WEST—KATHIAWAR COAST.

Derelict reported.

No. 101 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay (No. 8 of 1909), are republished:—

<i>Subject</i>	...	A derelict of a native craft on the 7th February 1909, is reported in the following position:—
<i>Position</i>	...	Latitude 20° 25' N., Longitude 70° 52½' E.
<i>Charts affected.</i>	...	No. 2736, Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug.
		„ 826, Karachi to Vengurla.
<i>Publication</i>	...	West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 1898, page 258.
<i>Authority</i>	...	Master, S. S. "Bahaduri."

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—MORETON BAY.

North channel—Banks reported to be extending.

No. 102 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 151 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned banks in North channel, Moreton bay, are reported to be extending into the fairway.

Position.—Comboyuro point, lat. 27° 3½' S., long. 153° 21½' E.

- (a) East bank has extended to the westward to within a distance of about 100 feet from the line of Comboyuro point and Howard range lights.
- (b) The eastern Hixson bank has extended to the eastward to within a distance of about 200 feet from the leading line of the abovementioned lights.

Remarks.—A note to the above effect has been placed on the Charts.

Chart affected.—No. 1670a, Moreton bay.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, pages 128, 131, 133.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Pyramus*, Hydrographical Note, No. 6 of 1908.

PERSIAN GULF—ARABIAN COAST.

Kuweit approach—Breakers reported.

No. 103 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 152 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—Breakers are reported to exist in the approach to Kuweit, as undermentioned.

Position.—Lat. 28° 28' N., long. 48° 46' E.

Remarks.—These breakers were sighted from the S.S. *Kasimi*, and appeared to mark a reef which extended for a distance of about one cable in an east and west direction.

Charts affected.—No. 2837b, Persian gulf, western sheet.

„ 748b, Indian ocean, northern portion.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1908, page 112.

Authority.—Lloyds, 4th January 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Bassein river entrance—Positions of buoys altered.

No. 104 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 156 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The positions of the undermentioned buoys in the entrance to Bassein river have been altered, and are now as given below.

Position.—Pagoda point obelisk, lat $15^{\circ} 57\frac{1}{4}'$ N., long. $94^{\circ} 15'$ E.

(a) Orestes shoal buoy (black conical).

New position.—Moved about 3 cables, in a N. 42° W. direction and now situated at a distance of 2 miles and $9\frac{1}{2}$ cables, S. 55° E., from Pagoda point obelisk.

(b) Purian bank buoy (red conical).

New position.—Moved a distance of $10\frac{1}{2}$ cables in a N. 31° E. direction and now situated at a distance of $4\frac{1}{2}$ miles, S. 81° E., from Pagoda point obelisk.

Variation.— 1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 834, Bassein river and approaches.

„ 152, Preparis North channel.

„ 523, Korange island to White point.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 341; Revised Supplement, 1908.

Authority.—Royal Indian Marine Survey, 7th December 1908

Remarks.—This cancels this office Notice to Mariners No. 41 of 22nd January 1909.

NEW ZEALAND—STEWART ISLAND.

Port Pegasus, south arm—Rocks.

No. 105 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 161 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned rocks, which are marked by kelp, exist in the south arm of Port Pegasus.

Position.—Micrometer rock, lat. $47^{\circ} 13'$ S., long. $167^{\circ} 39\frac{3}{4}'$ E.

Bearing and distance from
Micrometer rock.

Depth.

(a) S. 73° W., $8\frac{2}{5}$ cables	... 2 fathoms.
(b) S. 63° W., 9 „	... $2\frac{1}{2}$ „
(c) N. 47° W., $2\frac{5}{16}$ „	... 2 „

Remarks.—Foul ground exists between (a) and the shore northward of it.

A patch of kelp exists, at a distance of $2\frac{1}{5}$ cables, S. 36° W., from Micrometer rock, which has not been examined.

Variation.— 18° E.

Chart affected.—No. 2542, Plan of Port Pegasus.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 285.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Pioneer*, Hydrographical Note No. 3 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Caution—Banchar road—Shoal.

No. 106 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 163 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal exists in Banchar road, north coast of Java.

Position.—Lat. $6^{\circ} 46' 20''$ S., long. $111^{\circ} 50' 00''$ E., on chart No. 1654.

Depth.— $2\frac{3}{4}$ fathoms.

Remarks.—This shoal is situated about one mile to the northward of the $4\frac{1}{2}$ -fathom sounding shown on the chart near this position.

Caution.—On a line joining Petokol and Aur Aur points, considerably less water is reported to exist than is shown on the chart.

Chart affected.—No. 1654, Island of Java, eastern portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 119.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 92 of 1909.

RED SEA.

Perim harbour—Mooring buoys established: Quarantine anchorage.

No. 107 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 164 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—Two mooring buoys, for the use of vessels carrying pilgrims, have been established in Shand bay, Perim harbour.

Position.—Pirie point lighthouse, lat. $12^{\circ} 38\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $43^{\circ} 24\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Bearing and distance
from Pirie point lighthouse.

Description.

(a) N. 83° E., 845 yards.

Mooring buoy No. 1.

(b) N. 68° E., 830 „

„ „ „ 2.

Quarantine anchorage.—Pilgrim vessels and other vessels when the Health Officer may consider it necessary, shall anchor in that portion of the harbour situated eastward of a line joining Lee and Murray points.

Variation.— 2° W.

Charts affected.—No. 923, Plan of Perim harbour.

„ 2592, Perim island.

Publication.—Red Sea Pilot, 1900, page 234; Supplement, 1904.

Authority.—Shipping Gazette, 2nd January 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, LUZON—ALBAY GULF.

Port Sulat—Light established.

No. 108 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 171 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established at the entrance to Port Sulat.

Position.—On Kabadea point, eastern side of entrance.

Lat. $13^{\circ} 13' 36''$ N., long. $123^{\circ} 52' 26''$ E., on chart No. 3368.

Character.—Fixed red lantern light.

Elevation.—53 feet.

Visibility.—7 miles.

Structure.—White post, 5 feet in height.

Charts affected.—No. 3368, Batan island to San Bernardino island.

„ 2577, San Bernardino strait to Mindoro strait.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 143.

Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 382; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 108 of 1908.

The 20th February 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL.—BURMA COAST.

Caution.—S. S. “Kapurthala”—Report of a submerged wreck.

No. 92 (second publication).

Particulars.—The Master of the S. S. “Kapurthala” reports having passed a floating submerged wreck with a small mast upright.

Position.—Lat. $21^{\circ} 07'$ N., long. $91^{\circ} 47'$ E.

Remarks.—Mariners are warned.

Charts affected.—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Burma, Telegram dated 19th February 1909.

RED SEA.—STRAITS OF BABEL MANDEB.

Perim island.—Instructions for night signalling.

*No. 93 (second publication).—*The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 115 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—The undermentioned instructions have been issued for the guidance of vessels wishing to signal at night to Perim island.

Position.—Lower signal station, lat. $12^{\circ} 39' N.$, long. $43^{\circ} 24' E.$

1. Vessels when wishing to signal at night to Perim island should pass through the Large strait, and signal to the Lower signal station, on the south-western side of the island.
2. Vessels outward bound wishing to communicate by night signal with this station should commence to attract the notice of the station before they get abeam of Balfe point light, in order to afford the station sufficient time to get ready to receive the signal.
3. If the signalling be made by flashing lamp, care should be taken to keep the lamp pointing direct to the station, and to screen all other lights near it whilst it is being used.
4. At night, the position of the Lower signal station will be marked by two red lights.

Charts affected.—No. 923, Perim harbour.

„ 2592, Perim island and Bab el Mandeb small strait.

„ 3180, Approaches to Straits of Bab el Mandeb.

„ 8e, Red Sea, Sheet V.

Publications.—List of Lights, 1908, Part V, page 305 ; Part VI., page 29.

Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 233.

Authority.—Lloyd's, 6th January, 1909.

CHINA SEA.—TONG KING GULF.

Norway islands—Rocks.

*No. 94 (second publication).—*The following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the British Admiralty (No. 116 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—The undermentioned rocks exist in the vicinity of the Norway islands, Tong king gulf.

Positions.—(1) Norway island lighthouse, lat. $20^{\circ} 37\frac{1}{2}' N.$, long. $107^{\circ} 8\frac{1}{4}' E.$

(2) Sam poni tsao, lat. $20^{\circ} 39\frac{1}{2}' N.$, long. $107^{\circ} 7\frac{1}{4}' E.$

Bearing and distance
from lighthouse.

Depth.

(a) N. $20^{\circ} W.$, $5\frac{1}{16}$ cables.

9 feet.

(b) S. $63^{\circ} E.$, $7\frac{1}{16}$ „

2 „

(c) S. $70^{\circ} E.$, $7\frac{1}{16}$ „

2 „

Bearing and distance
from Sam poni tsao.

Depth.

(d) N. $11^{\circ} W.$, $\frac{1}{2}$ cable.

10 feet.

(e) S. $47^{\circ} E.$, $1\frac{1}{16}$ cables.

12 „

(f) S. $76^{\circ} W.$, $3\frac{1}{16}$ „

2 „

Variation.— $1^{\circ} E.$

Charts affected.—No. 1169, Approaches to Port Courbet.

„ 1965, Kua Lakh to Kao Tao shan islands.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, Vol. II, 1906, page 468.

Authority.—Paris Notice No. 2160 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—KYAU CHIAU BAY ENTRANCE.

Dangerous rock—Beacon established.

*No. 95 (second publication).—*The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 122 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A beacon of the undermentioned description has been erected on Dangerous rock, Kyau chau bay entrance.

Position.—Situated at a distance of $3\frac{1}{16}$ miles, S. $30^{\circ} E.$, from Yu nui san lighthouse.

Lat. $35^{\circ} 59\frac{1}{2}' N.$, long. $120^{\circ} 19\frac{1}{4}' E.$

Description.—Masonry beacon, painted in black and white horizontal bands, surmounted by a cage, the whole structure about 30 feet in height.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 857, Kyau chau bay.

„ 1255, Kyau chau bay to Lai chau bay.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1904, pages 527, 532.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Alacrity*, Remark Book, 1908.

AFRICA, EAST COAST.

Kilimán river entrance—Light established.

No. 96 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the British Admiralty (No. 132 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established at the entrance to the Kilimán river.

Position.—On western shore of river entrance, at a distance of 5½ miles, S. 52° W., from Tangalane point lighthouse.

Lat. 18° 5½' S., long. 36° 54½' E.

Character.—Fixed white.

Elevation.—103 feet.

Visibility.—12 miles.

Structure.—Red pyramidal tower with white cupola, 78 feet in height from base to centre of lantern.

Remarks.—On the date of exhibition of the above light, Tangalane point light was temporarily discontinued.

Note.—“Position approximate” has been placed against this light on the chart.

Variation.—13° W.

Charts affected.—No. 650, Plan of Kilimán river.

„ 1577, The lower Zambezi and Shiré rivers.

„ 1810, River Zambezi to Mozambique harbour.

„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.

„ 748a, Indian ocean, southern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 9; No. 47.

Africa Pilot, Part III, 1905, page 274; Supplement, 1908.

Authority.—H.M. Consul, Lorenzo Marques, 18th December 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH-EAST—VICTORIA.

Geelong outer harbour—Non-existence of beacons.

No. 97 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 147 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The beacons recently placed on the chart in the undermentioned positions on the southern shore of Geelong outer harbour, do not exist and should be expunged.

Positions:

1. Situated with Point Wilson bearing N. 1° W., distant 4½ miles, and Point Henry pier head N. 62° W.

Point Wilson, lat. 38° 5½' S., long. 144° 30½' E.

2. Leading beacons:

(a) Front beacon, situated with the above-mentioned beacon (1) bearing S. 80° W., distant 10 cables, and Point Wilson N. 14° W.

(b) Rear beacon, situated at a distance of 2½ cables, S. 53° E., from the front beacon.

3. Situated on Point Henry, at a distance of 3½ cables, S. 20° W., from No. 4 beacon, Hopetoun channel.

Variation.—8° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2731, Geelong harbour.

„ 1171b, Port Phillip.

Publications.—Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, pages 465 and 484.

Notice to Mariners No. 1152 of 1908. (*This office No. 346 of 21st August 1908.*)

Authority.—Board of Trade, 11th January 1909.

A. E. HAROLD, LIEUT., R.I.M.,
for Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 15th February 1909.

INDIA, WEST—SIND COAST.

Karachi, Manora light—Exhibition of.

No. 80 (third publication).—

Subject.—The new flashing light on Manora Point will be exhibited from the 12th February 1909.

Position.—Lat. $24^{\circ} 47\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $66^{\circ} 58\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Character.—White flashing every seven and a-half seconds, thus :—

Flash.

Eclipse.

$\frac{3}{16}$ sec.

$7\frac{2}{16}$ secs.

Elevation.—149 feet.

Visibility.—18 miles.

Power.—1,100,000 candles.

Structure.—Tower, 124 feet from base to vane.

Charts affected.—No. 40, Karachi harbour.

„ 41, Monze cape to Kediwari mouth.

„ 42, Sind and Kutch coast.

„ 826, Karachi to Vengurla.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 198.

West coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 303.

This office Notices to Mariners Nos. 317 and 413 of 1908 and No. 77 of 1909.

Authority.—Port Officer, Kimari, telegram dated 10th February 1909.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—GULF OF ST. VINCENT—PORT ADELAIDE RIVER.

Caution—Luff Point—Dredging in progress.

No. 81 (third publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 1 of 1909), that Dredgers are now working near Luff Point, and special care should be exercised whilst passing them.

At night the Dredgers will be moored on the opposite or western side of the river, showing the usual lights.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 1750, 1752, and 2389B.

AFRICA, EAST COAST—DELAGOA BAY ENTRANCE.

Cape Inyack light—Red sector established.

No. 82 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 77 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—On or about the 1st January 1909, the fixed and flashing light exhibited from Cape Inyack lighthouse will show red over the Danae reef, as undermentioned.

Position.—Lat. $25^{\circ} 53\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $32^{\circ} 59\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Limits of sector.—Between the bearings of S. 52° W. and S. 64° W.

Variation.— 20° W.

Charts affected.—No. 644, Delagoa bay.

„ 2039, Tugela river to Delagoa bay.

„ 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 35.

Africa Pilot, Part III, 1905, page 190.

Authority.—Lisbon Notice No. 25 of 1908.

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND—HAURAKI GULF APPROACH.

Cuvier island—Fog-signal established.

No. 83 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 82 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—On or about the 1st January 1909, a fog-signal would be established on Cuvier island, situated in the eastern approach to Hauraki gulf.

Position.—Near the lighthouse.

Lat. $36^{\circ} 26\frac{3}{4}'$ S., long. $175^{\circ} 47\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Description of Fog-signal.—Cotton-powder explosive, giving one report every five minutes.

Charts affected.—No. 3565, Bream head to Tepaki point.

„ 2543, Tutukaka harbour to Mayor island.

„ 1212, New Zealand.

„ 780, Pacific, south-west sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 1596.

New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 99.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 90 of 1908.

KOREA, EAST COAST.

Cape Duroch—Fog-signal re-established.

No. 84 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 89 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—The fog-signal at Cape Duroch lighthouse is again in working order.

Position.—Lat. $38^{\circ} 42'$ N., long. $128^{\circ} 23'$ E.

Description of Fog-signal.—Fog siren giving one blast of four seconds' duration every minute.

Charts affected.—No. 1316, Cape Duroch to Linden point.

„ 2347, Nipon, Kiusiu, &c.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 935.

Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 133.

Notice to Mariners No. 1887 of 1908. (*This office No. 527 of 23rd December 1908.*)

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1281 of 1908.

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA).

Shimonoseki kaikyo—Wreck in eastern approach.

No. 85 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 94 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A wreck lies sunk in the eastern approach to Shimonoseki strait.

Position.—Situated about $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles to the south eastward of He saki lighthouse.

Lat. $33^{\circ} 56'$ N., long. $131^{\circ} 31'$ E.

Description of Wreck.—Sailing vessel with mast showing above water.

Caution.—The wreck is dangerous to navigation, as it lies in the track of vessels bound to and from the strait.

Remarks.—“Position approximate” has been placed against this wreck on the charts.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3225, Shimonoseki kaikyo to Maruyama zaki.
 „ 2875, Naikai.

Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 497.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1282 of 1908.

JAPAN, WEST COAST.

Shimonoseki kaikyo—Wreck in western approach removed.

No. 86 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 95 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The wreck of a steamship, sunk in the western approach to Shimonoseki strait, has been removed, and the light-buoy marking its position has been withdrawn.

Position.—Situated at a distance of $4\frac{1}{16}$ cables, S. 59° E. from the summit of Wakura jima.

Lat. 33° 57½' N., long. 130° 51½' E.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1578, Shimonoseki kaikyo.

„ 532, Approach to Shimonoseki kaikyo.

„ 127, Hirado kaikyo to Shimonoseki kaikyo.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 514.

Notice to Mariners, Nos. 94 and 328 of 1906. (*This office Nos. 78 and 156 of 1906*).

Authority.—Tokyo Department of Communications, Notice No. 1299 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Caution—Wusung river entrance—Leading line altered.

No. 87 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 96 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The line of the leading lights for crossing the outer bar of the Wusung river has been altered, and is now as undermentioned.

Position.—Leading lights, lat. 31° 23½' N., long. 121° 30' E.

Amended leading line.—The lights in line, bearing S. 73° W., lead midway between the Spit buoy and the light-vessel.

Caution.—Owing to the silting up of the outer bar near Fort buoy, vessels of heavy draught must not keep to the southward of the leading line when in this vicinity.

The spit southward of Spit buoy is reported to be extending, and should be given a wide berth.

Variation.—3° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1601, Wusung river, with plan.

„ 3585, Approaches to the Wusung river.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, Nos. 818, 819.

China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1904, pages 412, 413.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Flora* Hydrographical Note No. 1 of 1908.

CHINA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Hongkong harbour—Mooring buoy established.

No. 88 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 99 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A buoy of the undermentioned character has been established in Hongkong harbour.

Position.—Situated with the 183-foot chimney at the Electric Power station, bearing S. 21° E, distant 2 cables and 60 yards, and the cupola of Queen's buildings, S. 60° W.

Lat. 22° 17' N., long. 114° 02½' E.

Description.—Mooring buoy No. 5A.

Remarks.—The flagstaff formerly situated in the Royal Naval Yard to the south-eastward of the Electric Power station has been removed, and a new flagstaff has been erected near the Boat slip, at a distance of 245 feet, N. 57° E., from the 183-foot chimney.

Variation.—Nil.

Charts affected.—No. 1459, Hongkong harbour.

„ 3280, Hongkong waters, west.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1904, page 71.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Tamar* Hydrographical Note, No. 5 of 1908.

AFRICA, EAST COAST—SOMALILAND.

Athelet (Itala)—Beacons erected.

No. 89 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 102 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—Three beacons have been erected near Athelet (Itala), Somaliland.

Position.—Garesa flagstaff, Athelet, lat. 2° 45½' N., long. 46° 18½' E.

Bearing and distance from Garesa flagstaff.	Description of beacon.
(a) N. 23° E., 18½ cables.	Rectangular, with cross bars on the upper part.
(b) S. 35° W., 28½ cables.	Pyramid.
(c) N. 17° W., 3½ cables.	Mast with red flag.

Remarks.—The last-named beacon stands on a hill, known as Bur el Harion, and is very conspicuous; the mast will be replaced later on by a pyramidal beacon. Beacon (b) is situated on Ras Malable.

Note.—“Approximate” has been placed against the positions of these beacons on the chart.

Variation.—3° W.

Charts affected.—No. 671, plan of Athelet anchorages

„ 597, Delagoa bay to cape Guardafui.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1905, page 523.

Authority.—Genoa Notice No. 269 (432) of 1908.

RED SEA—EASTERN SHORE.

Jidda approach—Buoys disappeared.

No. 90 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 104 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The buoys shown on the chart between the Inner Gateway and Jidda inner anchorage have disappeared.

Position.—Inner Gateway, lat. 21° 28' N., long. 39° 10½' E.

Chart affected.—No. 2599 Jidda, with plan.

Publication.—Red Sea Pilot, 1900, pages 275-278; Supplement 1904.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Crescent*, Remark Book, 1908.

CEYLON, WEST COAST.

Colombo harbour buoy—Further details of.

No. 91 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 66, dated the 28th January 1909, issued by this office, the Master Attendant, Colombo, has given further notice, dated 30th idem, that the buoy to be placed on the head of Breakwater Extension Works now in progress on February 15 will be a bell buoy 8 feet above water level and 10 feet in diameter, painted in black and white chequers. This buoy will be retained in position all the year round.

A large notice cautioning vessels to pass to the North of this buoy will be fixed in position on the same date on the outer end of the South-West Breakwater.

The two red leading lights shown on the latest Admiralty Chart, Colombo Harbour, No. 914, on the Eastern shore which when in line appear to lead through the South entrance on a bearing S. 57° E. are discontinued from the same date.

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APPENDIX TO

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THIRD QUARTER.

BENGAL LIBRARY CATALOGUE OF BOOKS

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<p align="center">UNI-LINGUAL BOOKS.</p> <p align="center">ARABIC—LANGUAGE.</p> <p><i>Educational—</i></p>					
1	<p>نصاب عربى برائے امتحان مٹرکولیشن سنہ ۱۹۱۰ و ۱۹۱۱ء</p> <p>[Nisab-i-Arabi barai Imtahan-i-Matriculation, San, 1910 wa 1911. Arabic Course for the Matriculation Examination, 1910-1911, of the Calcutta University.] Compiled by Shams-ul-ulamā Maulavi Ahmad and Shams-ul-ulamā Mirzā Ashraf Ali. Pages 86. Published by the Calcutta University, College Street, Calcutta, 1908. [19th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, not mentioned.</p>	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	500	1912
<p align="center">ASSAMESE—LANGUAGE.</p> <p><i>Educational—</i></p>					
28	<p>Kamal Chandra Deka Gosain—অসমীয়া ভাষাৰ ল'ৰা-শিক্ষা প্ৰণালীৰ অৰ্থ পুথি। [Asamiyā Bhāshār Larā sikhśā Selachhovār Artha Puthi. A meaning book of Larāsikhśā (Instruction for children) last part.] Pages 23. Published by the Manager, Dhramapustak & Co., Jorhāt, Assam. [17th July 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 1 anna and 6 pies.</p> <p>[1st edition not received.]</p>	Abdul Latiph, 6, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1339	The author.
29	<p>Pramod Chandra Badathakur.—অৰ্ধ-কিতাপ। [Ka Kha Kitāp. Book of the Alphabet. An Assamese alphabet book.] Pages 12. Published by the author, Dibrugad, Assam. 1908. [17th July 1908.] 12°. 6th edition. Illustrated</p> <p align="center">Price, 6 pies.</p> <p>[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 32 at page 2 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1904.]</p>	Ditto	...	2,000	1342 Ditto.
30	<p>Sradha Charan Chaudhuri—অৰ্ধ-কিতাপ। অগ্নি ছোৱা। [Akharā Chināki. Acquaintance with the Alphabet. Part I "An Assamese First Book of Reading." Page 26. Published by the author, Kāmrup, Assam 1916 Sāl or 1908 09 A.D.. [20th August 1908.] 12°. 7th edition. Illustrated.</p> <p align="center">Price, 1 anna.</p> <p>[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 33 at page 2 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1905.]</p>	Ditto	...	1,000	1347 The author, Gauhati, Assam.
<p align="center">ASSAMESE—MEDICINE.</p>					
31	<p>Gangaram Das—বৈদ্য অমর বা অসমীয়া দৰবৰ পুথি। তৃতীয় গজালি। [Vaidya Amar Vā Asamiyā Darabara Puthi. Tritiya Gajālī. Physician immortal or A book of (indigenous) medicines in Assamese. Part III.] Pages 44. Published by the author, Kāmrup, Nalbāri, Assam. [6th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition (N).</p> <p align="center">Price, 6 annas.</p>	Tinkadi Chakravarti, 66, Nimu Goswami's Lane, Calcutta	1,000	1662	The author, Nalbāri, Assam.

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	ASSAMESE—MISCELLANEOUS.				
32	সৰ্বব্যাদি বিঘ্ননাশক বেজালী বায়মন্ত্ৰ পুথি। প্রথম ভাগ। [Sarvavyadhi Vighnanasak Bejali Ramamantra Puthi. Prathama Bhag.—A book of medicine containing Kāmamantra (an incantation) which destroys troubles from all sorts of diseases. A book of incantations to cure diseases.] Edited by Barua and Badathākūr Agency Co. Pages 9. Published by the editor, Pīrākātā, Jorhāt, Assam. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09 A.D. [17th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Abdul Latiph, 6, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1310	The editor, Assam.
33	Sivanath Bhattacharyya.—ওঁ ভোট গুৰুতি বা তিখালা কৰতি। [Om Bhotā Gukarati Vā Tikhāla Karati. Counteracting incantations or sharp or efficacious incantations. A book of incantations in Assamese.] Pages 11. Published by Sivanāth Bhattachāryya, Jorhāt, Dibrugad, Assam. [20th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Sen & Co., 61, Mirzapur Street, Calcutta.	1,030	1551	The publisher, Dibrugad, Assam.
	ASSAMESE—POETRY.				
	<i>Educational—</i>				
34	Pramod Chandra Barathakur.—কবিতা-কুসুম। [Kavitā-Kusum. Flower of Poetry. A collection of moral and other verses intended for children.] Pages 2, 34. Published by the author, Debrugarh, Assam. 1903. [26th September 1908.] 16°. 9th edition. <i>Illustrated.</i> Price, 2 annas and 6 pies. [8th edition noticed in entry No. 71 at page 3 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1907.]	Abdul Latiph, 6, College Square, Calcutta.	3,000	1940	The author, Debrugarh, Assam.
	ASSAMESE—RELIGION.				
35	অগ্নিপুৰাণ। [Agni Purāna. Name of a Purāna] Pages 40. Published by Dharma Pustak & Co., Chinamārā, Assam. 1908. [26th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Abdul Latiph, 6, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1422	.....
36	Charu Chandra Sarma Thakur.—ঈবৎস চিন্তার বনবাস। [Śrīvatsa Chintāra Vanavās. Exile of Śrīvatsa and Chintā. Two names. A mythological story in verse.] Pages 70. Published by the author, Sinlījān, Assam. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [1st July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Amritālāl Ghosh, 4, Williams' Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1277	The author, Sinlījān, Assam.
37	ঈশ্বর প্রেম। [Isvarara Prem. Love of God. A Christian pamphlet.] Edited by S. H. Moore. Pages 8. Published by the editor, Nowgong, Assam. [6th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C). Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	10,000	1275	.....
38	কথা ঘোষা। [Katha Ghosha. Chanting of religious stories. Mythological stories in Assamese.] Edited by Tīrtha Nāth Gosvāmī. Pages 63. Published by the editor, Assam. 1229 Sak or 1907-08. A.D. [26th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas.	Abdul Latiph, 6, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1421	The editor, Assam.

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	ASSAMESE—RELIGION—concl'd.				
39	Ramakanta Sarma. —মণিচন্দ্ৰ ঘোষ বা পুষ্পাহৰণ। [Mani Chandra Ghosh Vá Pushpaharan. Mani Chandra Ghosh. (A name) or stealing of a flower. A mythological story from the Van Parva of the Mahábhárata.] Pages 288. Published by the author, Palásbári, Assam. 1815 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [24th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Pánehugopál Ás, 2, Goábgán Street, Calcutta,	500	1611	The author, Palásbári, Assam.
40	Revananda Sarma Badthakur. —অসমীয়া কাৰ্ত্তব্যীয়াৰ্জ্জুন বধ। [Asamiyá Kárttaviryárjjun Badh. Slaying of Kárttaviryárjjun in Assamese. A mythological story from the Mahábhárata.] Pages 98. Published by the author, Assam. 1829 sak or 1907-08. A.D. [17th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Abdul Latiph, 6, Coliege Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1941	The Author, Assam.
41	সৰল ন কান্ধোবা সংগ্ৰহ। Saral na kankhova Sangraha An Easy New Collection of Verses about the Ear-eating Demon. Mythological poem and Hymns.] Pages 24. Published by the Dharma Pustak & Co., Chinamará, Jorhát, Assam. [17th July 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition. Price, 2 annas. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 23 at page 2 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1904.]	Ditto	...	1,000	1: 38
42	Vishnuram Das. —আপদোদ্ধাৰ। [Apadoddhár. Deliverance from danger. A book of Hymns in Assamese.] Pages 10. Published by Uttama Chandra Dás. Kamrup, Assam. [30th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Sen & Co., 61, Mirzapur Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1550	The author, Kámrup, Assam.
43	যীশু খ্ৰীষ্টৰ জীবনচৰিত্ৰ। দ্বিতীয় ভাগ। [Yisu Khrishtara Jivancharitra. Dvitiyabhag. The life of Jesus Christ. Part II.] Translated by the teachers of the Jorhat Training School Assam. Pages 56. Published by the American Missionary Union, Jorhat, Assam. 1908. [11th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) (T.) Price, not menticted. [Part I noticed in entry No. 19 at page 4 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1908.]	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	2,000	1486	.....
44	Part III. Pages 56. 1908. [22nd September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) (T) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	2,000	1914
	ASSAMESE—SCIENCE (MATHEMATICAL).				
	<i>Educational—</i>				
45	Barua, D. N. —উজু ধাৰাপত্ৰ। [Uju Dhárápát. Easy Arithmetical Tables.] Pages 54. Published by the author, Nowgong, Assam. 1814 Sál or 1907-08. A.D. [6th July 1908.] 12°. 12th edition. Price, 1 anna and 6 pies. [Previous edition not received.]	J. N. Basu, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1388	The author, Nowgong, Assam.
	BENGALI—ART.				
45	Brajendra Kumar Guha. —চিত্ৰবিদ্যা-শিক্ষা। ১ম ভাগ। [Chitravidyá-Sikshá. 1ma Bhág. "Teachers' Drawing." Part I.] Pages 204. Published by B. L. Chakravarti, 8, Dixon's Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [28th August 1908.] 8°. Printed and Litho. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Rs. 2.	B. L. Chakravarti, 8, Dixon's Lane, Calcutta.	500	1758	The author, Wari, Dacca.

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	BENGALI ART—concl'd.				
426	Brajendra Kumar Guha —চিত্রবিদ্যা-শিক্ষা। ২য় ভাগ। [Chitra Vidya Sikshá. 2ya Bhág. "Teachers' Drawing." Part II. Pages 116. Published by B. L. Chakravarti, 8, Dixon's Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [28th August 1908.] 8". Printed and Litho 1st edition. Illustrated.	B. L. Chakravarti, 8, Dixon's Lane, Calcutta.	500	1759	The author, Wari, Dacca.
	Price, Rs. 2.				
427	শিল্প রত্নাবলী। প্রথম খণ্ড। [Silpa Ratnavali. Prathama Khanda.—Gems of Art. Part I. A short treatise giving briefly the method of preparation of various substances, such as soap, oil, scents and various other things.] Pages 4, 2, 7, 65. Published by Manomohan Dás and Amúlya Ratan Pál, Victoria Road, Sántipur. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [20th August 1908.] 12". 1st edition.	Indu Bhúshan Mukherji, 91-1, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1679	The publishers, Victoria Road, Sántipur.
	Price, 8 annas.				
	<i>Educational—</i>				
428	Brajendra Kumar Guha. —চিত্রাঙ্কন পুস্তক। প্রথম খণ্ড। [Chitránkan Pustak. Prathama khanda. A Manual of Drawing. Part I.] Pages 30. Published by B. L. Chakravarti, 8, Dixon's Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [28th August 1908.] 8". Litho. 1st edition. Illustrated.	B. L. Chakravarti, 8, Dixon's Lane, Calcutta.	500	1760	The author, Wari, Dacca.
	Price, 4 annas.				
429	———. Part 2. Pages 32. 1908. [28th August 1908.] 8". Litho. 1st edition. Illustrated.	Ditto	500	1761	Ditto.
	Price, 6 annas.				
430	———. Part 3. Pages 32. 1908. [28th August 1908.] 8". Litho. 1st edition. Illustrated.	Ditto	500	1762	Ditto.
	Price, 6 annas.				
431	———. Part 4. Pages 34. 1908. [28th August 1908.] 8". Litho. 1st edition. Illustrated.	Ditto	500	1763	Ditto.
	Price, 6 annas.				
432	———. Part 5. Pages 34. 1908. [28th August 1908.] 8". Litho. 1st edition. Illustrated.	Ditto	500	1764	Ditto.
	Price, 6 annas.				
433	———. Part 6. Pages 48. 1908. [28th August 1908.] 8". Litho. 1st edition. Illustrated.	Ditto	500	1765	Ditto.
	Price, 6 annas.				
434	ড্রইংবুক। প্রথম ভাগ। [Drawn Buk. Prathama Bhag.—Drawing Book. Part I.] Pages 38. Published by Rajaní Kánta Dhar, 38, Garáuhattá Street, Calcutta. 10th Ashár 1315 Sál or 24th June 1908. [2nd August 1908.] 16". 1st edition. Illustrated.	Ek Kadí Pál, 40, Nayan Chánd Datta's Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1605	.....
	Price, Re. 1.				
435	Jay Chandra Mahalanavis. —চিত্র শিক্ষা। [দ্বিতীয় সোপান।] [Chitra Sikshá. Dvitiya Sopán. Instruction in Drawing. Second step. A Manual of Drawing intended for children.] Pages 59. Published by Bhattacháryya & Sons, 65, College Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [23rd August 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Illustrated.	Sányál & Co., 25, Ráy Bágán Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1834	The author, Dacca.
	Price, 8 annas.				
	[1st step noticed in entry No. 403 at page 4 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1907.]				

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	BENGALI BIOGRAPHY.				
436	বালগঙ্গাধর তিলক । Bal Gangadhar Tilak.—(A name.) A short life of Bál Gangádhār Tilak of Bombay] Pages 35. Published by Nítái Chánd Mukherji, Chinsura. Ávin 1315 sál or September-October 1908. [17th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Dina Nāth Mukherji, Diamond Press, Chinsura.	500	9	The publisher, Chinsura.
437	দয়ানন্দের স্মরণিত জীবন বৃত্ত । [Dayanander Svarachita Jivan Vritta. Life of Dayánanda written by himself. An autobiography of Dayananda Svarasvati, a social and religious reformer of the Punjab and founder of the Arya Samáj.] Pages 24, 48. Published by Sisir Kumár Ghoshál. Vangánda 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [2nd July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 4 annas.	Sarvesvar Bhattá chárýya, 28, Baitak-khána Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1415	Devendra Nāth Mukherji.
438	Hamed Ali.—মোহসেন চরিত । [Mohasen Charita. Life of Mohsin. (A name.) A short life of Haji Ali Muhammad Mohsin, the celebrated philanthropist of Bengal.] Pages 4, 3, 1, 64. Published by Mahammad Jámáluddín Tálukdár, New School Book Library, Bogra. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [14th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Messrs. Mukherji & Chatterji, 76, Balarám De's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1523	The author, New School Book Library, Bogra.
439	Kali Prasanna Vidyaratna —কলীচৈতন্য চরিত । [Sri Sri Chaitanya Charita. Life of Chaitanya. (A name.) A short life of Chaitanya, the founder of Vaishnavism.] Pages 1, 127. Published by S. Dás, Ultádingi Main Road, Calcutta. Chaitanyánda 423 or 1908. [15th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Sarat Chandra Dás, 38-1, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1818	The publisher. Ultádingi Main Road, Calcutta.
440	—কলীকৃষ্ণ চরিত । [Sri Sri Krishna Charit. Life of Sri Krishna. A short life of Sri Krishna.] Pages 190. Published by S. Dás, Ultádingi Main Road, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [8th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Ditto	1,000	1819	Ditto.
441	Kali Prasanna Das Gupta and Dakshina Ranjan Mitra Majumdar.—আর্যনারী । প্রথম ভাগ । [Arya Nári. Prathama Bhág. Aryan women. Part I. Very brief lives of some celebrated Aryan women of ancient times.] Pages 178. Published by Bhattáchárýya and Sons, 65, College Street, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09, A.D. [7th September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Trailokya Nāth Haldár, 36, Banamáli Sarkár's Street, Calcutta.	1,025	1801	.....
442	মহার্ষি দেবেন্দ্র নাথ । Maharshi Devendra Nath.—(A name.) A short life of Devendra Nāth Tagore who was called 'Maharshi' on account of his saintly life] Pages 2, 77. Published by Yogendra Nath Sarkár, 64, College Street, Calcutta. Ashádh, 1315 sál or June-July 1908. [10th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 5 annas.	J. N. Basu, Wilkin's Press, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1578	The publisher, 64, College Square, Calcutta.

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	BENGALI—BIOGRAPHY—concl'd.				
443	Mathura Nath Nath. —কৃষ্ণচন্দ্র ন্যাথ। [Krishnachandra Pál. (A name.) A short life of Krishna Chandra Pál, the first convert and the first Evangelist in Bengal.] Pages 20. Published by the Baptist Mission Press, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. 2nd June 1908. [10th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 1 anna.	C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	1,500	1487
444	Prakash Chandra Ray —অঘোর প্রকাশ। [Aghor-Prakás. Life of Aghor. (A name). Life of one Aghor Káminí Ráy, a pious and philanthropic lady and wife of the author.] Pages 2, 2, 32, 102, 72. Published by the author, 211, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta 1907. [30th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1.	Kárttik Chandra Datta, 211, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	500	1617	.....
445	Pyari Sankar Das Gupta. —আমার প্রবন্ধাবলী। প্রথম খণ্ড। রত্নাকর। [Amár Granthávalí. Prathama Khanda. Ratnákara. My works. Part I Ratnákara (Name of the robber who afterwards became the sage Válmikí.) A study.] Pages 46. Published by Bhútnáth Pálit, 210-5, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [18th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Bhútnáth Pálit, 210-5, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1814	The author, Bogra.
446	রামমোহন রায়। Ram Mohan Ray.—(A name.) A short life of Rájá Ram Mohan Ráy, the religious, social and political reformer of Bengal.] Pages 1, 92. Published by Yogendra Nath Sarkár, 64, College Street, Calcutta. Vaisákh 1316 sál or April-May 1908. [8th September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 5 annas.	Abinás Chandra Mandal, 13, Sivanáráyan Dás's Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1868	Ditto.
447	Satya Charan Sastri. —মহারাজ প্রতাপাদিত্য। [Maháraj Pratápáditya. The great king Pratápáditya. An account of the life and reign of Bhuiñya Pratápáditya of Jessore.] Pages 2, 215, 14, 290. Published by the author, Dakshinesvar. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [10th June 1908.] 12°. 3rd edition. Price, Re. 1. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 740 at page 2 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1904.]	S. C. Chakravarti, 17, Nanda Kumár Chaudhuri's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1234	The author, Dakshinesvar, 24-Parganas.
448	Vrahmananda Bharati. —সিদ্ধজীবনী। [Siddha-Jívaní. Lives of saints. Short lives of a few Hindu saints.] Pages 6, 1, 281. Published by Jámíni Mohan Gángulí, 6-2, Vindu Pálit's Lane, Calcutta. 1314 sál or 1907-08. A.D. [24th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Durgá Prasád Nandí 147, Váránasi Ghosh's Street, Calcutta.	500	1893	Vijay Chandra Sinha, 147 Bāránasi Ghosh's Street, Calcutta.
	BENGALI—DRAMA.				
449	Ahibhushan Bhattacharyya. —কংস বধ। [Kansa Badha. Slaying of Kansa. (Name of a demon.) A mythological drama.] Pages 170. Published by Guru Dás Chatterji, 201, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [21st September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Abinás Chandra Basu, 81, College Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1945	Haripada Chatterji, Kalyánpur, Howrah.

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	BENGALI DRAMA—continued.				
450	Atul Krishna Mitra.—আতুল-কৃষ্ণমিত্র। [Hindá-Háphej (Two names.) A lyrical drama.] Pages 1, 103. Published by Guru Dás Chatterji, 201, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Karunámay Sarkár, 80, Beadon Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1646	The author, 6, Beadon Street, Calcutta.
451	তুফানি। [Tupháni. (A name). A farce adapted from Moliere's L'Etourdi.] Pages 80. Published by the United Bengal Library, 4, College Square, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [14th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Matí Lal Sinha, 78, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1306	The author.
452	Dhana Krishna Sen.—উষাতারা বা জটিল। [Umatára Vá Jatil. (Two names.) A mythological drama.] Pages 194. Published by Bhattácháryya & Sons, 65, College Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [24th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Abinás Chandra Basu, 81, College Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1511	Devondra Náth Bhattácháryya, Svarnagrám Dacca.
453	Haripada Chatterji.—রণজিতের জীবন যজ্ঞ। [Ranajiter Jívana Yajna. Sacrifice of Life by Ranajit. An historical drama relating to the capture of the Fort of Bharatpur by Lord Lake.] Pages 324. Published by Bhattácháryya & Sons, 65, College Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [12th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8.	Ditto ...	1,000	1512	The author, Howrah.
454	Kali Kinkar Yas.—কালকঙ্কর-যস গীতাভিনয়। [Yayadratha-Vadha Gítábhinay. An opera about the Killing of Yayadratha. (A name.) A mythological drama.] Pages 151. Published by Nader Chánd Síl, 105, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [15th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-4.	Nanda Lál Síl, 25-3, Tárak Chatterji's Lane, Calcutta.	2,500	1733	The author, Bantir.
455	Kamakhya Prasad Sen.—স্বপ্ন মিলন গীতিকা। [Svapna Milan Gíti Nátya. A Melodrama on the Union in dream. A love story.] Pages 73. Published by Manindra Mohan Sen Gupta, Bagdibádí, Assam. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [7th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Sen & Co., 61, Mirzapur Street, Calcutta.	250	1552	The author, Bagribári, Dhubri, Assam.
456	Kshirod Prasad Vidyavinod.—অশোক। [Ashoka. (A name.) An historical drama relating to the Buddhist King Asoka.] Pages 164. Published by Guru Das Chatterji, 201, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. [25th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	J. N. Basu, Wilkin's Press, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1385	The author, 26, Hara Lál Mitra's Lane, Calcutta.
457	বরুণা। [Varuná. (A name.) A romantic drama.] Pages 127. Published by Guru Dás Chatterji, 201, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [10th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto ...	1,000	1386	Ditto.

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	BENGALI—DRAMA—concl'd.				
459	Kshirod Prasad Vidyavinod. —বাসন্তী। [Vásantī. (A name.) A Social drama.] Pages 48. Published by Gurn Dás Chatterji, 201, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [5th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	J. N. Basu, Wilkin's Press, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1384	The author, 28, Hara Lál Mitra's Lane, Calcutta.
459	Kunja Vihari Ganguli. —মাতৃপূজা বা স্বর্গোদ্ধার। [Mátri-Pájá Vá Svargoddhár. Worship of the Mother or Deliverance of Heaven. A mythological drama.] Pages 278. Published by Jyoti Prasád Gánguli, Ghoshál Chauk, Howrah. [15th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8.	N. C. Pál, 70, Báránasi Ghosh's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1358	The author, Howrah.
460	Mahendra Nath Talukdar. —উষা। [Ushá. (A name.) An historical drama.] Pages 207. Published by Púrna Chandra Dás, 61-62, Bowbázár Street, Calcutta. 1314 Sál or 1907-08. A.D. [18th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Púrna Chandra Dás, 61-62, Bowbázár Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1393	The author, Bogra.
461	Nani Lal Sur. —দেলরী। [Delerá. (A name.) Based on a love story.] Pages 142. Published by Gurn Dás Chatterji, 201, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1908. [4th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Jagabandhu Datta, 84, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta.	500	1515	The author, 16, Rám Chandra Maitra's Lane, Calcutta.
462	Panchanan Ray Chaudhuri. —বিজয়-বসন্ত গীতাভিনয়। [Vijay-Vasanta Gítábhinay. An opera about Vijay and Vasanta. (Two names) A mythological drama.] Pages 156. Published by Syám Lál Síl, 110, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [26th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8.	Kunja Vihari De, 18, Vrindávan Basák's Lane, Calcutta.	3,000	1621	The publisher, 110, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta.
463	Ravindra Nath Tagore. —শরদেরোৎসব। [Śáradotsava. Autumnal festival. A short drama intended to be acted by students.] Pages 167. Published by the Indian Publishing House, 37-1, Sukea's Street, Calcutta. [20th September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Hari Charan Mánná, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1884	Mani Lál Gángulí, 6, Dváraká Náth Tagore's Lane, Calcutta.
464	Saurindra Mohan Mukherji. —যত-কিনচিত। [Yat-Kinchit. A little bit. A satire on the higher education of girls.] Pages 96. Published by Vatuk Dev Mukherji, 15, Haris Chatterji's Street, Bhawanipur, Calcutta. [12th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto ...	1,000	1437	Ditto.
465	Vihari Lal Datta. —মজা-কি-সাজ। [Majá-Ki-Sájá. Merriment or punishment. A pantomime.] Pages 45. Published by the author, 115-4, Grey Street, Calcutta. [15th June 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 5 annas.	Púrna Chandra Mukherji, 115-4, Grey Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1316	The author.

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	BENGALI—FICTION.				
466	Akshay Kumar Banerji. —ঐক্য মহাশয়ের সংসার। (বিত্তের ভাগ। [Thákur Mahásayer Sansára. Dvitiya Bhág. The family of Thákur Mahásaya (A title). Part II. A collection of tales.] Pages 386. Published by the author, Sarsuná, Behálá, 24-Parganá. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [24th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition.	Mahendra Náth De, 63, Nimtalá Ghát Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1595	No. 35. The author, Rakshitpára Sarsuná Behálá, 24-Parganas, Reg. No. 47, dated 24-8-08.
	Price, Re. 1-2.				
467	Amvika Charan Gupta. —গোয়েন্দার গল্প। অং ১। [Goyendár Galpa. No. 1. The story of a detective. No. 1. A detective story.] Pages 24. Published by S. Visvá and Brothers, 4, Dihi Entalí Road, Calcutta. [17th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated.	Ek Kadi Pál, 40, Nayan Chánd Datta's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1604	.....
	Price, 2 annas.				
468	Bhuban Chandra Mukherji. —ভবের খেলা। [Bhaver Kholá. The world's play. A domestic story.] Pages 373. Published by Siva Sankar Brothers, 67, Nimu Gosvámí's Lane, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [1st September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition.	Mahendranáth De, 63, Nimtalá Ghát Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1668	.....
	Price, not mentioned.				
469	Chuni Lal Mitra. —রাজরাজেশ্বরী স্মরণত। [Ráj Rájesvarí Svarnalatá (A name). A social novel.] Pages 247. Published by Basák and Sons, 127, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta. [24th June 1908.] 12°. 4th edition.	Manmatha Nath Ghosh, 38, Sivanáráyan Dás's Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1362	The publisher, 127, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta.
	Price, Re. 1-4.				
	[3rd edition noticed in entry No. 945 at pages 8-9 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1901]				
470	Dines Chandra Sen —বেহুল। [Behulá (A name). A mythological story.] Pages 8, 138. Published by Devendra Náth Bhattácháryya, 65, College Street, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [16th September 1908.] 24°. 3rd edition. Illustrated.	Sányál & Co., 25, Ráybágún Street, Calcutta.	10,000	1846	The author, 20, Kántápur Lane, Calcutta.
	Price, 12 annas.				
	[2nd edition noticed in entry No. 612 at page 6 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1907.]				
471	দ্বাদশ বৎসরের কুন্তলীন পুরস্কার। [Dvadas Vatsarer Kuntalin Puraskar.—The Twelfth Year's Present for the hair-oil called Kuntalin. A collection of short domestic and other stories for the purpose of advertising the hair-oil named Kuntalin.] Pages 6, 166. Published by H. Bose, 61-62, Bowbázár Street, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [10th September 1908.] 24°. 1st edition.	Púrna Chandra Dás, 61, 62, Bowbázár Street, Calcutta.	5,500	1746	H. Basu, 5-6, Sivanáráyan Dás's Lane, Calcutta.
	Price, nil.				
472	Haran Chandra Rakshit. —কামিনী ও কাকন। [Káminí O Kánchan. Woman and Wealth. A social novel intended to illustrate the religious teachings of Rámkrishna Paramhansa.] Pages 2, 347. Published by Kesav Chandra Rakshit Majilpur, 24-Parganas. Srávan, 1315 sál or July-August 1908., [6th August 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition.	S. C. Chakravarti, 17, Nunda Kumár Chaudhuri's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	1,100	1660	The author, Majilpur, 24-Parganas.
	Price, Re. 1.				
	[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 41 at page 7 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1907.]				
473	Harihar Seth. —অভিশাপ। [Abhisáp. Curse. A social novel.] Pages 2, 286. Published by Gurudás Chátterji, 201, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [28th September 1908.] 1st edition.	Prasád Dás Chakravarti, 374, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1964	The author, Chinsura.
	Price, Re. 1.				

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	BENGALI—FICTION.—continued.				
474	Hemendra Prasad Ghosh. —নাগপাশ। [Nágpás. A magical noose in the form of a serpent. A social novel.] Pages 294. Published by Upendra Náth Mukherji, 115-4, Grey Street, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [16th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8.	J. N. Basu, Wilkin's Machine Press, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1888	The author, 106-2, Syám-bázár Street, Calcutta.
475	Kisori Mohan Bagchi. —অদ্ভুত-হত্যাকাণ্ড। [Adbhút-Hatyákánda. Wonderful Murder. A detective story.] Pages 306. Published by P. M. Bághi & Co., 38-1, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [12th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1.	Sarat Chandra Dás, 38-1, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1822	The publishers, Calcutta.
476	Lalit Kumar Sinha. —প্রমীলা বা দস্যুনন্দিনী। [Pramílá Vá Dasyu-Nandíní. Pramílá (A name) or the Daughter of a Dacoit. A detective story.] Pages 130. Published by Basák and Sons, 127, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta. [22nd August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Dinanath Mánná, 127, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1806	Vaishnav Charan Basák, 127, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta.
477	Manindra Nath Basu. —শোনিত-তর্পণ। [Sonit Tarpan. Offering of blood to the manes. A detective story.] Pages 2, 317. Published by Pál Brothers & Co., 7, Siva Krishna Dán's Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [25th August 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1-8. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 736 at pages 8-9 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1900.]	N. C. Pál, 7, Siva-krishna Dán's Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1629	The author, Deoghar.
478	Nagendra Nath Sen Gupta (Kaviraj). —মধবী। [Mádhaví (A name). A detective story.] Pages 206. Published by the author, 18-1 and 19, Lower Chitpur Road, Calcutta. [10th September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Keval Rám Ghatteji, 17, Lower Chitpur Road, Calcutta.	12,000	1859	.....
479	Nava Kumar Datta. —অমরাবতী। [Amarávatí (A name). A romantic story.] Pages 249. Published by the author, 50-1, Kálí Prasád Datta's Street, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [30th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Panchánan Mitra, 50-1, Kálí Prasád Datta's Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1684	The author, 50-1, Kálí Prasád Datta's Street, Calcutta.
480	—মুরালী। [Muralá (A name). A romantic story.] Pages 132. Published by the author, 50-1, Kálí Prasád Datta's Street, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [1st September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto ...	2,000	1684	Ditto.
481	নিহিলিষ্ট রহস্য। [Nihilist Rahasya.—Mysteries of a nihilist. Story of a Russian Jew nihilist, purporting to be a translation of some European work.] Compiled by Dinendra Kumár Ráy. Pages 2, 218. Published by Upendra Nath Mukherji, 115-4, Grey Street, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [8th July 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. Price, Re. 1. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 538 at pages 4-5 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1904.]	P. C. Mukherji, 115-4, Grey Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1912

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	BENGALI—FICTION—contd.				
482	Panchanan Ray Chaudhuri. —কিমেল ডিটেক্টিভ। [Phimel Ditektibh. The Female Detective. A detective story.] Pages 192. Published by Priya Nāth Datta, 117, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta. 1315 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [1st September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, anna 1-6.	Nibāran Chandra De, 35, Ahiritolā Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1757	The publisher, 75, Ahiritolā Street, Calcutta.
483	প্রেমের তুফান। [Premer Tuphan—High waves of Love. A romantic story.] Pages 144. Published by Sil and Brothers, 111, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta. 1315 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [30th June 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Sailendra Kumār Sil, 333, Upper Chitpur, Road, Calcutta.	2,000	1244	The publishers, 111, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta.
484	Priya Nath Mukherji. —দারোগার দপ্তর। ১৭৯ সংখ্যা। [Dārogār Daptar. 179 Sankhyā. Pratisodh. Dārogā's Papers. No. 179. Revengē. A detective story.] Pages 42. Published by Upendra Bhūshan Chaudhuri, 182, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta. 1314 sāl or 1907-08. A.D. [2nd July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Mahendra Nāth De, 63, Nimtalā Ghāt Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1424	.....
	[No. 178 noticed in entry No. 273 at page 7 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]				
485	— ১৮০ সংখ্যা। খোর কলি। [Ditto. No. 180. The Kali era in its depth. A detective story.] Pages 42. Published by ditto. 1314 sāl or 1907-08. A.D. [2nd July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1425	.....
486	— ১৮১ সংখ্যা। বাইজি। [Ditto. No. 181. Bāijī. A Dancing Girl. A detective story.] Pages 44. Published by ditto. 1315 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [2nd September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1933	.....
487	— ১৮২ সংখ্যা। রাস্তায় খুন। [Ditto. No. 182. Rāstāy Khun. Murder in the street. A detective story.] Pages 40. Published by ditto. 1315 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [2nd September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1934	.....
488	— ১৮৩ সংখ্যা। হতাত্ত। [Ditto. No. 183. Hata Bhritya. Murdered Servant. A detective story.] Pages 36. Published by ditto. 1315 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [21st September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1935	.....
489	— ১৮৪ সংখ্যা। স্ত্রী নারাকসী। [Ditto. No. 184. Strī Nā Rākshasī. Wife or a demoness.] Pages 32. Published by ditto. 1315 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [21st September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1936	.....
490	রক্তগঙ্গা। দ্বিতীয় খণ্ড। [Rakta Ganga.—Dvitiya Khanda. Torrent of Blood. Part II. A romantic story connected with the Sepoy Mutiny.] Pages 192. Published by V. Dās Gupta, 157 Kāsundiya Road, Khurut, Howrah. [1st August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 12 annas.	Abinās Chandra Mitra, 35, Garānhāttā Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1564	Dhirendra Nāth Ghosh, 23, Garānhāttā, Street, Calcutta.
	[Part I noticed in entry No. 284 at page 8 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]				

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	BENGALI—FICTION—contd.				
491	Rama Nath Das.—বুনে ভিকারী। [Khune Bhikharí. A Beggar who is a Murderer. A detective story.] Pages 59. Published by Vrindávan Chandra Dás, 106, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta. [10th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 12 annas.	Sarat Chandra Dás, 88-1, Masjidbárf Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1820	The publisher.
492	সচিত্র ও বৃহৎ আরব্য উপন্যাস। [Sachitra O Vrihat Arabya Upanyas.—An Enlarged edition of the Arabian Night, with illustrations. A translation of the Arabian Night's entertainments.] Translated by Yogendra Nath De. Pages 416. Published by De Brothers, 61, Ahiritolá Street, Calcutta. Vangávida 1316, or 1908-09. A.D. [15th September 1908.] 8°. 9th edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1. [7th and 8th edition not received, 6th noticed in entry No. 1807 at pages 8-9 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1908.]	Priya Nath Ghosh, 61, Ahiritolá Street, Calcutta.	7,200	1917	No. 86. De, Brothers, 61, Ahiritolá Street, Calcutta. Reg. No. 51, dated 28th September 1908.
493	Sarabhochandra Sarkar.—দিনে ডাকাতি। [Dine Dákáti. Dacoity by Daylight. A detective story.] Pages 46. Published by Goshtha Vihárf Dhar, 22, Phakir Chánd Chakravarti's Lane, Calcutta. 1302 sál or 1896-96. A.D. [3rd August 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. Price, 4 annas. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 3863 at pages 6-7 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1896.]	Mati Lal Sinha, 78, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1652	The Proprietor Vasudhá Káryálay, 22, Phakir Chánd Chakravarti's Lane, Calcutta.
494	মৃত্যু-রঙ্গিনী। [Mrityu Rangini. A women revelling in death. A detective story.] Pages 1, 135. Published by Pál Brothers & Co., 7, Siva Krishna Dán's Lane, Calcutta. 1303 sál or 1896-96. A.D. [12th July 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition. Illustrated. Price, 12 annas. [1st edition not received.]	N. C. Pál, 70, Bára-nasi Ghosh's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1359	The author. 77-1, Muktarám Bábu's Street, Calcutta.
495	হরতনের নওলা। [Harataner Naolá. Nine of Hearts. A detective story.] Pages 1, 174. Published by Pál Brothers & Co., 7, Siva Krishna Dán's Lane, Calcutta. 1303 sál or 1896-96. A.D. [24th August 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1. [1st edition (published under the name of "Khun Ná Atmahatyá" in the series of "Goyenda Káhini") noticed in entry Nos. 3808-09 at pages 12-13 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1896.]	Ditto ...	1,000	1623	Ditto.
496	তীর্থে বিভ্রাট বা কানীর ভণ্ড কথ। [Tírthe Vibhrát Vá Kásir Gupta Kathá. The Great Hazard at a place of Pilgrimage or Mysteries of Benares. A detective story.] Pages 84. Published by Karuná Kánta Bhattacháryya, 44, Masjidbárf Street, Calcutta. [25th August 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition. Price, 10 annas. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 4826 at pages 4-5 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1897.]	Rájnaráyan Láhá, 6, Gopí Krishna Pál's Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1756	The publisher, 44, Masjidbárf Street, Calcutta
497	সাবিত্রী। [Savitri.—(A name). A social story.] Pages 64. Published by S. P. Sen, & Co., 19-2, Lower Chitpur Road, Calcutta. [16th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Kevalráam Chatterji, 17, Lower Chitpur Road, Calcutta.	18,000	1858

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	BENGALI—FICTION—contd.				
498	Surendra Nath Thakur.—একটি বসন্ত প্রান্তের প্রস্ফুটিত স্কুর-পুষ্প। [Ekti Vasanta Prāter Prasphutita Sakurā-Pushpa. One full-blown <i>Sakurā</i> flower of a Spring morn. An historical Japanese story.] Pages 122. Published by the Indian Publishing House, 73-1, Suka Street, Calcutta. 1915 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [13th September 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. Price, 12 annas. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 32, at pages 4-5, of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1905.]	Hari Charan Mānnā, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1882	Mani Lal Gāngulī, 6, Dvārakā Nath Tagore's Lane, Calcutta.
499	Sures Chandra Samajpati.—শাজি। [Sāji. A Flower Basket. A collection of light short stories reprinted from the monthly Journal named <i>Sāhitya</i> .] Pages 2, 123. Published by Upendra Nath Mukherji, 115-4, Grey Street, Calcutta. [3rd July 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition. Price, Re. 1. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 508, at pages 14-15 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1900.]	P. C. Mukherji, 115-4, Grey Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1313	.....
500	উদাসিনী রাজকন্যার গুপ্ত কথা। [Udasini Rajkanyar Gupta Katha.—The Secret Story of the Princess who renounced worldly life. A love story.] Pages 448. Published by N. K. Sīl and S. K. Sīl, 52, Nimu Gosvāmī's Lane, Calcutta. [10th August 1908.] 8°. New edition. Price, Re. 1. [Previous edition not received.]	Sailendra Kumar Sīl, 393, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta.	2,000	1642	The publisher, 52, Nimu Gosvāmī's Lane, Calcutta.
501	Vanku Vihari Dhar.—অদার বন্ধু। [Adara Bandhu. Model Friend. An allegorical story.] Pages 20. Published by Gostha Vihārī Dhar and Brothers, Vasudhā Agency, 22, Phakir Chānd Chakravarti's Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [28th July 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition. Price, 2 annas. [1st edition not received.]	Mati Lal Sinha, 78, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	500	1620	The publishers, 22, Phakir Chānd Chakravarti's Lane, Calcutta.
502	Yogindra Nath Chatterji.—রাম। [Ramā. (A name). A detective story.] Pages 145. Published by Sekh Phasiullā, 119-4, Old China Bāzār Street, Calcutta. 1907. [11th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price nil.	Naphar Chandra Datta, Sālikā Printing Works, Kaldāngā Lane, Howrah.	2,000	31	The author, 108 Panchānantalā Road, Howrah.
503	অদ্বুত ডাকতি। Adbhūt Dākati. Sensational Dacoity. A detective story.] Pages 130. Published by S. Dās, Ultādīngi Main Road, Calcutta. 1908. [8th September 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition. Price, Re. 1-4. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 30 at page 4 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1903.]	Sarat Chandra Dās, 38-1, Masjidbāri Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1821	K a r u n ā k ānta Shattāchāryya.

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	BENGALI—FICTION—concl'd.				
504	Yogendra Nath Chakravarti, B.A., B.L.—বৈষ্ণব রহস্য। [Baitthaki Rahasya. Witticism in the Parlour room. A humorous story.] Pages 168. Published by Basák and Sons, 127, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta. [1st September 1908.] 12°. 3rd edition. Price, Re. 1-8. [2nd edition not received.]	Dina Náth Mánná, 127, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1803	Vaishnav Charan Basák, 127 Masjidbarí Street, Calcutta.
	BENGALI—HISTORY (INCLUDING GEOGRAPHY).				
505	ভারতবর্ষে ইংরাজ শাসন। [Bharatavarshé Inraj Sasan.—English Government in India. A comparison between Muhammadan rule and English rules, pointing out the benefits of the latter.] Pages 76. 12°. Price, not mentioned.	Cover printed by Gupta Mukherji & Co.	...	I.G.R. L. No. 988, dated 3rd July 1908.	.....
506	Durga Chandra Sanyal.—বাঙ্গালার সামাজিক ইতিহাস। প্রথম খণ্ড। [Vāngálár Sámájjik Itihás. Prathama Khanda. The social history of Bengal. Part I. A history of Bengal from the Hindu period compiled from English, Persian and Hindu sources, with special reference to the social condition of the province.] Pages 2, 155. Published by Pānchugopál Ás, 2, Goabágán Street, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [4th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8. <i>Educational—</i>	Pānchugopál Ás, 2, Goabágán Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1296	The author.
507	Sasibhushan Chatterji, F.R.G.S.—ভূগোল পরিচয়। [Bhúgol Parichay. Introduction to Geography.] Pages 71. Published by B. L. Chakravarti, 8 Dixon's Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [26th June 1908.] 16°. 65th edition. (Revised and enlarged) with Maps. Price, As. 2-6. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 349 at page 7 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1906.]	B. L. Chakravarti, 8 Dixon's Lane, Calcutta.	6,000	1232	The author, 8, Dixon's Lane Calcutta.
508	ভূগোল পাঠ। দ্বিতীয় ভাগ। [Bhugel Páth. Dvitiya Bhág. Geographical Reader. Part II.] Pages 62, 6. Published by B. L. Chakravarti, 8 Dixon's Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [15th August 1908.] 16°. 6th edition. (Corrected up to date) with Maps. Price, 4 As. and 6 pies. [6th edition noticed in entry No. 60 at page 12 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1908.]	Ditto	...	6,000	1628 Ditto.
	BENGALI—LANGUAGE.				
	<i>Educational—</i>				
509	Apurva Chandra Bhattacharyya.—জাতীয় পাঠ। [Játíya Páth. National Reader. A literary reader for boys.] Pages 40. Published by Tárakbandhu Bhattacháryya, 12, Kádhánáth Mallik's Lane, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [28th September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Avinás Chandra Basu, 81, College Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1944	Haripada Chatterji, Howrah.

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	BENGALI—LANGUAGE—contd.				
510	Avinas Chandra Ray. —অমিয়া পাঠ। [Amiya Páth. Nectar-like Lessons. A literary reader for boys.] Pages 42. Púrna Chandra Dás, 61 and 62, Bowbázár Street, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [30th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Illustrated.	Púrnachandra Dás, 61-62, Bowbázár Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1447	The author, Mymensing.
	Price, 2 annas.				
511	Hrishikes Das. —সচিত্র হাতেরখড়ি। [Sachitra Hátékhaḍi. An Illustrated alphabetical primer.] Pages. 32. Published by S. K. Náth and G. C. Náth, 29, Canning Street, Calcutta. 1908. [17th September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Illustrated. (B).	A. B. Dás, 151-1, Baitakkháná Road, Calcutta.	2,000	1862	S. Dás & Co., 151-1, Baitakkháná Road, Calcutta.
	Price, 1 anna.				
512	Isvar Chandra Vidyasagar. —বোধোদয়। [Bodhoday. Rise of Knowledge. A literary reader for boys.] Pages 91. Published by Banavihári De, 66, College Street, Calcutta. 1908. [27th June 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Illustrated. (B).	Manmatha Náth Ghosh, 38, Siva-náráyan Dás's Lane, Calcutta.	2,000	1349	The publisher, 66, College Street, Calcutta.
	Price, 3 annas.				
513	Jagadbandhu Modak. —বাঙ্গালী ব্যাকরণ প্রথম ভাগ। [Vangálá Vyákarana Prathaká. Introduction to Bengali Grammar. An elementary Bengali grammar for boys.] Pages 60. Published by the Sanskrit Press Depository, 30, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1908. [23rd July 1908.] 16°. 20th edition.	Mukherji and Chatterji, 76, Balarám De's Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1494	The author, 20, R á m á k á n t a Basu's Lane, Calcutta.
	Price, 2 annas and 6 pies.				
	[19th edition not received 18th edition noticed in entry No. 98 at pages 8-9 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1905.]				
514	Kalikrishna Bhattacharyya and Syamapada Banerji. —প্রবন্ধমালা ও বাঙ্গালী রচনা। [Prabandhamálá O Vangálá Rachaná. Garland of Essays and Essay-writing in Bengali. A collection of essays for students preparing for the Entrance and F. A. Examinations of the Calcutta University.] Pages 7, 255, 110. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [2nd September 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition.	G. O. Niyogi, 91-2, Meeshhuábasár Street, Calcutta.	3,000	1793	The author.
	Price, Re. 1.				
	[1st edition not received.]				
515	লঘু শিক্ষার প্রথম পটল। [Laghu Sikshar Pratham Patal. Light instruction. Part I. Commencement of writing the Alphabet by the first learner.] Pages 12. Published by Bholánáth Bhattacháryya, Bálíjuri. Sakavdá 1830 or 1908-09. A.D. [4th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition.	Sáradáprasád Bhat-tácháryya, Dhan-vantari Press, Rániganj.	1,000	2	The publisher, Bálíjuri.
	Price, 3 pies.				

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	BENGALI—LANGUAGE—<i>conold.</i>				
616	Ramananda Chatterji. —সচিত্র বর্ণমালা। প্রথম ভাগ। [Sachitra Varna Parichaya. Prathama Bhág. Introduction to the Alphabet. An Alphabetical Primer. Part I.] Pages 60. Published by Gurudás Chatterji, 201, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1908. [4th August 1908.] 12°. 14th edition. Illustrated. Price, 1 anna. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 92 at pages 6-7 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1906.]	Purnachandra Dás, 61-62, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1591	The author, 210-3-1, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.
617	—Part II. [14th August [1908.] 12°. 18th edition. Illustrated. Price, 1 anna and 3 pies. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 652 at page 12 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1907.]	Ditto	3,000	1592	Ditto.
618	Sarat Chandra Chaudhuri (B.A.) —জাতীয় পাঠ। প্রথম ভাগ। [Játiya Páth. Prathamabhág. National Lessons. Part I. An Alphabetical Primer.] Pages 24. Published by the Majumdar Library, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [3rd July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 1 anna.	Haricharan Mánná, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1293	The author National College, Rájshahi.
619	শিশুপাঠ। [Sisupath.—Lessons for children. An elementary literary reader for boys.] Edited by Girindra Náth Banerji. Pages 42. Published by the Sanskrit Press Depository, 30, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1908. [1st September 1908.] 12°. 18th edition. Price, 2 annas. [14th to 17th edition not received 13th edition noticed in entry No. 7668 at pages 18-19 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1888.]	Upendranáth Chaudhuri, 5, Nanda Kumár Chaudhuri's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1677	The editor, 30, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.
620	নীতান্ত বনবাস। [Sitar Vanavas.—Exile of Sita. A vernacular text-book for the Intermediate in Arts and Science Examination, with notes, introduction and life of its author, the late Pandit Isvar Chandra Vidyáságar.] Edited by S. Basu. Pages 7, 96. Published by the Oriental Publishing Home, 11, Isvar Thákur's Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [25th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 8 annas.	L. N. Mukherji, 10, Sambhu Charan Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1732	The publisher 11, Isvar Thákur's Lane, Calcutta.
621	Upendra Nath Vidyabhushan, B.A. —জ্ঞানাকুর। [Jnánákur. Sprouts of Knowledge. A literary reader for boys.] Pages 90. Published by Bhútanáth Mitra, 78, Amherst Street, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [14th June 1908.] 8°. 3rd edition. Price, 3 annas. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 90 at page 16 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1908.]	Matilál Sinha, 78 Amherst Street, Calcutta.	20	1905	The author and publisher, 78 Amherst Street, Calcutta.

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	BENGALI—LAW.				
522	Jnanananda Chakravartti.—জ্ঞানেন্দ্র-চক্রবর্তী। [President-Panchayat Gaid. The President-Panchayat Guide. A guide containing instructions on the duties of the Panchayat, the President and other members, also Dafadars and Chankidars.] Pages 3, 8, 64. Published by the author, Berhampur. 1908. [1st September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Umesnath Bhattāchāryya, Saidavad.	1,0.0	8
	Price, not mentioned.				
523	Mitra, N. N. (Bar-at-Law).—মিত্র নবীন। [Dandavidhi Ain. Act 46 of 1860 (the Indian Penal Code) with annotation and Case Law.] Pages 592. Published by Kodār Nāth Mukherji, 4, Rājā Nava-krishna's Street, Calcutta. 1908. [15th August 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition.	Upendranāth Mandal, 26, Rājā Nava-krishna's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1646	.....
	Price, Rs. 4.				
	[1st edition not received]				
	BENGALI—MEDICINE.				
524	Asvini Kumar Bhattacharyya.—অস্বিনীকুমার ভট্টাচার্য। [Homiopyāthik Chikitsā Kalpadruma. Panchama Varsha. Dasam Sankhyā. The Heavenly Tree of Homœopathic treatment. 5th year. No. 10. A work on Homœopathic medicine.] Pages 32. Published by the author, 36, College Street, Calcutta. 1907. [8th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	L. N. Mukherji, 10, Sambhu Oharan Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1489	The author, 36, College Street Calcutta.
	Price, 6 annas.				
	[Previous Number noticed in entry No. 119 at page 19 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1908.]				
525	———5th year. No. 11. Pages 32. 1908. [18th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto ...	1,000	1490	Ditto.
	Price, 6 annas.				
526	———5th year. No. 12. Pages 32. 1908. [28th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto ..	1,000	1491	Ditto.
	Price, 6 annas.				
527	———6th year. No. 1. Pages 32. 1908. [2nd August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto ...	1,000	1632	Ditto.
	Price, 6 annas.				
528	———6th year. No. 2. Pages 32. 1908. [15th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto ..	1,000	1633	Ditto.
	Price, 6 annas.				
529	———6th year. No. 3. Pages 32. 1908. [27th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto ...	1,000	1634	Ditto.
	Price, 6 annas.				

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	BENGALI MEDICINE—contd.				
530	ভেষজলক্ষণ সংগ্রহ। প্রথম খণ্ড। [Bheshajalakshana Sangraha.—Collection of symptoms of medicines. Part I. Homœopathic practice of medicine.] Compiled by Mahes Chandra Bhattacharyya & Co. Pages 1380. Published by the compiler, 11 Bonfield's Lane, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [29th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	M. L. Párra, 164-2, Baitakkháná Road, Asutosh Chakravarti, 73, Mániktola Street. The Káliká Press and the Basik Lal Printing Works Calcutta.	1,000	1626	The author, 11, Bonfield's Lane Calcutta.
	Price, Rs. 7.				
531	—Part II. Pages 562, 294, 232, 11. [29th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto ...	1,000	1627	Ditto.
	Price, Rs. 7.				
532	Gananath Sen Vidyavidhi Kavibhushan—সংক্ষিপ্ত গার্হস্থ্য-চিকিৎসা। [Sankshipta Gárhasthya Chikitsá. Brief domestic treatment. A short Ayurvedic manual for domestic use.] Pages 5, 99. Published by Haribol Adhikári, 14, Bânstálá Street, Calcutta. [20th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition.	Goverddhan Pan, 80 1, Muktarám Babu's Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1676	The publisher, 14, Bânstálá Street, Calcutta.
	Price, 8 annas.				
533	Kali Prasanna Vidyaratna.—পশু-চিকিৎসা। [Pasu-Chikitsá. Treatment of Animals. A manual of medical treatment of animals.] Pages 9, 192. Published by S. Dás, Ultádingi Main Road, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [27th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition.	Sarat Chandra Dás, 38-1, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta	1,000	1440	The publisher.
	Price, Re. 1-8.				
534	Kunja Vihari Bhattacharyya.—হোমিওপ্যাথিক ফার্মাকোপিয়া। [Homöpyáthik Fhármákopiya. Homœopathic Pharmacopœia.] Pages 400. Published by Bhattacháryya Brothers, Bhátpará, 24-Parganas. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [21st July 1908.] 16°. 4th edition. Revised and enlarged.	G. C. Niyogi, 91-2, Meehlua Bázár Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1365	Ditto.
	Price, Re. 1-8.				
	[3rd edition not received 2nd edition noticed in entry No. 934 at pages 10-11 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1892.]				
535	Nisikanta Majumdar.—হোমিওপ্যাথিক চিকিৎসা-শিক্ষা। [Homöpyáthik Chikitsáśikshá. Instruction in Homœopathic treatment. A guide to the first learner of Homœopathy.] Pages 7, 96. Published by the author, 297, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [12th June 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition.	Sarat Chandra Chakravartti, 17, Nanda Kumár Chaudhuri's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	4,000	1236	The author, 297, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta.
	Price, 6 annas.				
	[1st edition noticed in entry No. 807 at pages 6-7 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1905.]				
536	Pratap Chandra Majumdar (M.D.)—শোলেরা বা কলেরা। [Sholá Vá Kalerá. Cholera. A short Homœopathic Manual on the treatment of Cholera.] Pages 2, 84. Published by Gurudás Chattarji, 201, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1908. [19th August 1908.] 12°. 4th edition.	Nandalál Chatterji, 29-3, Madan Mitra's Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1588	The author, 203-1, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.
	Price, Re. 1.				
	[3rd edition noticed in entry No. 5162 at pages 26-27 of the catalogue for the quarter ending June 1896.]				

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	BENGALI—MEDICINE—concl'd.				
537	Pramatha Nath Das (M.B.) —দ্রব্য পরিচয় বা বিষ-চিকিৎসা। প্রথম ভাগ। [Dravya Parichay Vá Visha-Chikitsá. Pratham Bhág. Knowledge of things or treatment of poisoning. Part I. A treatise on Toxicology.] Pages 102. Published by Dr. Khagendra Náth Dás, 198, Khurut Road, Howrah. 1907. [23rd June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 12 annas.	Naphar Chandra Datta, Salikhá Printing Works, Kaldán-gá Lane, Howrah.	1,000	19	The publisher.
538	Rajendra Lal Sur (Dr.) —হোমিওপ্যাথিক চিকিৎসারত্ন। প্রথম ও (দ্বিতীয় ভাগ। [Homioapyáthik Chikitsáratna. Prathama O Dvitiya Bhág. Jewel of Treatment in Homoeopathy. Parts I and II (together) A treatise on Homoeopathy.] Pages 120, 24, 72, 60, 58, 25, 96, 24, 48, 83. Published by Kámalál Sur, 89, Syámbázár Street, Calcutta. 1915 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [2nd September 1908] 12°. 6th edition. Price, Rs. 5. [Previous edition published in several parts.]	Sur & Co., 104, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	500	1854	The author, 89, Syámbázár Street, Calcutta.
	BENGALI—MISCELLANEOUS.				
539	Akshay Kumar Maitreya —উত্তরবঙ্গ সাহিত্য-সম্মিলন। [Uttár Vanga Sahitya Sammilan. North Bengal Literary Union. A reprint of an essay on the Bengali literature which was read before the Union at its Rangpur sitting.] Pages 11. Published by the Majumdár Library, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. [15th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Hari Charan Mánná, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	10)	1436	Mani Lal Ganguli, 6, Dvák, Náth Tagore'-Lane, Calcutta
540	Amvika Charan Gupta —দেব-সমিতি বা স্বর্লোকে সন্দেশ-কথা। [Deva-Samiti Vá Suraloke Svades-kathá. Conference of gods or topics of one's own country in the abode of gods. A caricature of the way Indian topics are discussed in Parliament] Pages 1, 52. Published by Niranján Sen Gupta, Bhángámorá, Hugli. [2nd July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Srimanta Ráy Chandhuri, 7, Sánti Rám Ghosh's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1401	The author, Beadon Street Calcutta.
541	Devendra Vijay Basu —সমাজ ও তাহার আদর্শ। প্রথম ভাগ। [Samáj O Táhar Adarsa. Pratham Bhág. Society and its model. Part I. A description of society with rules for the formation of a model society.] Pages 1, 2, 9, 179. Published by Bhút Náth Pálit, 210-5, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1915 Sál or 1907-08. A.D. [29th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-4.	Bhut Náth Pálit, 210-5, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1638	The author, Munsif, Jessore.
542	ধনবানু হইবার সহজ উপায়। [Dhanavan Haivar Sahaj Upay.—An easy way to become rich. Contains instructions in science, arts, agriculture, household affairs and domestic economy.] Compiled by Satis Chandra Mukherji. Pages 88. Published by Párna Chandra Mukherji, 115-4, Grey Street, Calcutta. 1914 Sál or 1907-08. A.D. [22nd June 1908.] 16°. 6th edition. Price, 10 annas. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 1356 at pages 16-17 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1907.]	Párna Chandra Mukherji, 115-4, Grey Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1214

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	BENGALI—MISCELLANEOUS—contd.				
543	Dhirendra Nath Pal.—দ্বীপ সাহিত্য কথোপকথান। [Strir Sahit Kathopakathan. Conversation with wife. Conversation between a husband and his wife on miscellaneous topics.] Pages 2, 296. Published by Vaishnav Charan Vasak, 98, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta. 1888. [5th September 1908.] 12". 9th edition. Price, Rs. 2. [6th to 8th edition not received 5th edition noticed in entry No. 7983 at pages 18-19 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1888.]	Dina Nath Máná, 127, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1804	The publisher, 127, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta.
544	Girija Sundar Chakravarti.—নারী-ধর্ম। [Nári-Dharma. Duties of Woman. A booklet containing instructions regarding the duties of Hindu females.] Pages 24. Published by the author, 33-1, Patuátolá Lane, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1907-08. A.D. [25th August 1908.] 12". 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	J. N. Basu, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1851	The author, 33-1 Patuátolá Lane, Calcutta.
545	গ্রামোফোন রেকর্ড সঙ্গীত। [Gramophon Rekard Sangit.—Gramophone Record Songs. A collection of miscellaneous songs recorded in the gramophone.] Compiled by the Gramophone Company. Pages 8, 78. Published by the compilers, Bcliyágháttá, Calcutta. [29th August 1908.] 12". 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 6 annas.	Vipin Vihári Náth, 36, Pataldanga Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1916	No. 37. The compilers, Bcliyágháttá, Calcutta. Reg. No. 50 dated, 28-9-08.
546	Haripada Chatterji.—চলিত-অম্বল। [Cháltár-Amval.—An acid dish prepared with the fruit of <i>Dillenia speciosa</i> . A humorous story in verse.] Pages 12. Published by Bhattácháryya and Sons, 65, College Street, Calcutta. [27th August 1908.] 12". 3rd edition. Price, 1 anna. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 643 at page 16 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1906.]	Avinás Chandra Basu, 81, College Street, Calcutta.	1,946	2000	The author, Kalyánpur. Howrah.
547	Hira Lal Sen Gupta.—হুঙ্কার। [Hunkár. Growl. A collection of songs.] Pages 24. Published by K. C. Basu, 34, Musalmán-pará Lane, Calcutta. [31st July 1908.] 24". 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	K. C. Basu, 34, Musalmán-pará Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1650	.....
548	জাতীয় সঙ্গীত। [Jatiya-Sangit.—National Songs. A collection of songs.] Compiled by Nakulesvar Thákur. Pages 8. Published by the compiler, Bägerhát. [26th August 1908.] 16". 1st edition. Price, 3 pies.	Ráj Kumár Majumdár, Chaitanya Press, Bägerhát.	1,000	2	.....
549	কস্যপ-তন্ত্র। [Kasyap-Tantra.—Tantra by Kasyap (a name). A Bengali translation of a Sanskrit book of that name on Exorcism.] Translated by Rám Kumár Dás. Pages 8, 172. Published by Asutosh Datta, 129, Ahiritolá Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1907-08. A.D. [7th August 1908.] 12". New edition. (T). Price, Re. 1. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 328 at page 15 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]	Jagavandhu Datta, 84, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta.	2,000	1616	The publisher, 129, Ahiritolá Street, Calcutta.

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550	<p>কায়স্থ জাতি বিজ্ঞান। প্রথম খণ্ড। [Kayastha Jati Vijnan. Prathama Khanda.—Knowledge about the Káyastha caste. Part I. A pamphlet directed against the assumption of the sacred thread by the Káyasthas.] Pages 12, 52. Published by the Vangíya Bráhmaṇa Sabhá, 32, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. Sakávda 1830 or 1908-09. A.D. [4th August 1908.] 8". 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, nil.</p>	Kula Chandra De, 28-1, Beadon Row, Calcutta.	2,000	1538	The Vangíya Bráhmaṇa Sabhá, 32, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.
551	<p>Kali Prasanna Sen Gupta (Ray).—বৈশয়িক ব্যবহার। [Vaishayika Vyavahár. A universal Hand-Book to business for the use of schools and benefit of persons in business.] Pages 7, 221, 3. Published by the Sanskrit Press Depository, 30, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1908. [28th August 1908.] 8". 5th edition. Revised and enlarged.</p> <p align="center">Price, Re. 1-4</p> <p>[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 131 at pages 24-25 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1900.]</p>	Upendra Náth Chakravarti, 5, Nanda Kumár Chaudhuri's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1643	Sakti Prasanna Sen Gupta, 49, Guru Prasád Chándhuri's Lane, Calcutta.
552	<p>Kali Prasanna Vidyaratna.—লজ্জবতম্ভহা। [Lajjavatannabhá (a name). A book on Erotics.] Pages 1, 188. Published by Sarat Chandra Sil, 136, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [22nd July 1908.] 12". 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, nil.</p>	Mahendra Náth De, 63, Nimalá Ghát Street, Calcutta.	750	1658	.....
553	<p>কুল-প্রতিভা। [Kula-Pratibha.—Light of Caste. A description and history of the various castes of Bengali Hindus.] Compiled by Krishna Náth Ghosh. Pages 32. Published by the compiler, 210-5, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [6th July 1908.] 8". 2nd edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, Re. 1.</p> <p>[2nd part of Previous edition noticed in entry No. 96 at page 26-27 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1903.]</p>	Bhút Náth Pálit, 210-5, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	750	1242	The compiler, Nayagáon, Rájsháhi.
554	<p>Kunja Vihari Bhattacharjī (Dr. K. T. S.).—সচিত্র মেসমেরিজম শিক্ষা। প্রথম, দ্বিতীয় ও তৃতীয় ভাগ একত্রে। [Sachitra Mesmerizam Sikshá. Pratham, Dvitiya O Tṛitiya Bág Ekatre. Instruction in Mesmerism with illustration. Parts I, II and III together.] Pages 2, 191. Published by Vrajendra Kumár Datta, 67, College Street, Calcutta. [24th July 1908.] 16". New edition. Revised and enlarged. Illustrated.</p> <p align="center">Price, Re. 1.</p> <p>[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 6817, at pages 20-21 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1887.]</p>	S. C. Nág, 91-2, Mechhuyá Bázár Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1416	.....
555	<p>Masarraḥ Hosen (Mir).—এসলামের জয়। [Islámér Jay. Victory of Islám. Contains brief accounts of the victories which the Muhammadans obtained during the life-time of the Prophet after the battles of Bádár, Ohod and Khazbar.] Pages 1, 307. Published by Mir Asraph Hosen, 36, Gorá Chánd Road, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [4th August 1908.] 16". 1st edition. Illustrated.</p> <p align="center">Price, Re. 1-12.</p>	S. C. Chakravartí, 17, Nanda Kumár Chaudhuri's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1659	The author, 36, Gorá Chánd Road, Calcutta.

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	BENGALI—MISCELLANEOUS—contd.				
556	<p>“মোহিয়া” সঙ্গীত । [“Mohiya” Sangit.—[Mohiyá (a name) Songs. Contains advertisements of “Mohia” hair-oil and of some medicines.] Compiled by the Mohia and Sammilaní An sadháláy. Pages 51. Published by the compiler, 30, Hiderám Banerji's Lane, Calcutta. [12th September 1908.] 12". 1st edition.</p> <p align="right">Price, nil.</p>	Abinás Chandra Mitra, Febrodyne Press, 35, Gará-háttá Street, Calcutta.	5,000	1931	Dhirendra Náth Ghosh, 91, Mechbuiyá Bázár Street, Calcutta.
557	<p>নিম্ন শিক্ষক-সহচর । [Nimna Sikshak Sahachar.—The Junior Teachers' Companion. A Bengali translation of the book entitled “The Junior Teachers' Manual.”] Translated by Dvijendra Náth Niyogi, B.A. Pages 4, 264. Published by the Manager, Sanskrit Press Depository, 30, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1908. [14th August 1908.] 16". 5th edition. (T.)</p> <p align="right">Price, 10 annas.</p> <p>[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 635 at pages 10-11 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1904.]</p>	R. Datta, 46, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1724	The Translator, Sakrail, M mensingh.
558	<p>Nitya Gopal Mukherji (M.A.).—কেশম বিজ্ঞান । [Resam Vijnán. Sericulture. A treatise on sericulture.] Pages 6, 277, 44. Published by Rádhiká Prasád Datta, 46, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta. 1908. [28th August 1908.] 8". 2nd edition. Illustrated.</p> <p align="right">Price, Re. 1-8.</p> <p>[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 3038 at pages 24-25 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1896.]</p>	R. Datta, 46, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1662	Mrs. N. G. Mukherji, 39, Rám Mohan Datta's Road, Bhawáni-pur.
559	<p>Panchanan Ray Chaudhuri.—এবার পূজায় বিষম দায় । বো নগদ হাজার টকা দায় । [Evár Pujáy Visham Dáy. Van Nagad Hájár táká Cháy. Great difficulty in Pujá this time. Wife wants thousand rupees in cash. Street literature.] Pages 10. Published by Rajendra Lál Dás Ghosh, 98-2, Gará-háttá Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A. D. [15th September 1908.] 12". 1st edition.</p> <p align="right">Price, 3 pies.</p>	Panchánan Chakravarti, 104, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	2,500	1879	Panchánan Ry Chaudhuri, Kálighát, Calcutta.
560	<p>পেনেল-প্রসঙ্গ । [Penel-Prasanga.—A discourse on Pennell. An account of two criminal cases disposed of by Mr. Pennell, a late District Judge in Bengal.] Compiled by Káli Prasanna Kávyavísárad. Pages 59, 12. Published by Rám Válak Misra, 163, Káli Ghát Road, Bhawánipur. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [6th August 1908.] 12". 2nd edition.</p> <p align="right">Price, 6 annas.</p> <p>[1st edition noticed in entry No. 1354 at pages 16-17 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1901.]</p>	Rámválak Misra, 163, Káli Ghát Road, Bhawánipur.	1,000	32	Manoranjan Banerji, 6 Balarám Basu's Ghát Road, Bhawanipur.
561	<p>ফুলের সাজি । [Phuler Saji.—Flower-basket. A collection of essays on miscellaneous subjects.] Compiled by Nava Kumár Datta. Pages 1, 354. Published by the compiler, 50-1, Káli Prasád Datta's Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [1st July 1908.] 12". 2nd edition.</p> <p align="right">Price, 8 annas.</p> <p>[1st edition noticed in entry No. 121 at pages 8-9 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1906.]</p>	Panchánan Mitra, 50-1, Káli Prasád Datta's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1325	The compiler, 50-1, Káli Prasád Datta's Street, Calcutta.

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	BENGALI—MISCELLANEOUS—contd.				
562	Ravindra Nath Thakur. —সমাজ। [Samāj. Society. A collection of essays dealing with some social questions of the Hindus.] Pages 168. Published by the Indian Publishing House, 73-1, Sukea Street, Calcutta. [7th September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 12 annas.	Hari Charan Mānnā, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1880	Mani Lāl Gānguli, 6, Dvārakā Nāth Tagore's Lane, Calcutta.
563	গান। [Gan.—Song. A collection of miscellaneous songs.] Pages 16, 400. Published by Yogendra Nāth Sarkār, 64, College Street, Calcutta. [20th September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1-8.	J. N. Basu, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1852	The author, Jorásáńko, Calcutta.
564	সমূহ। [Samūha. Assemblage. A collection of Essays on political and other subjects together with the Presidential address delivered by the author at the Provincial Conference held at Pabna.] Pages 121. Published by the Indian Publishing House, 73-1, Sukea Street, Calcutta. [25th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Hari Charan Mānnā, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1438	Mani Lāl Gānguli, 6, Dvārakā Nāth Tagore's Lane, Calcutta.
565	স্বদেশ। Svades. One's own country. A collection of essays mainly on social matters.] Pages 119. Published by the Indian Publishing House, 73-1, Sukea Street, Calcutta. [12th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	1,050	1514	Ditto.
566	Raj Krishna Mandal. —বঙ্গ ম্যালেরিয়া। [Vange Myáleriyá. Malaria in Bengal. Description of the cause of Malaria in Bengal and its remedy.] Pages 1, 111. Published by the author, Sukhayorá, Bankura. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [9th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 10 annas.	Bipin Bihari Munsí, 21, Balarám Ghosh's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1636	The author, Sukhayorá, Bankura.
567	Sarat Chandra Dev. —এবার পূজার আনন্দোদিনি, আনন্দ হবে বলচে বনী। [Kvár Pujáy Amodiní. Amod karo Valcho Dhaní. In this Pujá a cheerful (woman) says with pleasure. Street literature.] Pages 10. Published by Rájendra Lál Dás Ghosh, 104, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [18th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 3 pies.	Panchánan Chakravarti, 104, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	2,500	1861	The author, Belgochiá, 24-Parganas.
568	Srikali Ghosh. —২৪-পারগণা জেলা সমিতি। নিবেদন পত্র। অথ সংখ্যা। [24-Parganá Jelá Samiti. Nivedan Patra. Sya samkyá. 24-Parganas District Conference. A letter of representation. Part III. An essay on svadesí read in the 24-Parganas District Conference.] Pages 12. Published by the author, 61-62, Bow Bázár Street, Calcutta, 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [16th August 1908.] 16°. 3rd edition. Price, not mentioned.	Púrna Chandra Dás, 61-62, Bow Bázár Street, Calcutta.	25,000	1641	The author, 56, Mirzapur Street, Calcutta.
	[Previous edition not received.]				

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	BENGALI—MISCELLANEOUS—contd.				
569	Surendra Nath Vidyaratna. —বর্তমান বর্ষ চন্দ্রিকা বা ভবিষ্যৎ বার্তা। [Vartamán Varsha Chandriká Vá Bhavishyat Várttá. The current year's almanac or the future news. A booklet containing prophecies about the current Bengali year.] Pages 21. Published by Avinás Chandra Dás, City Press, Midnapur. [24th June 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Avinás Chandra Dás, City Press, Midnapur.	1,000	3	The author, Nimalá, Ghatal.
570	স্বদেশ সঙ্গীত। [Svades Sangit. National Song. A collection of songs with musical notations.] Compiled by Yogendra Nath Banerji. Pages 4, 76, 4. Published by Nírad Varan Dás, 163, Kálíghát Road, Bhawanipur. [5th September 1908.] 12°. 3rd edition. Price, 4 annas. [2nd edition noticed in entry No. 700 at page 18 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1907.]	Nírad Varan Dás 163, Kálíghát Road, Bhawanipur.	4,000	35	Manoranjan Banerji, 33, Valarám Basu's Ghát Road, Bhawanipur.
571	স্বামী বিবেকানন্দের স্বদেশ প্রীতি। [Svami Vivekanander Svades Priti.—Patriotism of Svámi Vivekánanda. An essay on patriotism with quotations from the Svámi's lectures read in the Vivekánanda Samiti.] Edited by the Vivekánanda Samiti. Pages 21. Published by the editor, Jhámápur. [1st July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	G. C. Niyogi, 91-2, Mochhuá Bázár Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1367	The editor.
572	Umes Chandra Basu. —উপসর্গ। (বর্তমান যুগের।) [Upasarga (Vartamán Yuger.) Diseases (of the modern age). Social sketches.] Pages 2, 108. Published by Trailokya Náth Haldár, 36, Banamáli Sarkár's Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [1st September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Trailokya Náth Haldár, 36, Banamáli Sarkár's Street, Calcutta.	500	1686	The author, Pleader, Faridpur.
573	বন্দনা। প্রথম খণ্ড। [Vandana. Prathama Khanda.—Worship. Part I. A collection of songs.] Compiled by Naliní Ranjan Sarkár. Pages 6, 106. Published by the Compiler, 36-B, Benetolá Lane, Calcutta. [21st September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 5 annas.	Púrna Chandra Dás, 61-62, Kuntalin Press, Calcutta.	2,000	1826	The Compiler, 31-C, Benetolá Lane, Calcutta.
574	———Part II. Pages 4, 94. [22nd September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 5 annas.	Haricharan Mánná, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1885	Manilál Gánguli, 6, Dváká Nath Tagore's Lane, Calcutta.
575	বন্দে মাতরম্। [Vande Mataram.—Worship of mother. A collection of songs.] Compiled by Yogíndra Nath Sarkár. Pages 200. Published by the City Book Society, 64, College Street, Calcutta. 1908. [10th August 1908.] 16°. 6th edition. Price, 6 annas. [5th edition noticed in entry No. 845 at page 11 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1906.]	S. C. Chakravarti, 17, Nanda Kumár Chaudhuri's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	2,000	1584	The Compiler, 64, College Street, Calcutta.

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	BENGALI—MISCELLANEOUS—contd.				
576	বঙ্গ সঙ্গীত। প্রথম খণ্ড। [Vanga Sangit. Prathama Khandā.—Songs of Bengal. Part I. A collection of songs.] Compiled by Nakulesvar Thakur. Pages 15. Published by the compiler, Bagerhat. [28th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 6 pies.	Rāj Kumār Majumdar, Chaitanya Press, Bāgerhat.	1,000	1
577	বঙ্গীয় বৈশ্য বারুজীবী সভার ৭ম বার্ষিক কার্য বিবরণ। [Vangiya Vaisya-varujivi Sabhar 7ma Varshik Karyya Vivaran.—7th yearly Report of the Vangiya Vaisya-varujivi Sabhā.] Edited by Prasanna Gopāl Rāy. Pages 110. Published by the Editor, Jessore. 1908. [27th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Kālī Prasanna Chatterji, Hindu Patrikā Press, Jessore.	1,000	3	The Editor, Lohāgarh.
578	বিপিন চন্দ্রের কারাবাস। [Vipin Chandrer Karavas.—Incarceration of Vipin Chandra. An account of Vipin Chandra Pāl's jail-life.] Compiled by Sureś Chandra Rāy Chaudhuri. Pages 2, 28. Published by the compiler, 163, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. [4th April 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Nalināksha Bhattachāryya, Febrodyno Press, 35, Garān-hāttā Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1239	Dhirendra Nāth Ghosh, 98, Machhuyā Bāzār Street, Calcutta.
579	Vivekananda (Svami).—বর্তমান ভারত। [Varttamān Bhārat. Modern India. A philosophical essay on the connection between the past and the present India.] Pages 6, 68. Published by the Manager, Udvodhan Office, 30, Basupārā Lane, Calcutta. [30th August 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition. Illustrated. Price, 4 annas.	Gopāl Chandra Niyogī, 91-2, Mechhuyābāzār Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1794	No. 38. -vāmī Satyākāma 30, Basupārā Lane, Calcutta. Reg. No. 45, dated 22nd August 1908.
580	বৃহৎ খনার বচন। [Vrihat Khanar Vachan.—The sayings of Khanā (a name), enlarged. An astrological work.] Compiled by Prasanna Kumār Sāstri. Pages 78. Published by P. S. Bhattachāryya, 28-1, Beadon Row, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [10th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Kula Chandra De, 28-1, Beadon Row, Calcutta.	1,000	1924	The compiler, 28-1, Beadon Row, Calcutta.
581	Yogendra Nath Kundu.—বিশ্বাস-সূত্র বা দীন্যের উপহার। [Visvās-Sūtra Vā Dīner Upahār. Thread of faith or a present of the poor. A brief account of the author's religious life.] Pages 12. Published by Bhūt Nāth Pālīt, 210-5, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [17th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Bhūt Nāth Pālīt, 210-5, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	500	1329	The author.
582	Yogendra Nath Vidyabhusan (M.A.).—যোগেন্দ্র গ্রন্থাবলী। [Yogendra Granthāvalī. Works of Yogendra. A collection of the works of Yogendra Nāth Vidyābhūshan, a well-known Bengali writer now dead.] Pages 9, 278, 3, 153, 14, 108, 104, 2, 98, 3, 157, 2, 56, 46, 15, 35. Published by Nīrad Varan Dās Dās, at the Hitavādi Electric Press, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09 A.D. [17th July 1908.] 32°. 1st edition. Price, Re 1-8.	Nīrad Varan Dās Dās, the Hitavādi Electric Press, Calcutta	5,000	1360	Manoranjan Banerji, 33, Balaram Basu's Ghāt Road, Rhowānipur.

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BENGALI—MISCELLANEOUS—contd.					
<i>Educational—</i>					
583	Rames Chandra Gupta (M.A.) —কর্ম সঙ্গীত ও জ্ঞানকুর গীতি। [Karma Sangit O Jñānānkur Gīti. Action songs.] Pages 8, 31. Published by Jagadīs Chandra Gupta, 44-3, Harrison Road, Calcutta. 1315 Śāl or 1908-09. A.D. [20th August 1908.] 16 ^o . 7th edition.	R. Datta, 46, Beech Chatterjee's Street, Calcutta.	5,000	1725	The author, Rājshāhi.
Price, 2 annas.					
[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 123 at page 16 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1907.]					
584	Trilokya Nath Pramanik —সচিত্র প্রাইমারী ড্রিল-শিক্ষা। প্রথম ও দ্বিতীয় ভাগ। [Sachitra Prāimārī Dril-Sikshā. Prathama O Dvitiya Bhāg. Primary Instruction on Drill. Parts I and II. (together) with Illustrations. A Drill-book for Vernacular Schools.] Pages 2, 62. Published by Sanyāl & Co., 25, Bāy Bāgān Street, Calcutta. 1908. [2nd September 1908.] 16 ^o . 1st edition. Illustrated.	Sanyāl & Co., 25, Bāy Bāgān Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1830	The author, Contai, Midnapur.
Price, 2 annas.					
585	Yogendra Nath Sarkar —হাসি খুসি। [Hāsi Khushi. Laughter and Merriment. A Bengali alphabetical primer.] Pages 32. Published by the City Book Society, 64, College Street, Calcutta, 1907. [20th August 1908.] 8 ^o . 10th edition. Illustrated.	Pūrna Chandra Dās, 61-62, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta.	5,000	737	The author, College Street Calcutta.
Price, 4 annas.					
[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 384, at page 10 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1906.]					
BENGALI—PHILOSOPHY.					
586	Kokilesvar Bhattacharyya (Vidyaratna, M.A.) —উপনিষদের উপদেশ। কঠ ও মুণ্ডাক। দ্বিতীয় খণ্ড। [Upanishader Upadesh, (Katha O Mundaka). Dvitiya Khanda. Instructions of the Upanishads. (Katha and Mundaka). Part II. Contains the translation of the two Upanishads mentioned in the title and of Sankar's commentary, with an introduction.] Pages 364. Published by Gurudās Chatterji, 201, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1908. [8th September 1908.] 16 ^o . 1st edition.	S. C. Chakravarti, 17, Nanda Kumār Chaudhuri's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	600.	1784	The author, Cooch Behar.
Price, Rs. 2.					
[Part I noticed in entry No. 536 at page 18 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1907.]					
BENGALI—POETRY.					
587	Abu Mahammad Ismail Hosen Seraji (Syed) —উদ্বোধন। [Udvodhan. Awakening. Miscellaneous poems.] Pages 108. Published by Bhut Nāth Pālit, 210-5, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. [17th July 1908.] 8 ^o . 1st edition.	Bhūt Nāth Pālit, 210-5, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1830	The author, Serajganj, Patna.
Price, 10 annas.					
588	Atal Vihari Adhikari —নীতি-পদ্য-কব্য বা বাহকদত্তী। প্রথম খণ্ড। [Nīti-Padya-Kavya Vā Yāvakduttī. Pratham Khanda. A didactic poem or lac-bearing female messenger. Part I. A didactic poem intended as a present for the purchasers of a paint with which Hindu females paint their feet.] Pages 4, 36. Published by the author, Gaurāpotā, Jessore. 1315 Śāl or 1908-09. A.D. [25th September 1908.] 12 ^o . 1st edition.	Mahendra Nāth De, 63, Nimtalā Ghāt Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1937
Price, 2 annas.					

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	BENGALI—POETRY—concl'd.				
589	Hem Chandra Bhaumik. —[চন্দ্রভট্ট] [Chintá Lahari. Torrent of Thoughts. Miscellaneous poems.] Pages 107. Published by the author, 203-1-1, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. [15th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas.	Gopál Chandra Ráy, 203, 1-1, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1780	The author, Dehati, Márkandapur.
590	Kalidas Roy. —[কলিডাস] [Kunda (name of a flower). Miscellaneous poems.] Pages 72. Published by Rádhiká Charan Barát. Kásimbázár, Mursidábád. [18th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Prahlád Chandra Dás, 221, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	500	1802	The author, Kásimbázár, Mursidábád.
591	Kumaris Chandra Sarkar. —[কুমারী চন্দ্র সর্কার] [Prabodh-Ratna-Málá. Prathama Khanda. Garland of jewels of solace. Part I. Poems consoling various sorrowing persons.] Pages 1, 51. Published by Púrna Chandra Dás. 61-62, Bowbázár Street, Calcutta. [30th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Púrna Chandra Dás, 61-62, Bowbázár Street, Calcutta.	500	1448	The author, Muzaffarpur.
	বাসনার সমাধি. [Vásanár Samádhi. A burial of desire. Miscellaneous poems.] Pages 42. Published by Púrna Chandra Dás. 61-62, Bowbázár Street, Calcutta. [31st July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto ...	500	1449	Ditto.
598	মহাজনী পদাবলী. চণ্ডিদাস ও বিদ্যাপতি। প্রথম ও দ্বিতীয় ভাগ। [Mahajani Padavali. Chandidas O Vidyapati. Pratham O Dvitiya Khanda.—Poems of Great Men. Chandidas and Vidyapati (Two names). Parts I and II (together). Lyric poems of two well known early Bengali poets named Chandidás and Vidyapati with explanatory notes.] Pages 4, 160. Published by Akshay Kumár De, 40, Garáhnúta Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [1st August 1908.] 8°. 6th edition. Price, Re. 1. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 333, at page 15 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1907.]	Tinkari Chakravarti, 66, Nimu Goswami's Lane, Calcutta.	2,000	1808	The publisher, 40, Garáhnúta Street, Calcutta
594	Rajani Kanta Chatterji. —[রাজকান্ত চট্টোপাধ্যায়] [Sánti.—Peace. A patriotic poem.] Pages 17. Published by the author, 17, Balarám Basu's Ghát Road, Bhawanipur. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [12th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Gorá Chánd Chakravarti, 61, Sambhu Náth Pandit's Street, Bhawanipur.	500	31	The author, 17, Balarám Basu's Ghát Road, Bhawanipur.
	Ravindra Nath Thakur. —[রবীন্দ্রনাথ ঠাকুর] [Kathá O Káhiní Words and Tales. Miscellaneous poems.] Pages 2, 122, 2, 85. Published by the Indian Publishing House, 73-1, Sukea Street, Calcutta. [10th September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 12 annas.	Hari Charan Mánná, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1881	Mani Lál Gánguli, 6, Dváraká Náth Tagore's Lane, Calcutta.
596	Sarat Chandra Banerji. —[সরৎ চন্দ্র বসু] [Pújá. Worship. A poem in praise of a private person.] Pages 16. Published by Kedár Náth Bhattacháryya. Sitárámbáti, Burdwan. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [22nd August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Free distribution.	Indu Bhúsan Mukherji, 91-1, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta.	100	1678	The author, Sitárámbáti, Burdwan.

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	BENGALI—POETRY.—conold.				
597	Siddha Nath Chakravarti.—স্বর্ষিতা । [Ritu Chintá. Thoughts on the seasons. Poems based on Kálidás's Ritusambhár.] Pages 83. Published by the author, Bogribári. [25th June 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Nityánanda Ghosh, B'aváni] Press, gli.	1,000	3	The author, Bogribári.
598	বিরহ-লিপি । [Viraha Lipi.—Letters of separated love. A collection of poems representing letters passed between separated lovers]. Pages 72. Published by G. N. Haldár, 63, College Street, Calcutta. [10th July 1908.] 24°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 4 annas.	R. Datta, 46, Beehu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1363	The publisher, Calcutta.
	<i>Educational—</i>				
599	Hira Lal Banerji.—কিডার গার্টন গাথা । [Kindár Gártan Gáthá.—Kindergarten Songs.] Pages 12. Published by the author, Kot Bázár, Midnapur. [16th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Parán Chandra Dás, Lakshmi Press, Kot Bázár, Midnapur.	500	4	Deb Dás Karan, Kot Bázár, Midnapur.
600	Nava Kumar Visvas.—চরুমাল । দ্বিতীয় ভাগ । [Chárumálá. Dvitiyabhág. Entertaining Garland. Part II. A literary reader for boys.] Pages 2, 65. Published by the author, Puri. [25th August 1908.] 12°. 4th edition. Price, 4 annas. [2nd and 3rd edition not received 1st edition noticed in entry No. 8052 at pages 26-27 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1888.]	Sarvesvar Bhattá-cháryya, 28, Baitakkháná Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1809	The author, Puri.
	BENGALI—POLITICS.				
601	Ravindra Nath Thakur.—রাজা প্রজা । [Rájá Prarájá.—King and Subjects. A collection of political essays.] Page 162. Published by the Indian Publishing House, 73-1, Sukeas Street, Calcutta. [30th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Hari Charan Mánná, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,050	1292	The author, 6, Dvákák Náth Tagore's Lane, Calcutta.
602	বিপিন বাবুর বক্তৃতা । [Vipin Babur Vaktrita.—Vipin Babu's Speeches. A collection of political speeches delivered on different occasions by Babu Vipin Chandra Pál.] Compiled by Rames Chandra Chaudhurí. Pages 67. Published by the compiler, 20, Pátuyátolá Lane, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [26th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Keval Rám Chatterji, 17, Lower Chitpur Road, Calcutta.	4,000	1500	—...
	BENGALI—RELIGION.				
603	B. S. S. Leaflets. For 5th July, 1908.—[A Christian leaflet.] Edited by Rev. M. N. Náth. Pages 2. Published by the B. S. S. Union, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. [27th June, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned. [Previous copy noticed in entry No. 390 at page 23 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	3,200	1255	.....
604	— For 12th July, 1908. Pages 2. [27th June, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	3,200	1256

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	BENGALI—RELIGION—contd.				
606	B. S. S. Leaflets. For 19th July 1908.—[A Christian leaflet.] Edited by Rev. M. N. Nâth. Pages 2. Published by the B. S. S. Union, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta [27th June, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	3,200	1257
606	———— For 26th July, 1908. Pages 2. [27th June, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	3,200	1258
607	———— For 2nd August, 1908. Pages 2. [23rd July, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	3,200	1257
608	———— For 9th August, 1908. Pages 2. [23rd July, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	3,200	1472
609	———— For 16th August, 1908. Pages 2. [23rd July, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	3,200	1473
610	———— For 23rd August, 1908. Pages 2. [23rd July, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	3,200	1474
611	———— For 30th August, 1908. Pages 2. [23rd July, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	3,200	1475
612	———— For 6th September, 1908. Pages 2. [22nd August, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	3,200	1699
613	———— For 13th September, 1908. Pages 2. [22nd August, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	3,200	1700
614	———— For 20th September, 1908. Pages 2. [22nd August, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	3,200	1701
615	———— For 27th September, 1908. Pages 2. [22nd August, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	3,200	1702
616	———— For 4th October, 1908. Pages 2. [15th September, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	3,200	1904
617	———— For 11th October, 1908. Pages 2. [15th September, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	3,200	1906
618	———— For 18th October, 1908. Pages 2. [15th September, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	3,200	1906
619	———— For 25th October, 1908. Pages 2. [15th September, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	3,200	1907

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	BENGALI—RELIGION—contd.				
620	Brahmananda (Svami).— ঈশ্বরীয় উপদেশ। [Sri Sri Rāma Krishna Upades. Instructions of Sri Sri Rāma Krishna. Religious instructions.] Pages 2, 74. Published by Svāmi Satyakāma, manager, Udbodhan office, 30, Basupārā Lane, Calcutta. 1st Brāvan, 1315 sāl or 16th July 1908. [16th July 1908.] 16°. 3rd edition. Illustrated. Price, 4 annas. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 893 at page 15 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1906.]	Lāl Chánd Datta, 93, Durgácharan Mitra's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1369	No. 39. The publisher, 30, Basupārā Lane, Calcutta. Reg. No. 37, dated 20th July 1908.
621	দৈনিক প্রার্থনা। [Dainik Prarthana.—Daily Prayer. A Brahmo tract.] Pages 2, 60. Published by the Brahmo Tract Society, 78, Upper Circular Road, Calcutta. 1830 Sak or 1908-09. A.D. [25th August 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition. (B.) Price, 8 annas. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 3139 at pages 36-39 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1895]	Rāmasarvasva Bhattachāryya, 78, Upper Circular Road, Calcutta.	500	1886	N. C. Sen, 78, Upper Circular Road, Calcutta.
622	Din Mahammad.— কুসেহ ও জেহাদ। প্রথম খণ্ড। [Krused O Jehād. Prathama Khanda. Crusade and Jehād. Part I. History of the long religious war between the Christians and Muhammadans for the conquest of Jerusalem.] Pages 11, 178. Published by the author, 19, Pataldāngā Street, Calcutta. 1315 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [26th September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Abdul Latipb, 6, College Square, Calcutta.	2,000	1941	The author, 19, Pataldāngā Street, Calcutta.
623	একজন চাষার গল্প। [Ek Jan Chashar Galpa.—Story of a sower. A Christian leaflet.] Edited by Miss Angus. Pages 2. Published by the Baptist Zenana Mission, 44, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. [29th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	10,000	1268	.....
624	হাদিস—উত্তর বিভাগ। চতুর্থ খণ্ড। [Hadis—Uttar Vibhag. Chaturtha Khanda.—The Hadis, Latter part. No. 4. Text of "Meskātölmasābih" (an Arabic work) with annotations and translations by the editor.] Edited by Rev. Giris Chandra Sen. Pages 80. Published by K. P. Nāth, 3, Ramānāth Majumdār's Street, Calcutta. 1830 Sak or 1908-09. A.D. [25th September, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 8 annas. [Part III noticed in entry No. 568 at page 20 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1907.]	K. P. Nāth, 3, Ramānāth Majumdār's Street, Calcutta.	500	1938	The editor, 3, Ramānāth Majumdār's Street, Calcutta.
625	জন্মান্তরবাদ। [Janmantaravad.—Theory of re-birth. A Christian pamphlet.] Edited by W. McCulloch. Pages 20. Published by the editor, Chinsura. [10th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1274	.....
626	Jnanada Sundari Desi.— ভক্তি-বিন্দু। [Bhakti Vindu. A drop of devotion. Religious verses expressing devotion to God.] Pages 27. Published by Kedar Nāth Mukherji, 4, Rājā Navakrishna's Street, Calcutta. 1315 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [10th August, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Upendra Nāth Mandal, 25, Rājā Navakrishna's Street, Calcutta.	500	1644	The publisher, 4, Rājā Navakrishna's Street, Calcutta.

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	BENGALI—RELIGION—contd.				
627	Juvenile Leaflet. For 5th July, 1908.—[A Christian leaflet.] Edited by A. Sims. Pages 2. Published by the B. S. S. Union, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. [17th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned. [Previous copy noticed in entry No. 403 at page 24 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	2,800	1259
628	—For 12th July, 1908. Pages 2. [17th June, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	2,800	1260	.....
629	—For 19th July, 1908. Pages 2. [17th June, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	2,800	1261	.....
630	—For 26th July, 1908. Pages 2. [17th June, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	2,800	1262	.....
631	—For 2nd August, 1908. Pages 2. [21st July, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	2,800	1476	.....
632	—For 9th August, 1908. Pages 2. [21st July, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	2,800	1477	.....
633	—For 16th August, 1908. Pages 2. [21st July, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	2,800	1478	.....
634	—For 23rd August, 1908. Pages 2. [21st July, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	2,800	1479	.....
635	—For 30th August, 1908. Pages 2. [21st July, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	2,800	1480	.....
636	—For 6th September, 1908. Pages 2. [22nd, August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	2,800	1703	.....
637	—For 13th September, 1908. Pages 2. [22nd August, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	2,800	1704	.....
638	—For 20th September, 1908. Pages 2. 22nd August, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	2,800	1705

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	BENGALI—RELIGION—contd.					
639	Juvenile Leaflet. —For 27th September, 1908. [A Christian leaflet.] Edited by A. Sims. Pages 2. Published by the B. S. S. Union, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. [22nd August, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	2,800	1706	
640	—For 4th October, 1908. Pages 2. [17th September, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	2,800	1908
641	—For 11th October, 1908. Pages 2. [17th September, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	2,800	1909
642	—For 18th October, 1908. Pages 2. [17th September, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	2,800	1910
643	—For 25th October, 1908. Pages 2. [17th September, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	2,800	1911
644	Kalitara Bhairavi (Scimati). —কালীগৌড়-মহারী। Kāligita Laharī. Waves of songs about the goddess Kālī. A collection of religious songs. Pages 7, 76. Published by the authoress, Haralājuri, Vaidynāth, Deoghar. 1915 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [2nd July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Free distribution.	P. O. Mukherji, 115-4, Grey Street, Calcutta.	500	1315	.....
445	Kavikarna. —କବିରାମ ପାଠ । [Abhinamadan Pālā. Story of Abhinamadan (A name). A story about the greatness of the god Satyanārāyan.] Pages 14. Published by Vrindāvan Shadangi, Cuttack. 1908. [15th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Visvanath Kar, Utkal Sāhitya Press, Balubázat, Cuttack.	1,000	86	The publisher, Cuttack.	
646	কুপুত্র সুপুত্র হইল। [Kuputra Suputra Haila.—“A Lost Son.” A Christian leaflet.] Edited by Miss Angus. Pages 2. Published by the Baptist Zenana Mission, 44, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. [29th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	10,000	1271	.. ..
647	মহাভারত দান পর্ব। [Mahabharata. Dana Parva.—The Dāna Parva (chapter on Gift) of the Mahābhārata of Kāśīrām Dās, with a preface containing Kāśīrām Dās's genealogy and life by the editor.] Edited by Śrīś Chandra Chatterji. Pages 22, 2, 144. Published by Rāma Prasanna Banerji, 54-6, College Street, Calcutta. 1915 sāl or 1908-09 A.D. [10th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1.	Trailokyanāth Haldār, 36, Bananāli Sarkār's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1853	The editor, Panchthupi, Mursidabad.	
648	Mahendra Nath Gupta. —শ্রীমদ্রামকৃষ্ণ কথামৃত । তৃতীয় ভাগ । [Śrī Śrī Rāmakrishna Kathāmrita. Tṛtīya Bhāg. The Nectar of the teachings of Śrī Śrī Rāma Krishna. Part III. Religious teachings of the late Rāmakrishna Paramahansa in the form of dialogues.] Pages 5, 290. Published by Prabhās Chandra Gupta. 13-2, Guruprasād Chaudhuri's Lane, Calcutta. Asvīn 1915 sāl or September-October, 1908. [25th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1-5.	Pūrna Chandra Dās, 61-62, Bowbazar, Street, Calcutta.	3,000	1932	The author, 13-2, Guruprasād Chaudhuri's Lane, Calcutta.	
[Part II noticed in entry No. 898 at pages 10-11 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1904.]						

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	BENGALI—RELIGION—contd.				
649	Madhusudan Kinnar. —৫৭ সঙ্গীত। প্রথম ভাগ। [Dhapa Sangit. Prathama Bhāg. Religious songs. Part I.] Pages 56, 52, 48, 65. Published by Vinodgopal Mukherji. 201, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1908. [12th August 1908.] 12". 2nd edition.	Asutosh Ghosh, 11, Rājā Nava- krishna's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1602	The Printer, 11, Rājā Nava- krishna's Street Calcutta.
	Price, Re. 1-4.				
	[1st edition noticed in entry No. 116 at pages 18-19 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1891.]				
650	Manikram Mandal. —অবতার লীলামৃত। [Avatāra Līlāmrita. The Nectar of the doings of incarnations of the gods. A collection of verses and prayers in praise of gods and goddesses, with stories of their incarnations.] Pages 34. Published by the author, Surikhāli, Howrah. 1315 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [17th August 1908.] 8". 1st edition.	Prahlādechandra Dās, 221, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	250	1589	The author, Surikhāli, Howrah.
	Price, 3 annas.				
651	মরে-আবার-বঁচে উঠিল। [Mare-Avar-Benche Uthila—"A Dead man raised." A Christian leaflet.] Edited by Miss Angus. Pages 2. Published by the Baptist Zenana Mission, 44, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. [29th June 1908.] 8". 1st edition. (C.)	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	10,000	1269	...
	Price, not mentioned.				
652	Monthly Messenger No. 336. —[A Christian leaflet.] Edited by Rev. M. N. Nāth. Pages 4. Published by the Christian Tract and Book Society, 23, Chowringhi Road, Calcutta. [10th July 1908.] 8". 1st edition. (C.)	Ditto	20,000	1460	.....
	Price, not mentioned.				
	[No. 336 noticed in entry No. 407 at page 24 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]				
653	— No. 337. Pages 4. [10th July 1908.] 8". 1st edition. (C.)	Ditto	20,000	1461	.....
	Price, not mentioned.				
654	— No. 338. Pages 4. [22nd September 1908.] 8". 1st edition. (C.)	Ditto	20,000	1902	.....
	Price, not mentioned.				
655	— No. 339. Pages 4. [22nd September 1908.] 8". 1st edition. (C.)	Ditto	20,000	1903	.....
	Price, not mentioned.				
656	Notes on Daily Bible Readings for July 1908. —[A Christian leaflet.] Edited by H. C. Rāhā. Pages 4. Published by the Y. W. C. A., 31, Free School Street, Calcutta. [12th June 1908.] 8". 1st edition. (C.)	Ditto	475	1250	.....
	Price, not mentioned.				
	[June 1908 noticed in entry No. 410 at page 135 of the Catalogue the quarter ending June 1908.]				
657	— For August 1908. Pages 4. [20th July 1908.] 8". 1st edition. (C.)	Ditto	475	1470	.....
	Price, not mentioned.				
658	— For September 1908. Pages 4. [13th August 1908.] 8". 1st edition. (C.)	Ditto	475	1697	.....
	Price, not mentioned.				
659	— For October 1908. Pages 4. [18th September 1908.] 8". 1st edition. (C.)	Ditto	475	1899
	Price, not mentioned.				

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	BENGALI—RELIGION—contd.				
660	পরিভ্রাণ যে চায় সেই পাইতে পারে। [Paritrān Ye Chay sei Paite Pare—"Salvation for all." A Christian leaflet.] Edited by Miss Angus. Pages 2. Published by the Baptist Zenana Mission, 44, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. [29th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	10,000	1270
661	পাঁচালী। দশম খণ্ড। [Panchālī. Dasam Khanda.—Metrical recitations. Part X. Religious songs.] Pages 144. Published by Vihāri Lal Sīl, Baburām Ghosh's Lane, Calcutta. 1314 sāl or 1907-08. A.D. [1st August 1908] 16°. 6th edition. Price, 2 annas. [3rd to 5th edition not received 2nd edition noticed in entry No. 3928 at pages 30-31 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1896.]	Tinkadi Chakravartī, 66, Nimu Gosvāmī's Lane, Calcutta.	1,100	1609	The Publisher, Baburām Ghosh's Lane, Calcutta.
662	Ramadayal Das.—সন্ন্যাস মঙ্গল। [Sanāyasa Mangal. An auspicious poem on asceticism. Description of the asceticism of Chaitanya in verse.] Pages 23. Published by Nityadāranjan Sen Kavirāj. Chaitanyāyda, 422 or 1908-09. A.D. [15th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Kālicharan Basu, 34, Musalmānpārā Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1649	The author, Phultoli, Khulna.
663	সাত্ৰপাঠ সম্মিলনী। সত্যিক দৈনিক পাঠাংশ। আগস্ট ১৯০৮। [Sastrapatha Sammilanī. Satik Dainik Pathansa. Congregation of reading Bible Lessons. Portion of Daily Lessons with annotation. For August 1908. A Christian leaflet.] Edited by Miss Robinson. Pages 4. Published by R. T. Archibald, Darjeeling. 1908. [20th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1481	.....
664	শ্রীমদ্ভগবদ্গীতা। [Srimadbhagavadgita.—The Divine Lay. The Gita in Bengali verse.] Translated by Haridās Ghosh. Pages 1, 1, 2, 118. Published by the author, 4, Ghoshpārā Lane, Sālikhā, Howrah. [22nd June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 8 annas.	Naphar Chandra Datta, Sālikhā Printing Works, Kaldāngā Lane, Sālikhā, Howrah.	500	20	The Translator, 4, Ghoshpārā Lane, Sālikhā, Howrah.
665	শ্রীসত্যনারায়ণ ব্রত কথা। [Sri Sri Satyanarayan Vrata Katha.—Story of the Vow in honour of the God Satyanārāyan. A religious story in verse.] Translated by Nityānanda Rāy, Kavirāj. Pages 68. Published by Mahādev Rāy, Sodpur, Birbhum. [30th June 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 4 annas.	J. N. Basu, Wilkin's Press, College Square, Calcutta.	500	1387	The author, Sodpur, Birbhum.
666	সচিত্র বৃহৎ সপ্তকান্ড রামায়ণ। [Sachitra Vrihat Saptakanda Ramayana.—The Rāmāyana in seven Kāndas. Enlarged and illustrated. Krittivās's Rāmāyana in full.] Pages 544. Published by De Brothers, 61, Ahirītōlā Street, Calcutta. 1315 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [7th September 1908.] 8°. New edition. Price, Rs. 2.	Priya Nāth Ghosh, 61, Ahirītōlā Street, Calcutta.	4,200	1797	De Brothers, 61, Ahirītōlā Street, Calcutta.

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667	সতীক মার্ক লিখিত সুসমাচার। [Satik Mark Likita Susama-char.—Gospel according to St. Mark in Bengali with annotation.] Edited by Rev. A. Jewson. Pages 6, 2, 483. Published by the B. S. S. Union, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. 1908. [25th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) (T.) Price, 12 annas.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	3,000	1488
668	সরল কৃষ্ণবিদ্যাস। [Saral krittivas.—Fasy Krittivās. An edition of the Rāmāyana by Krittivās with a short life of the author and an appendix by the editor.] Edited by Yogendra Nāth Basu, B.A. Pages 18, 232. Published by the editor, 20-1, Sarkār's Lane, Calcutta. 1315 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [31st August 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. Illustrated. (R.) Price, 1-8. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 582 at page 22 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1907.]	Sanyal & Co., 25, Raybagan Street, Calcutta.	2,050	1839	The editor.
669	উপদেশ পত্রিকা। [Upadesa Patrika.—Letters containing (religious) instructions. Religious instructions.] Pages 3, 3, 137, 70. Published by Vipin Vihari Datta 11, Upper Circular Road, Calcutta. 1315 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [10th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Lakshminārāyaṇ Dās, 43, Grey Street, Calcutta.	590	1786	.....
670	Vaisnav Charan Basak.—সান্না ও সিদ্ধি। [Sādhana O Siddhi. Practice and fulfilment of the desired object. A short manual treating of Hindu Philosophy, Yoga and other subjects connected with Hindu religion.] Pages 2, 248. Published by Basak and Sons, 127, Masjidbāri Street, Calcutta. [23rd August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2.	Dinanāth Mānnā, 127, Masjidbāri Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1805	The author, 127, Masjidbāri Street, Calcutta.
671	খ্রীষ্টীয় আপনার প্রচারিত ধর্ম বিষয়ে আপত্তিকারীদেরকে কিরূপ উত্তর দিতেন তাহার সংক্ষিপ্ত বর্ণনা।—[Yisu Khrista Apanar Pracharitra Dharma Visaye Apattikaridigake Kirup Uttar Diten tahar Sankshipta Varnana.—A short account of the answer, Jesus gave to his opponents in respect of the religion he preached. A Christian pamphlet.] Edited by W. McCullach. Pages 6. Published by the editor, Chinsura. [10th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) (T.) Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1273	.....
672	যোগবাসিষ্ঠ রামায়ণ। ৩য় খণ্ড। [Yogavasishtha Ramayana Sya Khanda.—The Rāmāyana containing lectures on Yoga by Vasistha. Part III. A Bengali translation of the Sanskrit work of the same name.] Pages 64. Published by G. P. Basu and Brothers, 2, Abhay Charan Ghosh's Lane, Calcutta. 1315 sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [25th August 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. (T.) Price, 4 annas. [1st edition of Part III noticed in entry No. 202 at pages 74-75 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1901 and Part II of the 2nd edition noticed in entry No. 201 at pages 74-75 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1901.]	Lakshminārāyaṇ Dās, 43, Grey Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1730

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	BENGALI—RELIGION—contd.				
673	<p>যোগবাসিষ্ঠ রামায়ণ। ৬ষ্ঠ খণ্ড। [Yogavasistha Ramayana 6 shtha Khanda—The Rāmāyana containing lectures on Yoga of the sage Vasistha. Part VI. A Bengali translation of the Sanskrit work of the same name] Pages 64. Published by G. P. Basu and Brothers, 2, Abhay Charan Ghosh's Lane, Calcutta. 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [2nd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.)</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p> <p>[Part V not received Part IV noticed in entry No. 244 at pages 54-55 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1901.]</p>	Lakshmináráyan Dás, 43, Grey Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1289
674	<p>Part VII. Pages 64. [2nd August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.)</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p>	Ditto	2,000	1502	.....
675	<p>Part VIII. Pages 64. [2nd September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.)</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p>	Ditto	2,000	1737	.....
676	<p>Zenana Leaflet, No. 336.—[A Christian Leaflet.] Edited by Rev. M. N. Náth. Pages 4. Published by the Christian Tract and Book Society, 23, Chowringhi Road, Calcutta. [24th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.)</p> <p align="center">Price, not mentioned.</p> <p>No. 335 noticed in entry No. 416 at page 25 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.</p>	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	10,000	1468	.....
677	<p>No. 337.—Pages 4. [24th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.)</p> <p align="center">Price, not mentioned.</p>	Ditto	10,000	1469	.....
678	<p>No. 338. Pages 4. [9th September 1908] 8°. 1st edition. (C.)</p> <p align="center">Price, not mentioned.</p>	Ditto	10,000	1900	.....
679	<p>No. 339. Pages 4. [9th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.)</p> <p align="center">Price, not mentioned.</p>	Ditto	10,000	1901	.....
	BENGALI—SCIENCE (MATHEMATICAL).				
680	<p>Joges Chandra Ray.—সঙ্কু-নির্মাণ। [Sanku-nirmán. Construction of a sun dial. Instructions about the construction of a sun dial.] Pages 2, 2, 120. Published by Dás Gupta & Co., College Street, Calcutta. 1830 Sak or 1908-09. A.D. [19th September, 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Illustrated.</p> <p align="center">Price, 8 annas.</p> <p align="center"><i>Educational—</i></p>	Sányál & Co., 25, Báybágán Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1832	The author Cuttack.
681	<p>Annadaprasad Ghosh.—আদর্শ ধারাপাত মনসংসংক। [Adarsa Dhárápát Samvalita Mánasáńka. Mental Arithmetic with model Arithmetical tables. Intended for Primary schools.] Pages 29. [20th April 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 1 anna.</p>	Sítánáth Vatavýál, 2-1, Kodár Náth Basu's Lane, Bhawánpur	1,000	21

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	BENGALI—SCIENCE (MATHEMATICAL)—concl'd.				
	<i>Educationul—cont'd.</i>				
682	Hariballabh Mandal.—পাঠীগণিত। প্রথম ভাগ। [Pátiganit. Prathama bhág. Arithmetic. Part I. For the use of Lower Primary schools.] Pages 124. Published by Sányál & Co., 25, Ráybágán Street, Calcutta. 1908. [26th August 1908.] 16". 2nd edition.	Sányál & Co., 25, Ráybágán Street, Calcutta.	2,050	1842	The author's Pabna.
	Price, 4 annas.				
	[1st edition noticed in entry No. 5619 at pages 36-37 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1898.]				
683	Kamini Kumar Chakravartti.—মানসিক ও শুভকারী। [Mána-sánka O Subhankarí. Mental Arithmetic and Subhunkar's rules. For the use of Middle Vernacular schools.] Pages 3. 101. Published by Bhattacháryya & Sons, 66, College Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [4th September 1908.] 16". 10th edition.	Sányál & Co., 25, Ráybágán Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1845	The publisher, 66, College Street, Calcutta.
	Price, 4 annas.				
	[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 5618 at pages 36-37 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1898.]				
684	Macmillan & Co.—নিম্ন প্রাথমিক পাঠীগণিত। [Nimna Práthamik Pátiganit. Lower Primary Arithmetic.] Pages 1, 115. Published by the author, 809, Bowbásár Street, Calcutta. [10th July 1908.] 16". 8th edition.	R. Datta, 46, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	15,000	1402	The publisher, 809, Bowbásár Street, Calcutta.
	Price, 3 annas.				
	[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 421 at page 26 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]				
685	Narayandas Banerji.—শিসুশিক্ষা পাঠীগণিত। [Sisusikshá Pátiganit. Arithmetic for the instruction of boys.] Pages 1, 118. Published by S. K. Náth and G. C. Náth, 29, Canning Street, Calcutta. 1908. [8th June 1908.] 16". 6th edition.	R. Datta, 46, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	5,000	1222	Káli Dás Bānerji, Calcutta.
	Price, 4 annas.				
	[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 240 at page 33 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1908.]				
686	Ramadas Banerji.—শুভকারী ও ধারাপত্র। [Subhankarí O Dhárá-pát. Subhankar's system of Arithmetic and Arithmetical Tables. Intended for 1st and 2nd standards.] Pages 2, 61. Published by the author, Chorbágán, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [1st September 1908.] 16". 1st edition.	Mukherji and Chatterji, 76, Balarám De's Street, Calcutta.	40	1798	The author, Aryya Mission Institution, Chorbágán, Calcutta.
	Price, 2 annas.				
687	———. শুভকারী। [Subhankarí. Subhankar's system of Arithmetic. Intended for 3rd and 4th standards.] Pages 2, 84. Published by the author, Chorbágán, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [3rd September 1908.] 16". 1st edition.	Ditto	80	1799	Ditto.
	Price, 4 annas.				
688	———. [For 5th and 6th standards.] Pages 1, 73. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [6th September 1908.] 16". 1st edition.	Ditto	80	1800	Ditto.
	Price, 4 annas.				

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	BENGALI—SCIENCE (MATHEMATICAL).—concl'd.				
689	Ramaprasanna Banerji.—মানসঙ্ক। [Mānasāṅka. Mental Arithmetic. Intended for boys.] Pages 4, 80. Published by Rāmagati Banerji, Suri, Birbhum. [30th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	B. P. Majumdār, 22-2, Jhāmāpukur Lane, Calcutta.	2,000	1874	The author, Suri, Birbhum.
	BENGALI—SCIENCE (NATURAL) AND OTHER.				
	<i>Educational—</i>				
690	Ashan-ullah (M. A.).—পদার্থ পরিচয়। দ্বিতীয় খণ্ড। [Padārtha Parichay. Dvitiya Khanda. Object Lessons. Part II. A Bengali Science Reader.] Pages 54. 1908. [16th September 1908.] 16". 2nd edition. Illustrated. Price, 2 annas. [1st edition not received]	Atul Chandra Bhat-tāchāryya, 57, Harrison Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1787	The author, Chittagong.
691	Kumudini Kanta Banerji (Rai Bahadur, M. A.).—নিম্ন প্রাথমিক বিজ্ঞান পাঠ। [Nimna Prāthamik Vijnāna Pāth. Lower Primary Science Reader.] Pages 1, 112. Published by Messrs. Macmillan & Co., 309, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta. [13th July 1908.] 16". 14th edition. Illustrated. Price, 3 annas. [13th edition not received, 12th edition noticed in entry No. 424 at page 27 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]	R. Datta, 46, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	20,000	1403	The publisher, Calcutta.
692	Nitya Gopal Mukherji (M. A., M. R. A. C., &c) and Trailokya Nath Mukherji (F. L. S.).—বিজ্ঞান-শিক্ষা। [Vijnāna Sikshā. Instruction in Science. A science reader.] Pages 4, 38. Published by G. N. Haldār, 63, College Street, Calcutta. 1908. [16th June 1908.] 16". 3rd edition. Illustrated. Price, 3 annas. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 246 at page 34 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1908.]	R. Datta, 46, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	15,000	1221	The authors and Panchanan Mukherji, Calcutta.
	ENGLISH—DRAMA.				
166	Banerjee, S. B.—The Inimitable Mrs. Markhamby. [A play in two scenes. A domestic play.] Pages 12. Published by S. B. Banerji, 15-2, Raghu Nath Chatterji's Street, Calcutta. 1908. [28th July 1908.] 16". 1st edition. Price, 6d.	Vihāri Lal Nāth, 3, Madan Mitra's Lane, Calcutta.	200	1549	The author, 15-2, Raghunāth Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.
	ENGLISH—FICTION.				
167	Arabian Nights' Entertainments (The).—Edited by Andrew Lang. Pages 14, 339. Published by Messrs Longman Greens & Co., 303, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta. 1908. 1st September 1908.] 16". Indian edition. Illustrated. (H). Price, Rs. 1-4.	Atul Chandra Bhattāchāryya, 57, Harrison Road, Calcutta.	5,000	1736	The publisher, 303, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.

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	ENGLISH—FICTION—concl'd.				
	<i>Educational—</i>				
158	Washington Irving's <i>Rip Van Winkle and The Legend of Sleepy Hollow</i> .—[With notes, introduction by the editor and University questions.] Edited by S. Basu. Pages 84. Published by the Oriental Publishing Home, 11, Isvar Thákur's Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [25th July 1908.] 16° 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	J. N. Basu, 11, Isvar Thákur's Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1400	The editor, College Square, Calcutta.
	ENGLISH—HISTORY (INCLUDING GEOGRAPHY).				
159	M. M. D. L. T.—History of Hyder Sháh <i>alias</i> Hyder Ali Khán Bahadur. (The). [A <i>facsimile</i> reprint of the only authentic history of Hyder Shah and Tippu Sultan.] Pages 2, 9, 388. Published by the Vangavási Office, 38-2, Bhavání Charan Datta's Street, Calcutta. 1908. [30th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Rs. 2.	N. Chakravartí, 38-2, Bhavání Charan Datta's Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1930	
160	Macpherson, D. W., (Capt.).—History of the 2nd Madras Infantry. Vol. I. [From 1759 to 1902.] Pages 1, 63. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. 1908. [7th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta.	20	1334	The author, Dibrugarh, Assam.
161	Wopendra Nath Ghosh (B.A.).—Rohtas Garh. [History of Rotas Garh with maps.] Pages 48. Published by the author, Cuttack, 1908. [30th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2-8.	E. W. Warburton, Orissa Mission Press, Cuttack.	300	114	The author, Falsipur, Cuttack.
	<i>Educational—</i>				
162	Ghosh, E. P.—Century Geography (The). Pages 4, 338. Published by S. K. Lahiri & Co., 54, College Street, Calcutta. 1908. [10th June 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition. (Revised). Illustrated. Price, Re. 1. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 6 at page 27 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1907.]	Atul Chandra Bhattácháryya, 57, Harrison Road, Calcutta.	2,000	1245	.....
163	Ghosh, E. P., and Lily Soward.—Elementary Geography for Indian Schools. Pages 3, 120, 11. Published by N. C. Datta, 32, College Street, Calcutta. 1908. [7th August 1908.] 16°. New edition. Illustrated. Price, 6 annas. [Previous edition not received.]	J. N. Basu, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1577	The authors, 18-1, Convent Road, Entally, Calcutta.
164	Kailas Chandra Manna (B.A.) and Purna Chandra Haldar.—Matriulation Geography. Pages 8, 207. Published by S. C. Adhya & Co., 58, Wellington Street, Calcutta. 1908, [17th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 12 annas.	Batakrishna Dás, 10, Haladhar Barddhan's Lane, Calcutta.	2,000	1298	The authors, L. M. S. Institution, Bhawanipur.

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	ENGLISH—HISTORY (INCLUDING GEOGRAPHY) —concl'd. <i>Educational—concl'd.</i>				
165	Sris Chandra Sarvadhikari. —Brief History of India for Students, (A). Pages 2, 1, 160, 4. Published by Priya Nāth Dās, 85, Wellesley Street, Calcutta. 1908. [1st September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 3	Priyanāth Dās, 85 Wellesley Street, Calcutta.	250	1857	The author, 85, Wellesley Street, Calcutta.
166	Vinod Vihari Mukherji. —A Primer of Matriculation Geography with exercises on maps. Pages 1, 72. Published by S. C. Adhya & Co., 58, Wellington Street, Calcutta. 1908. [20th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Batakrishna Dās, 10, Haladhar Barddhan's Lane, Calcutta.	2,000	1434	The publisher, 58 and 12, Wellington Street, Calcutta.
	ENGLISH—LANGUAGE. <i>Educational—</i>				
167	Asutosh Mitter, (M.A.). —Notes on the Crown of Wild Olive. Pages 196. Published by S. C. Adhya & Co., 58 and 12, Wellington Street, Calcutta. 1908. [21st August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1600	The publishers, 15, Haladhar Barddhan's Lane, Calcutta
168	Basu, B. C. (Rai Bahadur) and Majid, A. (M.A.). —Lower Primary Reader. Book I. Pages 116. Published by Messrs. Macmillan & Co. 309, Bowbazar Street Calcutta. 1908. [22nd September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, not mentioned.	Rev'd. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	225	1915	...
169	Bose, P. (M.A.). —Notes on George Elliot's "Silas Marner." Pages 101. Published by K. N. Basu & Co., 23, Navābdi Ostāgar's Lane, Calcutta, [15th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-2.	Navin Chandra Basu, 5, Akur Datta's Lane, Calcutta.	500	1635	The publishers, 23, Navābdi Ostāgar's Lane, Calcutta.
170	Das, D. N., (B.A.). —Notes on George Elliot's "Silas Marner." Pages 94. Published by the author, 28, European Asylum Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [21st July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	M. L. Pātra, 164-2, Baitakkhānā Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1356	The author,
171	——— Macaulay's Essay on Milton with notes. Pages 144. Published by the author, 28, European Asylum Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [10th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 12 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1450	Ditto.
172	——— Notes on Ruskin's "Crown of Wild Olive." Pages 98. Published by the author, 28, European Asylum Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [20th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	2,000	1534	Ditto.

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	ENGLISH—LANGUAGE.—contd.				
	<i>Educational—concl'd.</i>				
173	English translation of the Persian Intermediate Course, Calcutta University for 1909 and 1910 (An). Part I.—Translated by Syed Husain Ali (S.A.). Pages 180, 16. Published by N. C. Datta & Co. 32, College Street, Calcutta. 1908. [10th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.)	G. C. Niyogi, 91-2, Mechhuyabazar Street, Calcutta.	750	1428
	Price, Rs. 2.				
174	Gangadhar Banerji (M.A.)—Why you Fail in English. Pages 3, 100. Published by S. K. Lahiri & Co., 64, College Street, Calcutta. 1908. [17th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition.	Ditto	2,000	1368	.....
	Price, 6 annas.				
175	Gossain, H. M. (B.A.)—Notes on Poetical English Reader No. III. Part I. Pages 118. Published by the Hari Mohan Library, 29, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1908. [15th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	N. C. Pal, 70, Baranasi Ghosh's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1548	The author, Serampur.
	Price, 8 annas.				
176	Gupta, S. O. (M.A.)—Philology with Calcutta University B. A. questions. Pages 72. 1908. [2nd September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition.	M. Manná, 11, Wellesley Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1744	The author, 163, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.
	Price, 8 annas.				
177	Isvar Chandra Chakravartti.—Conversational Lessons for Kindergarten Composition. Pages 2, 1, 2, 88. Published by G. N. Haldár, 63, College Street, Calcutta. 1908. [30th August 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition.	Sanyál & Co, 25, Raybagan Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1841	The author, Midnapur.
	Price, 4 annas.				
	[1st edition noticed in entry No. 17 at page 37 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1908.]				
178	Nrisinha Chandra Mukherji (M.A.)—Child's English Grammar and Analysis of Sentences for Beginners (The). Pages 2, 80. Published by S. C. Bhattacharyya, 63, College Street, Calcutta. [25th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition.	J. N. Basu, Wilkins' Press, College Square, Calcutta.	2,000	1359	The author, 9, Kalidás Lane, Calcutta.
	Price, 3 annas.				
9	Stephen, (Professor, M.A.)—Lecture Notes on Julius Cæsar. Pages 54. Published by the National Depository, 54-7, College Street, Calcutta. 1908. [14th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition.	N. C. Pal, 70, Baranasi Ghosh's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1542	The author, General Assembly's Institution, Calcutta.
	Price, 4 annas.				
180	Kingsley, (Charles)—Heroes or Greek Fairy Tales for my children with notes (The).—Edited by Bhattacharyya and Sons. Pages 1, 171, 87. Published by the editor, 65, College Street, Calcutta. [2nd September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition.	Sanyál & Co., 25, Raybagan Street, Calcutta.	3,000	1831	The editor, 65, College Street, Calcutta.
	Price, 1 shilling.				

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	ENGLISH—LAW.				
181	Kinney, Alex. —Probate and Administration Act. [Being Act V of 1881, with notes of cases and references to regulations, &c.] Pages 10, 1, 40, 111. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. 1808. [8th July 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Price, Rs. 6.	Thacker, Spink & Co., Thacker, Spink & Co.'s Press, Calcutta.	750	1333	The author, Deputy Administrator-General, Bengal.
182	Bengal Tenancy Act (The). —[Being Act VIII of 1885 as amended by subsequent amending Acts including Eastern Bengal and Assam Amendment Act, Eastern Bengal and Assam Act I of 1908.] Pages 16, 123. Published by Jyotish Chandra Haldar, B.L., Howrah. 1908. [8th September 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Price, 12 annas.	Yogendra Nath Mallik, 19, Grey Street, Calcutta.	500	1743	.....
183	Calcutta Criminal Rulings. Vols. I to XI. —[Being a reprint of the reports of Criminal cases from the Calcutta Weekly Notes.] Edited by J. Chaudhuri. Pages 104, 119, 136, 96, 256, 30, 210, 33, 235, 28, 172, 26, 162, 18, 170, 25, 188, 25, 196. Published by Jay Gopal Das, 3, Hastings Street, Calcutta. 1908. [27th August 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Price, Rs. 24.	Jay Gopal Das, 3, Hastings Street, Calcutta.	500	1631	The editor, 3, Hastings Street, Calcutta.
184	Code of Civil Procedure. —[Being Act V of 1908.] Edited by Cháru Chandra Bhatácháryya, M.A., B.L. Pages 82, 243, 166. Published by Jnanendra Nath Basu, College Square, Calcutta. 1908. [1st August 1908.] 16". 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Jnanendra Nath Basu, College Square, Calcutta.	3,000	1576	The editor, 48, Káldás Patitandi Lane, Kálighát.
185	Digambar Chatterji (M.A., B.L.). —Eastern Bengal and Assam Tenancy (Amendment) Act, Act No. I of 1908, and Supplement to Rampini's Bengal Tenancy Act with notes and rulings, &c.] Pages 2, 68. Published by Messrs. S. K. Lahiri, & Co., 54, College Street, Calcutta. 1908. [20th July, 1908.] 8" 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2.	Atul Chandra Bhatácháryya, 57, Harrison Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1788	The publishers, 54, College Street, Calcutta.
186	Eastern Bengal and Assam Tenancy (Amendment) Act. —[Being Act I of 1908, Eastern Bengal and Assam Council.] Edited by J. Chaudhuri. Pages 25. Published by Jay Gopal Das, 3, Hastings Street, Calcutta. 1908. [3rd August 1908.] 16". 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Jay Gopal Das, 3, Hastings Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1630	The Editor, 34, Baliganja, Circular Road Calcutta.
187	Howard, W. J. (LL.B., Trin. Coll., Dub. Barrister-at-Law). —Memorandum of Practice in Civil cases. (A). [Contains a Memorandum of Practice in the trial of Civil Suits.] Pages 2, 104. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. 1908. [31st August 1908.] 16". 2nd edition. Price, Rs. 2.	Thacker, Spink & Co., Thacker, Spink & Co.'s Press, 6, Mango Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1657	The author.
188	— Pages 75. Published by Rahmatullá, Gaya. [21st April 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Rahmatullá, District Board Press, Gaya.	100	1	The author, Gaya.

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	ENGLISH—LAW—concl'd.				
189	Janaki Nath Pal (B.L., Shastri). —The Code of Civil Procedure. [Being Act No. V of 1908, together, with an introduction and comparative table showing the distribution of the sections of the repealed Code between the sections and orders of the new Code, explanatory notes, notes of leading cases, extracts from the Reports of the Special Committee and of the Select Committee and a copious and comprehensive index.] Pages 22, 538, 59. Published by B. Baral, 3 to 5, Bow Street, Calcutta. 1908. [29th July, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	B. Baral, 3-5, Bow Street, Calcutta.	4,000	1417	The author and D. E. Cranenburgh, 3 to 5, Bow Street, Calcutta.
	Price, Rs. 5.				
190	LeMesurier, H. (I.C.S.). —Collier's Bengal Self-Government Hand-book. [Containing the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (B. C. Act III of 1885) and other laws relating to the duties of the District Boards in Bengal with the general rules and others issued by the Local Government including the special rules in force in Eastern Bengal and notes.] Pages 21, 576. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. 1908. [2nd June 1908.] 16°. 4th edition.	Thacker, Spink & Co., 6 Mangoe Lane, Calcutta.	750	1229	The estate of the late F. R. S. Colliers, r.c.s.
	Price, Rs. 10.				
	[Previous edition not received.]				
191	Mahim Chandra Sarkar. —Land Acquisition Acts, (The). [Being Act I of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885 with notes.] Pages 16, 232. Published by Jay Gopal Dás, 3, Hastings Street, Calcutta. 1908. [10th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition.	Jay Gopal Dás, 3, Hastings Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1436	The author, 15, Cháulpati, Lane, Bhawani-pur.
	Price, Rs. 2-8.				
192	Muddiman, A. P. (I. C. S.). —Provincial Insolvency Act, (The) [Being an annotated edition of Act III of 1907 together with the rules made thereunder by the High Courts of Calcutta and Madras] Pages 10, 134. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. 1908. [27th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Thacker, Spink & Co., 6, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1655	The author.
	Price, Rs. 4-8.				
193	New Code of Civil Procedure (The). —[Being Act No V of 1908.] Edited by Kedár Náth. Pages 6, 252. Published by the Editor, Meerut City. 1908. [30th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Haris Chandra Datta, 84, Rádhá Bázár Street, Calcutta.	5,000	1372	The Editor, Book-Agent, Tahsil, Meerut City.
	Price, Re. 1-8.				
194	O'Kinealy, J. and Rampini, R F., (M. A., LL.D.) —The Code of Civil Procedure, Vol. I. [Being Act No. V of 1908 with a commentary.] Pages 344, 439. Published by Messrs. S. K. Lahiri & Co., 54, College Street, Calcutta. 1908. [1st September 1908.] 8°. New edition.	Atul Chandra Bhattá-cháryya, 57, Harrison Road, Calcutta.	4,000	1734	Robert Rampini, M.A. LL.D.
	Price, Rs. 18.				
	[6th edition noticed in entry No 36 at page 25 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1906.]				
	Educational—				
195	Selection of Leading Cases. Part II. —[Mahomedan Law and Law relating to persons for the use of B.L. students.] Edited by P. N. Sen and others. Pages 170. Published by the Calcutta University, College Square, Calcutta. 1908. [1st September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	J. N. Basu, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1847	The Calcutta University, College Square, Calcutta.
	Price, Re. 1.				
	[Part I noticed in entry No. 37 at page 39 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1908.]				

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ENGLISH—MEDICINE.					
196	Charaka-Samhita. Part LI. Lesson XXI-XXII. —[A compilation by Charaka. An English translation of the well-known Ayurvedic medical work.] Translated by Kavirāj Avinās Chandra Kaviratna. Pages 32. Published by Kavirāj Pares Nāth Sarmā Kavibhūshan, 200, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1908. [30th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T)	B. N. Nandī, 12, Simla Street, Bye-Lane, Calcutta.	2,250	1430	The publisher, 12, Simla Street, Bye-Lane, Calcutta.
	Price, Rs. 2.				
	[Previous Part noticed in entry No. 117 at page 30 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]				
197	——— Part LII. Lesson XXII-XXIII. Pages 32. 1908. [21st September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto ...	2,250	1891	Ditto.
	Price, Rs. 2.				
198	Ewens, G. F. W. (M.D.).—Insanity in India. [Containing its symptoms and diagnosis, with reference to the relation of crime and insanity.] Pages 12, 347. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 6 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. 1908. [17th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition.	Thacker, Spink & Co., 6, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1555	The author.
	Price, Rs. 7-8.				
199	Kandi Kuppa Sree Jagannath Moorty. —Subhadraince. (A name). Advertisements of indigenous medicines with a dictionary containing the equivalent synonyms of herbs, mules, plants and ingredients in English, Telegu, Sanskrit, Hindustani and Bengali.] Pages 62. Published by the author, Calcutta. 1907. [17th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated.	Bholā Nāth Ghosh, 111, Rādhā Hāzār Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1390	No. 40. The author, 72, Bartalā Street, Barabazar, Calcutta. Reg. No. 39, dated 24-7-1908.
	Price, Re. 1.				
ENGLISH—MISCELLANEOUS.					
200	Ahmad, M.U. —Some thoughts on the present Mauzadari system of Assam. Pages 26. [14th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	K. M. Banerji and Brothers, 3, Mohan Lal Mitra's Lane, Calcutta.	500	1782	The author, Gauhati, Assam.
	Price, 4 annas.				
201	Asian Pocket Book, 1907-08. Vol. XXX. —[Being a complete record of racing in India and Burma during the season 1907-08.] Compiled by G. Temple. Pages 528, 111. Published by the compiler, 4, Waterloo Street, Calcutta. 1908. [26th June 1908.] 32°. 1st edition.	Ernest Acton, 3, Wellesley Place, Calcutta.	350	1237	The compiler, 4, Waterloo Street, Calcutta.
	Price, Rs. 7-8.				
	[Previous Volume noticed in entry No. 121 at page 27 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1907.]				
202	Atul Krishna Banerji, (M.A., B.L.) —An introduction to the study of international Law. [Being an outline of the Law of Nations.] Pages 8, 108. Published by the author, 27, Mitra's Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [30th July 1908.] 9°. 1st edition.	Abinās Chandra Chatterji, 37, Bethune Row, Calcutta.	250	1497	The author, 27, Mitra's Lane, Calcutta.
	Price, Rs. 2-8.				

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	ENGLISH—MISCELLANEOUS—contd.				
203	Bose, S. N. (Prof.).—A Practical Course in Hypnotism and Occultism. Pages 51. Published by the author, 4, Sashtitalá Road, Kidderpur, Calcutta. [10th August 1907.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Rs. 5.	Syed Habibar Rahman, 123, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1947	No. 41. The author, 4, Sashtitalá Road, Kidderpur, Calcutta. Reg. No. 78, dated 11-11-07.
204	By-Laws of Lodge, "Lesmoir," Ranchi.—Edited by R. T. Dundas. Pages 36. Published by the editor, Ranchi. 1908. [1st September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Rev. E. Mueller, G. E. L. Mission Press, Ranchi.	50	6	The editor, Ranchi.
205	Complete Syllabuses. [For the intermediate examination in Arts and Science for 1910 and after.] Edited by Hari Mohan Goswami. Pages 50. Published by the editor, 29, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. [19th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	M. N. Goswami, Town Printing Press, Serampur.	1,000	2	The editor, Serampur.
206	Ross, C. Edmonstone.—Supplement to Ross's Cipher. [A simple system for codifying figure or letter cipher by means of syllables which automatically detect and prevent errors in signalling.] Pages 16. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. 1908. [25th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Thacker, Spink & Co., 6, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta.	500	1228	The author.
207	Extract from the Report of the Assam Labour Enquiry Committee.—[Containing the recommendations of the committee for improving the labourer's condition in Assam.] Pages 19. Published by Messrs Shaw, Wallace & Co., Calcutta. 1908. [27th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Ditto ...	100	1656	.....
208	Fifteenth Annual Report of the Calcutta Deaf and Dumb School (The).—[For Session 1907.] Pages 6, 28. Published by Abdul Latif, 6, College Square, Calcutta. 1908. [17th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, nil.	Abdul Latif, 6, College Square, Calcutta.	500	1337	.....
209	Indian Field Shikar Book.—[Containing various informations relating to Indian games.] Compiled by W. S. Burke. Pages 406, 5. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. 1908. [7th September 1908.] 32°. 4th edition. Price, Rs. 5.	Thacker, Spink & Co., 6, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta.	1,500	1808	The author.
210	[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 160 at page 28 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1906.] Khuda Buksh, S. (M. A., B. C. L., Bar-at-Law).—Extracts from the journal of the Moslem Institute. Vol. III. No 4. April to June 1908. [Describing the rise of the Caliphate and its conversion into Sovereignty] Pages 28. Published by H. W. B. Moreno, B.A., 31-7, Dharmatalá Street, Calcutta. [25th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	A. W. B. Moreno, B.A., 31-7, Dharmatalá Street, Calcutta.	28	1610	The author, 86, Ripon Street, Calcutta.

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	ENGLISH—MISCELLANEOUS—contd.				
211	Koylash Chandra Mukherjee —Few sayings and opinions (A). [Being sayings and opinions of the late Rai Bankim Chandra Chatterji, Bahadur, C. I. E., as expressed before the author.] Pages 2, 34, 1. Published by the author, Pipulpati, Hugli. 1908. [8th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Nityánanda Ghosh, Bhavání Press, Hugli.	1,000	8	The author, Pipulpati, Hugli.
212	List of Arabic and Persian Mss. —[Being the List of Arabic and Persian Mss. Acquired by the Asiatic Society of Bengal during 1906-1907.] Edited by the Asiatic Society of Bengal. Pages 61. Published by the editor, 57, Park Street, Calcutta. [24th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	600	1687	.....
213	Manmatha Nath Dutt (Sastri, M.A.) —Heroines of Ind. An account of the heroic deeds of some Indian ladies of the past. Pages 40, 183. Published by the Society for the Resuscitation of Indian Literature, 3, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta. 1908. [8th September 1908.] 8°. 3rd edition Price, Rs. 2. [2nd edition noticed in entry No. 4220 at pages 26-27 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]	Hari Charan Dás, 3, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1754	The author, 3, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta.
214	Manohar Lall. —Appeal [A defence of British Rule in India.] Pages 27. [28th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	P. S. D'Rozario & Co., 11, British Indian Street, Calcutta.	3,000	1580	.....
215	Moreno, H. W. B. (B. A.) —Free Masonry Revealed. [A series of short stories of Anglo-Indian life concerning Masons and Masonry.] Pages 82. Published by the author, 31-7, Dharmatalá Street, Calcutta. [16th July 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 110 at page 26 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1907.]	H. W. B. Moreno, 31-7, Dharmatalá Street, Calcutta.	500	1353	The author, 31-7, Dharmatalá Street, Calcutta.
216	Palm Leaves from Loreto in India. —[A series of letters on different matters and Loreto House School Chronicles] Edited by Mother J. Michael. Pages 66-4. Published by the Loreto House, Middleton Row, Calcutta. 1908. [23rd July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1.	P. S. D'Rozario & Co., 11, British Indian Street, Calcutta.	500	1579	.....
217	Question Papers for the B. L. and M. L. Examinations. —[Calcutta University question papers for 1907.] Edited by the Calcutta University. Pages 21. Published by the Editors, College Square, Calcutta. 1908. [29th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	400	1716

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	ENGLISH—MISCELLANEOUS—contd.				
218	Question Papers for the F. E. and B. E. Examinations. —[Calcutta University question papers for 1907.] Edited by the Calcutta University. Pages 34. Published by the Editors, College Square, Calcutta. 1908. [29th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	400	1718
219	Question Papers for the M. B. and L. M. S. Examinations. —[Calcutta University question papers for 1907.] Edited by the Calcutta University. Pages 21. Published by the Editors, College Square, Calcutta. 1908. [27th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Ditto ...	400	1717	.....
220	Racing Calendar (The). Vol. XX.—[A Calendar for horse races from 1st April 1907 to 31st March 1908.] Pages 211, 656. Published by the Calcutta Turf Club, Calcutta. 1908. [29th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 10. [Previous volume noticed in entry No. 124 at page 27 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1907.]	Thacker, Spink & Co., 6, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta.	275	1330	The Stewards, the Calcutta Turf Club.
221	Report of the German Evangelical Lutheran (Goswami's) Mission in Chota Nagpur and Assam. —[Annual report for 1907.] Edited by the G. E. L. Mission. Pages 59. Published by Rev. E. Mueller, Ranchi. 1908. [1st November 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Rev. E. Mueller, Ranchi.	500	5	The Editor Ranchi.
222	Report of the Patna Divisional Agricultural Association. —[Annual report from July 1907 to June 1908.] Pages 27. Published by Chandí Prasád Sinha, Bankipur. 1908. [29th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Chandí Prasád Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.	...	56	The Patna Divisional Agricultural Association.
223	Report of the Silpa Samiti. —[Report of working during 1907-08 of the art association named in the title.] Pages 18. [25th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	P. C. Mukherji & Sons, 24, Beadon Street, E. C., Calcutta.	500	1922	.....
224	Report of the Silpa Samiti, 1908. —[An account of its work from the date of its foundation to the end of the Bengali year 1313.] Pages 26, 4, 2. Published by Abdul Latif, 6, College Square, Calcutta. [26th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Abdul Latif, 6, College Square, Calcutta.	500	1942

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ENGLISH—MISCELLANEOUS—contd.					
225	Rules and Regulations of the Arrah Nagri Paroharini Sabha. —[Containing the rules and regulations as amended up to 1907.] Edited by the Arrah Nāgri Prashārini Sabhā. Pages 19. Published by the editor, Arrah. [28th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Chandī Prasād Sinha, Khadga-vilas Press, Bankipur.	...	57	The Nāgri Prashārini Sabhā, Arrah.
226	Rules and Bye-laws. —[Of the Darjeeling Mission Savings Bank, Ltd.] Edited by Rev. R. Kilgour, B.D. Pages 16. Published by Rev. G. P. Pradhān, Darjeeling. 1908. [22nd June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	G. P. Pradhān, Gorkha Press, Darjeeling.	500	7	.....
227	Samudrika Sastram or The Hindu Science of Palmistry. [A book on Palmistry, compiled from old Sanskrit manuscripts and various ancient publications.] Pages 146. Published by Sarkār & Co., 113, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. [21st July 1903.] 12°. 1st edition. Illustrated Price, Re. 1-8.	K. M. Sinha, 113, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1498	.....
228	Satis Kumar Banerji. —Educational Guide. [A Hand book for Indian teachers. Series I.] Pages 2, 66. Published by the author, 45, Banetola Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [6th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas	Haris Chandra Datta, 81-84, Rādhā Bāsar, Calcutta.	2,000	1568	The author, 45' Banetola Lane, Calcutta.
229	Sepoy Officer's Manual (The). —[Lieut. Barrow's. A book of reference for the Infantry Officers of the Indian Army.] Edited by Lieutenant M. S. Hewitt. Pages 14, 148. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. 1908. [16th July 1908.] 16°. 4th edition (Revised up to date). Price, Rs. 3. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 3483 at pages 46-47 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1895.]	Thacker, Spink & Co., Thacker, Spink & Co.'s Press, Calcutta	1,000	1335	The publishers—5 & 6, Government Place, Calcutta.
230	Sibeswar Dayal (B.A.). —Female Education. [An Essay on female education with special reference to Behar.] Pages 18. Published by Aklu Lāl, Bankipur. 1908. [10th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Aklu Lāl, Behar Bandhu Press, Bankipur.	1,000	46	The author Bankipur.
231	Sita Ram Peshawaria. —The improved Interest Ready Reckoner. [containing tables for calculating interest at $\frac{1}{4}$ to 12 per cent.] Pages 20. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. 1908. [6th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2.	Thacker, Spink & Co., 6, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1227	The author.
232	Statement in regard to the Liquor shops and the Licensing system of Calcutta (A). Edited by Rev. H. Anderson. Pages 19. Published by the editor, 48, Ripon Street, Calcutta. [4th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta	750	1247

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	ENGLISH—MISCELLANEOUS—conclld.				
233	University of Calcutta Minutes. Vol LI.—[Calcutta University Minutes for 1907.] Edited by the Registrar, Calcutta University. Pages 1105. Published by the editor, Senate House, Calcutta. [22nd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price nil. [Previous volume noticed in entry No. 173 at page 27 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1907.]	R. Datta, 46, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	350	1404	The editor, Senate House, Calcutta.
234	———Part I. Vol. LII. [Ditto for 1908.] Pages 397. [11th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price nil.	Ditto ..	500	1796	Ditto.
235	Vox. —India, 1949—2275. [A satire on the Indians' claim for Self-Government.] Pages 32. Published by the Manager, Catholic Orphan Press, 4, Portuguese Church Street, Calcutta. 1908. [13th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas. <i>Educational—</i>	M. Apol, Catholic Orphan Press, 4, Portuguese Church Street, Calcutta.	5,000	1926	.....
236	India and Missions. —[Introductory lessons on the geography of India and its social and religious systems, intended for the Mission study classes.] Compiled by V. S. Ayarrah. Pages 91. Published by the National Council of Y. M. C. A., 86, College Street, Calcutta. [20th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	N. Mukherji, 16-1, Syámá Charan De's Street, Calcutta.	1,500	1288	The publisher, 86, College Street, Calcutta.
	ENGLISH—PHILOSOPHY.				
237	Vivekananda (Svami). —Thoughts on Vedánta. [A collection of lectures on the Vedánta Philosophy delivered in Europe and America.] Pages 100. Published by the Rám Krishna Mission, 17, Basupárá Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [24th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 10 annas.	Surendra Náth Bhat-tácháryya, at the British India Printing Works, Howrah.	1,000	22	No. 42. Svámí Satya-káma, 17, Basu-párá Lane, Calcutta. Reg. No. 33, dated 24.6.08.
238	Bibliotheca Indica. New Series. No 1183. olokavartika.—Fasc. VII. [Title page and index of the English translation of Kumárika's well-known work on Mimánsá philosophy with extracts from the commentaries of Pátha Sárathi and Sucharita.] Edited by Gangá Náth Jhá, M.A. Pages 17. Published by the Asiatic Society of Bengal, 57, Park Street, Calcutta. 1908. [12th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, nil. [Fasc. VI noticed in entry No. 56 at page 32 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1907.] <i>Educational—</i>	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	500	1263	.....
239	Bose (P). —Deductive Logic. [Logic for the use of Intermediate Students.] Pages 163. Published by K. N. Basu & Co., 23, Navárdi Ostágar's Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [23th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-4.	Navin Chandra Basu, 5, Akur Datta's Lane, Calcutta.	500	1439	K. N. Basu & Co., 23, Navárdi Ostágar's Lane, Calcutta.
240	Students' Handbook of Logic (The). —[A handbook of Logic deductive and inductive, for the use of Arts examinees.] Pages 168. Published by R. C. Chakravarti, 20, Patnyátolá Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [22nd August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8.	Prahlád Chandra Dás, 20, Patnyátolá Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1590	Kailás Chandra Chakravarti, 20, Patnyátolá Lane, Calcutta.

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ENGLISH—POETRY.					
241	Elson, S.B. —The same Old Stuff-British Built. [A song in praise of the crew of the Ship "Gladiator" wrecked.] Pages 2. Published by K. P. Mukherji & Co, 20, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta. [1st September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	K. P. Mukherji & Co., 19 and 20, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta.	500	1670	The author, 72, Diamond Harbour Road, Calcutta.
	Price, 6 pies.				
242	Gladys Emanuel, Mrs. John Grossmann. —Indian Songs of Passion. Pages 2, 32. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. 1908. [15th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta.	100	1807	The author.
	Price, Rs. 1.				
243	Kalam-i-Urdu. Part II. —[An English translation of the Urdu poetry pieces selected for the Urdu Proficiency Examination.] Translated by Sham-ul-'Ulámá' Maulvi Mahammad Yusuf Jáfari. Pages 49. Published by the Board of Examiners, 4, Park Street, Calcutta. 1908. [16th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T). [Part I noticed in entry No. 3 at page 43 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1907.]	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1913	.....
	Price, not mentioned.				
244	Keble, Captain J.A. —Darjeeling Ditties and other Poems. [Descriptive and other poems.] Pages 136. Published by the Edinburgh Press, 300, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta. 1908. [17th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated.	W. E. P. Hume, 300, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	...	1789	The author, the Homestead Happy Valley Tea Estate, Darjeeling.
	Price, Rs. 1.				
245	Muhammad Mohsin —Glories of the Full Moon. [A descriptive poems.] Pages 18. Published by the Star Press, Cuttack. 1908. [16th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	K. C. Ráy, Star Press, Cuttack.	1,000	97	The author, Alam Chánd Bazar, Cuttack.
	Price, 4 annas.				
246	Sorab and Rustum. —[Mathew Arnold's Sorab and Rustum with a short life of the author, notes, etc.] Pages 2, 11, 23, 12, 14. Published by the Imperial Press, 31-7, Dharmatala Street, Calcutta. 1908. [September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	The Imperial Press, 31-7, Dharmatala Street, Calcutta.	100	1823	H. W. D. Moreno, 31-7, Dharmatala Street, Calcutta
	Price, Rs. 2.				
ENGLISH—POLITICS.					
247	Speeches of Bepin Chandra Pal. —[Speeches on the "new movement" delivered by Babu Bepin Chandra Pal at Madras and elsewhere] Pages 136. Published by Ramesh Chandra Chaudhuri, 20, Patyátolá Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [2nd September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition.	K. B. Chatterji, Nagendra Steam Printing Works, 17, Lower Chitpur Road, Calcutta.	3,000	1860	.....
	Price, 4 annas.				
ENGLISH—RELIGION.					
248	Bhisma, His Life and Teachings. Part II. —[The Life of Bhisma as given in the Mahábhárata.] Edited by J. N. Basu. Pages 79. Published by the Oriental Publishing House, 11, Isvar Thákur's Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [1st July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Printed by J. N. Basu at the Wilkins Press, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1399	The author, 11, Isvar Thákur's Lane, Calcutta.
	Price, Rs. 1.				
	[Part I noticed in entry No. 192 at page 29 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1907.]				

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	ENGLISH—RELIGION—concl'd.				
249	Dowe, Arthur W. —Theopathy. [Doctrine of healing through faith in God.] Pages 1, 4, 31. Published by J. R. Robinson, 27, Gardner's Lane, Calcutta. 1907. [29th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 14 annas.	M. Mánná, 11, Wellesley Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1745	The author, 27, Gardner's Lane, Calcutta.
250	Ramasray Prasad. —Theosophical Catechism. Part I [Sets fourth the aims and objects of theosophy and the Theosophical Society.] Pages 24. Published by the Bihar Theosophical Federation, Bankipur. 1908. [31st August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Mahammad Rahim-Baks, Dinapur.	1,000	46	The author, Subhankarpur, Muzaffarpur.
251	Vivekananda (Svami). —Realisation and its Methods [A collection of Lectures on Hindu Religion delivered in America.] Pages 165. Published by the Rám Krishna Mission, 17, Basu Pará Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [24th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 12 annas.	Surendra Nath Bhattacháryya, British India Printing Works, Howrah.	1,000	21	No. 43, Svami Satya Káma, 17, Basu-pará Lane, Calcutta. Reg. No. 32, dated 24-6.
	ENGLISH—SCIENCE (MATHAMETICAL).				
	<i>Educational—</i>				
252	Gauri Sankar De. —Graphs of Algebraical Functions. [Intended for students of Arts Examinations with answers.] Pages 92. Published by S. C. Adhya & Co., 58 and 12, Wellington Street, Calcutta. 1908. [8th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Bata Krishna Dás, 10, Haladhar's Barddhan's Lane Calcutta.	3,000	1433	The author, General Assembly's Institute, Calcutta.
	ENGLISH—SCIENCE (NATURAL AND OTHER).				
253	Green, E. E. —Memoirs of the Department of Agriculture in India. Entomological Series, Vol. II, No. 2. [Remarks on Indian Scale Insects. (<i>Coccidæ</i>). Part II.] Pages 32. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. [16th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1-8. [Vol. II, No. 1 noticed in entry No. 154 at page 34 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]	Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta.	1,000	1224	The author.
254	Maxwell-Lefroy, H. —Memoirs of the Department of Agriculture in India. Entomological Series, Vol. II, No. 3. [The Red Cotton Bug (<i>Dysdercus Cingulatus</i> , Fabr.).] Pages 12. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. [22nd August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1.	Ditto	1,000	1653	Ditto.
255	—Entomological Series, Vol. II, No. 4. [The Castor Semi-Looper (<i>Ophiura Melicerta</i> , Dr.).] Pages 20. Published by ditto. [25th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Rs. 2.	Ditto	1,000	1225	Ditto.
256	—Entomological Series, Vol. II, No. 5. [The Tobacco Caterpillar. (<i>Prodenia Littoralis</i>).] Pages 15. Published by ditto. [24th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1-8.	Ditto	1,000	1654	Ditto.

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	ENGLISH—SCIENCE (NATURAL AND OTHER)— concl'd.				
257	Maxwell-Lefory, H. and C. C. Ghosh. —Memoirs of the Department of Agriculture in India, Entomological Series, Vol. I No. 6. [The Mustard Sawfly (<i>Athalia Proxima</i> , Klug).] Pages 14. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. [10th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1. [Vol. I, No. 5, noticed in entry No. 97 at page 24 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1907.]	Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta.	1,000	1223	The author.
258	Transactions of the Mining and Geological Institute of India. —Vol. II, Index. Edited by the Honorary Secretary. Pages 6. Published by the Institute of Mining and Geology in India, 2, Bankshall Street, Calcutta. 1908. [7th September 1908] 4°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	400	1707	.....
259	Watson, E. R. —Memoirs of the Asiatic Society of Bengal. Vol. II, No. 7. [The fastness of the indigenous dyes of Bengal.] Pages 14. Published by the Asiatic Society of Bengal, 57, Park Street, Calcutta. 1908. [1st August 1908] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 12 annas. [Vol. II, No. 6, noticed in entry No. 6 at page 39 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1905.]	Ditto ...	800	1452	.....
	HINDI—ART.				
72	सङ्गीत सोपान । प्रथम भाग । [Sangit Sopan. Pratham Bhaḡ.—Stepping-stone to music. Part I. An easy method of learning to play on the Harmonium with the aid of musical notations.] Translated by Satya Nārāyan Bhatta. Pages 2, 28. Published by Pál & sons, 2, Lower Chitpur Road, Calcutta. 1908. [26th August 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. Illustrated. (F.) Price, 12 annas. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 100 at pages 18-19 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1902.]	Sányál & Co., 25, Ráybágán Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1840	The publisher, 2, Lower Chitpur Road, Calcutta.
	HINDI—DRAMA.				
73	Bankey Vihari Lal. —सावित्री नाटिका । [Sávitri Nátiká. Drama on the story of Sávitri. A mythological drama.] Pages 79, 1. Published by Rájkisor Varmá and brothers, Patna City. 1908. [30th April 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas.	Rájkisor Varmá and Brothers, Rájñiti Press, Patna City.	500	73	The author, Nayátolá, Bankipur.
74	Dhaunkalram. —खाय सैयद खाँ जवाब को । [Khyál Saiyad Khán Untváí Ko. Story of Syed Khán, a Camel Driver. A drama based on a love story.] Pages 24. Published by Rámál Nemáni, 59, Cotton Street, Calcutta. Samvat 1965 or 1908-09. A.D. [17th August 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition. Price, 4 annas. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 1638 at pages 62-63 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1897.]	Mánik Chandra Ghosh, 59, Cotton Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1565	The publisher, 59, Cotton Street, Calcutta.

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	HINDI—DRAMA—conold.				
75	Harihar Prasad —भारत पराजय नाटक। [Bhārat Parājay Nātak. Drama about the conquest of India. An historical drama.] Pages 76. Published by the author, Gaya. 1908. [20th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas.	Harihar Prasad, Agarwālā Press, Gaya.	100	2	The author Gaya.
76	Khusiram —राजा हरिश्चन्द्र। [Rājā Harischandra. King Harischandra. A mythological drama.] Pages 43. Published by Mahādev Sarmā, Patna. 1908. [1st September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas and 6 pies.	Mahādev Sarmā, Satya Sudhākar Press, Patna.	1,000	28	Ganes Datta, Misra, Chauk, Patna.
77	Saukilal and Ramdin Sinha —रंगीला मियाँ वो छिहरील बिबी। [Rangilā Miya' Vo Chhabilī Bībī (Two names) A domestic farce in two acts.] Pages 30. Published by Gopāl Krishna Lal, Book-seller, Chauk, Patna City. 1908. [20th June 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas and 6 pies.	Rājāksor Varma and Brothers, Rajniti Press, Patna City.	1,000	48	No. 44. The publisher, Chauk, Patna City. Reg. No. 49, dated 26-9-08.
78	Nanu Lal Rana —खयाल अमलदार। [Khyāl Amaldār. Play (in songs) on the story of Amaldar (a name).] Pages 28. Published by Rām Lal Nemānī, 59, Cotton Street, Calcutta. Samvat 1965 or 1908-09. A.D. [13th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Mānik Chandra Ghosh, 59, Cotton Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1570	The publisher, 59, Cotton Street, Calcutta.
79	Nanu Lal Rana —खयाल गान्दीका। [Khyāl Gāndikā. Play (in songs) on the story of (a scent vendor) Gāndī.] Pages 24. Published by Rām Lal Nemānī, 59, Cotton Street, Calcutta. Samvat 1965 or 1908-09. A.D. [28th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1567	Ditto.
80	Nanu Lal —खयाल पांडवों का विराट पर्व। पद्य भाग। [Khyāl Pāndabon Kā Virāt Parva, Pahalā Bhāg. Play (in songs) on the story of the Pāndavas contained in the Virāt Parva of the Mahābhārata.] Pages 58. Published by Rām Lal Nemānī, 59, Cotton Street, Calcutta. [4th August 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition. Price, 8 annas. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 36 at pages 20-21 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1902.]	Ditto	1,000	1566	Ditto.
81	Nanu Lal Rana —खयाल बोरेका। [Khyāl Borekā. Play (in songs) on the story of Borā (a love story).] Pages 8. Published by Rām Lal Nemānī, 59, Cotton Street, Calcutta. Samvat 1965 or 1908-09 A.D. [25th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Ditto	1,000	1571	Ditto.
82	Vajera Teli —खयाल स्याम किलनजा इन्द्रपरी। [Khyāl Syām Kilanjā Indra Parī. Play (in songs) on the story of a Fairy of Indra named Kilanjā. Pages 47. Published by Rām Lal Nemānī, 59, Cotton Street, Calcutta. Samvat 1965 or 1908-09. A.D. [19th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1568	Ditto.

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	HINDI - FICTION.				
83	Hajari Lal. — किसा तिलस्मी तहखाना । [Kissá Tilasmí Tahkháná. Story of a Magical under ground Room. A romantic story.] Pages 24. Published by Mahádev Sarmá, Patna [27th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Mahádev Sarmá, Satya Sudhákár Press, Patna.	1,000	27	Kanhaiyá Lál, Book-seller, Patna City.
84	इन्दिरा । [Indira.—A name. Translation of a social story of Ráy Bahadur Vankim Chandra Chatterji's of the same name.] Translated by Kisorí Lal Gosvámí. Pages 158. Published by Ráma Ranavijay Sinha, Bankipur. 1908. [26th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T). Price, Re 1-4.	Chandí Prasád Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.	1000	64	The publisher, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.
	HINDI—HISTORY (INCLUDING GEOGRAPHY).				
85	आर्यकीर्ति । द्वितीय खण्ड । [Aryya Kirtti Dvitiya Khanda—Aryan Glory. Part II. History of the Sikhs in India. A translation of Babu Rajani Kánta Gupta's work of the same name.] Translated by Pratáp Náráyan Misra. Pages 79. Published by Chandí Prasád Sinha, Bankipur. 1908 [2nd September 1908] 16°. 1st edition. (T). Price, 4 annas. [Part I not received.] <i>Educational—</i>	Chandí Prasád Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.	300	71	Ráma Ranavijay Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.
86	Prothero. — अपर प्राथमरी भूगोल पाठ । [Apar Práimarí Bhúgol Páth. "Upper Primary Hindi Geography Reader." Pages 50. Published by Messrs. Macmillan & Co., Ltd., 309, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta. [16th July 1908.] 16°. Revised edition. Illustrated. Price, 3 annas. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 9 at page 35 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1907.]	R. Datta, 46, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	5,000	1362	The author, Calcutta.
	HINDI—LANGUAGE.				
87	हिन्दि व्याकरण की प्रस्ताविका सूचि । [Hindi Vyakaran Ki Prastavika Suchi. An Index of the subjects proposed to be treated of Hindi-grammar.] Pages 2, 23. Published by the Arrah Nagri Pracháriní Sabhá, Arrah. [26th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil. <i>Educational—</i>	Chandí Prasád Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.	200	60	The Arrah Nagri Pracháriní Sabhá, Arrah.
88	Ganga Prasad Misra. — बाल शिक्षा । [Bála Sikshá. Instructions to Children. A collection of moral lessons.] Pages 56. 1908. [2nd September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Illustrated Price, 2 annas and 6 pies.	Ditto	400	72	The author Patna City.
89	हिन्दि भाषा की तीसरी पुस्तक की सरल सुन्दर व्याख्या । [Hindi Bhasha Ki Tisri Pustak Ki Saral Sundar Vyakhya.—An easy good Key to Hindi Third Book. A Key.] Pages 126. Published by M. N. Barman & Co., Book-sellers, Murádpur, Bankipur. 1908. [1st September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas.	Ditto	1,000	70	Ráma Ranavijay Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.

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HINDI—LANGUAGE.—contd					
<i>Educational—</i>					
90	हंसफ कहानी । [Isaph-Kahani.—Æsop's Fables. A Hindi translation of the English work of the same name.] Translated by Rām Nārāyan Sinha. Pages 32. Published by Chandī Prasād Sinha, Bankipur. 1908. [27th June 1908.] 16° 1st edition. (T.) Price, 2 annas.	Chandī Prasād Sinha, Khadgavilas Press, Bankipur.	100	36	Rāma Banavijay Sinha, Khadgavilas Press, Bankipur.
91	लिखने के नमूने की कापी नं १ । [Likhne Ke Namune Ki Kapi. Nam 1.—"Sample Copy Book. No. 1."] Pages 56. Published by the Behar Book Society, Bankipur. 1908. [1st September 1908.] 16° 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Ditto	1,000	68	Ditto
92	—[Nam 2. Ditto. No. 2]. Pages 56. Published by ditto. 1908. [1st September 1908.] 16° 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Ditto	1,000	69	Ditto.
93	Ram Das Ray.—हिन्दी भाषा की तीसरी पुस्तक की पूरी व्याख्या । [Hindi Bhāshā Kī Tīsri Pustak Kī Purī Vyākhyā. A complete Key to Hindi Third Book. A Key.] Pages 117. Published by Aklu Lāl, Bankipur. 1908. [5th July 1908.] 12° 1st edition. Price, 6 annas.	Aklu Lāl, Bihar Bandhu Press, Bankipur.	1,000	46	The author, Head Master, Sibhar M. E. School, Muzaffarpur.
94	Udit Narayan Sinha.—हिन्दी भाषा की तीसरी पुस्तक की सरल व्याख्या का पूर्वाह्न खण्ड । [Hindi Bhāshā Kī Tīsri Pustak Kī Saral Vyākhyā Kā Pūrvārdha Khanda. The first half of the Easy Key to Hindi Third Book.] Pages 6. Published by the author, Manjhol, Monghyr. 1908. [11th July 1908.] 12° 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto	1,000	49	The author, Head Master, M. V. School, Manjhol, Monghyr.
HINDI—MISCELLANEOUS.					
95	आरा नागरी प्रचारिणी सभा की नियमावली । (सन् १९०७ ई तक संशोधित ।) [Ara Nagri Pracharini Sabha Ki Niyamavali. (San 1907 In Tak Sansodhita.)—Rules of the Arrah Nagri Pracharini Association, (corrected up to 1907)] Pages 26. Published by the Arrah Nagri Pracharini Sabha. Arrah. 1908. [26th August 1908.] 8° 1st edition. Price, nil.	Chandī Prasād Sinha, Khadgavilas Press, Bankipur	1,000	59	The Arrah Nagri Pracharini Sabha, Arrah.
96	Basanta Lal Sahu.—नियमावली निमित्त "शुद्ध बनिक् सभा" । Niyamavali Nimit Suddha Banik Sabhā. Rules for the Pure Banik Sabhā (Association). Pages 27. Published by the author, Bhagalpur. 1908. [27th June 1908.] 8° 1st edition. Price 2 annas.	M. A. Hamid, Behar Angel Press, Bhagalpur.	500	1	The author, Sufaganj, Bhagalpur.
97	Gobinda Saran Tripathi.—कर्तव्य पालन । [Kartavya Pālan. Performance of duty. An essay enunciating the principles of duty.] Pages 50. Published by Chandī Prasād Sinha, Bankipur. 1908. [23rd June 1908.] 16° 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Chandī Prasād Sinha, Khadgavilas Press, Bankipur.	100	38	Rāma Banavijay Sinha, Khadgavilas Press, Bankipur.

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	HINDI—MISCELLANEOUS.—contd.				
98	Kanhaiya Lal. —बरसाती षटा। दुसरा भाग। [Barshāfi-Ghatā Dusrā Bhāg. Cloud of the Rainy Season. Part II. Love songs.] Pages 48. Published by Mahādev Sarmā, Patna. [28th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas. [Part I noticed in entry No. 1660 at pages 30-31 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1897.]	Mahādev Sarmā, Satya Sudhakar Press, Patna.	1,000	30	The author, Book-seller, Patna City.
99	Khushi Saha —गुजल रसिक चिन्तामणि। [Gajal Rasik Chintāmani. The Chintāmani Jewel of the Gajal (songs for the witty). Religious and Love Songs.] Pages 40. Published by Mahādev Sarmā, Patna. 1908. [30th August 1908.] 12°. 3rd edition. Price, 2 annas. [2nd edition not received 1st edition noticed in entry No. 65 at pages 20-21 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1903.]	Ditto ...	2,000	31	Ramdhani Sāha Dinapur.
100	Mati Lal Sinha. —गजलिह सङ्ग्रह। [Gajalīh Samgraha. A collection of Gajal songs. Love songs.] Pages 14. Sekh Devāli Miān, 6, Free School Street, Calcutta. [18th September 1908.] 4°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Sekh Devāli Miān, 6, Free School Street, Calcutta.	500	1815	Musammāt Mahārāni Bowā 6, Free School Street, Calcutta
101	Mathura Nath Sinha. —उपदेश माला। [Upades Mālā. Garland of Instructions. A collection of essays on a variety of subjects.] Pages 60. Chandī Prasād Sinha, Bankipur. 1908. [2nd June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Chandī Prasad Sinha, Khadgavilās Press, Bankipur	100	32	Rāma Ranavijay Sinha, Khad- gavilās Press, Bankipur.
102	Mahammad (Haji Saiyad) —बारहमासा सुन्दर कलिका। [Bārah-māsā Sunder Kalikā. Beautiful Blossoms of twelve months. Love songs.] Pages 21. Published by Ganes Datta Misra, Patna City. 1908. [24th May 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Mahādev Sarmā, Satya Sudhakar Press, Patna City.	1,000	32	The manager, Sankar Pusta- kālay, Patna City.
103	नया असली जादू का पिटारा। [Naya Asali Jaduka Pitara.—A Box of New Real Magic. Magical incantations, etc.] Pages 30. Published by Sultān Khān, Gurhātā, Patna City. [25th May 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto ...	1,000	21	Sultān Khān Mogalpurā Patna City.
104	Nath Sahay. —दम्पति राग बिदास। [Dampati Rāg Bilās. A Couple's Mutual Expression of love. A collection of religious and love songs.] Pages 49. Published by the author, Mogalpurā, Patna City. [20th May 1908.] 12°. 4th edition. Price, 3 annas. [3rd edition noticed in entry No. 17 at page 36 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1907.]	Ditto ...	1,000	24	The author, Mogalpurā, Patna City.
105	Purladram. —कविता और गजल कवचमाला। [Kavitta Aur Gajal Kal-katālikā. Descriptions of Calcutta in Gajal and Kavitta Metro. Songs relating to Calcutta.] Pages 12. Published by Rām Lal Nemāni, 59, Cotton Street, Calcutta. Sambat 1865 or 1908-09. A.D. [24th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Mānik Chandra Ghosh, 59, Cotton Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1569	The publisher, 59, Cotton Street, Cal- cutta.
106	Raghu Nath Drivedi. —शिक्षा उपदेश। पहला भाग। [Sikshā Samgraha. Pahalā Bhāg. A Collection of Instructive Lessons. Part I. Useful instructions on a variety of subjects.] Pages 56. Published by Chandī Prasād Sinha, Bankipur. 1908. [3rd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price 3, annas.	Chandī Prasad Sinha, Khadgavilās Press, Bankipur.	100	42	Rāma Ranavijay Sinha, Khadga- vilās Press, Bankipur.
107	—Parts, II, III and IV (together). Pages 28, 27, 16. Published by ditto. 1908. [3rd July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto ...	100	43	Ditto.

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HINDI—MISCELLANEOUS—contd.					
108	Ram Garib Chaube.—कार्यसम्पादन । [Káryya Sampádan. Accomplishing the duty. An essay on duty.] Pages 56. Published by Chandí Prasád Sinha, Bankipur. 1908. [28th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas and 6 pies.	Chandí Prasád Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.	100	35	Ráma Banavijay Sinha, Khadgavilás Press Bankipur.
109	Ram Garib Chaube.—पुस्तक व्यवहार । [Pustak Sahavás. Inter-course with books. An essay on the usefulness of reading books.] Pages 52. Published by Chandí Prasád Sinha, Bankipur. 1908. [24th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto ...	100	38	Ditto.
110	Ramdhani Saha.—मस्तान काजरी । [Mastán Kajrí. Intoxicating Kajrí songs. Love Songs.] Pages 48. Published by Rámdhani Saha and Mahádev Prasád, Sadarbázár, Danapur Camp. 1908. [39th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Mahádev Sarmá, Satya Sudhákár Press, Patna.	1,000	26	The author, Book-seller, Dinapur.
111	सम्मिलित मूलधन समिति । [Sammilita Muldhan Samiti.—“Joint-stock Company.” Describes the benefits of joint-stock Companies to a country's economic progress. Pages. 2, 2, 93, 2. Published by the Hita Chintak Mandalí, Chupra. 1908. [4th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Chandí Prasád Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.	2,000	44	The publisher, Chupra.
112	Sultan Khan.—दिल्ली का भण्डार । [Dillagí Ká Bhándár. Store of Jokes. Short Humorous Stories.] Pages 24. Published by the author, Gurhattá, Patna. [21st May 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Mahádev Sarmá, Satya Sudhákár Press, Patna City.	1,000	19	The author, Mogulpura, Patna.
113	Visvesvar Dayal Sinha.—प्रबन्ध रचना विधि । [Prabandha Rachaná Vidhi. Rules for writing Essays.] Pages 16. Published by Chandí Prasád Sinha, Bankipur. 1908. [28th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Chandí Prasád Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.	100	37	Ráma Banavijay Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.
114	Vijayananda Tripathi.—सदुपदेश सती । [Sadupades Satí. One hundred good instructions. Good instructions on various subjects.] Pages 19. Published by Chandí Prasád Sinha, Bankipur. 1908. [25th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Ditto ...	100	44	Ditto.
115	वृहद्राशि माला । [Vrihadrasí mala.—Garland of the signs of the Zodiac. Enlarged. A short treatise on Astrology.] Pages 40. Published by Kánháiyá Láí, Patna City. 1908. [13th July 1908.] 8°. 6th edition. Price, 2 annas. [2nd to 4th edition not received 1st edition noticed in entry No. 1615 at pages 44-45 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1896.]	Rájkisor Varmá, Rájníti Press, Patna City.	2,000	53	The publisher, Book-seller, Chauk, Patna City.

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	HINDI—MISCELLANEOUS—concl'd.				
	<i>Educational—</i>				
116	किण्डरगार्टन गाइड । प्रथम खण्ड—उपहार व्यवहार । [Kindergarten Guide. Prathama Khanda—Upahar Vyavahar—Kindergarten Guide. Part I. Occupation (according to the syllabus of the new scheme).] Pages 54. Published by the Bihar Book Society, Bankipur. 1908. [27th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Chandí Prasád Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.	1,000	65	The publisher, Bankipur.
117	किण्डरगार्टन गाइड । दूसरा खण्ड—ज्ञानेन्द्रियों का साधन । Kindar Garton Gaid. Dusra Khanda—Jnanendriyon ka Sadhan.—Kindergarten Guide. Part II. Training of the Senses (according to the syllabus of the new scheme)] Pages 48. Published by the Bihar Book Society, Bankipur. 1908. [27th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto ...	...	...	Ráma Ranavijay Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.
118	Ram Charitra Ray Varma.—कर्म संगीत । [Karmma Sangit. Action songs.] Pages 12. Published by Siva Katan Ráy Varmá, Patna Training School, Bankipur. 1908. [7th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 1 anna and 3 pies.	Aklulál, Bihárbandhu Press, Bankipur.	1,000	60	The publisher, Patna Training School, Bankipur.
	HINDI—POETRY.				
119	Hajari Lal.—रसकेलि दोहावली । [Rasakeli Dohaválí. A collection of amorous couplets. An amorous dialogue between a male and a female in verso.] Pages 32. Published by Mahádev Sarmá, Patna City. [31st August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Mahádev Sarmá, Satya Sudhákár Press, Patna.	1,000	29	Kánháiyá Lál, Book-seller, Patna City.
120	हिन्दि करीमा । [Hindi Karima.—Karímá (a name) in Hindi Verses translated from the well-known Persian work of the same name by the poet Sadi.] Translated by Rámdás Ráy. Pages 2, 27. Published by Chandí Prasád Sinha, Bankipur. 1907. [21st June 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 2 annas.	Chandí Prasád Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.	1,000	81	The translator Sivahar, Musafarpur.
121	कुलियात नज्दीर । [Kuliyat Najir. A collection of poems by Najir. Poems on a variety of subjects.] Pages 39. Published by Kánháiyá Lál, Book-seller, Patna City. 1908. [28th April 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Rájkisor Varmá and Brothers, Rájníti Press, Patna City.	1,000	74	The publisher, Book-seller, Chaur, Patna City.
122	Ram Prasad.—नसीहतनामा । [Nasihatnámá. Book of Instruction. Instructive verses.] Pages 20. Published by Mahádev Sarmá, Patna City. [1st June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 6 pies.	Mahádev Sarmá, Satya Sudhákár Press, Patna.	1,000	20	Nanit Lál, Book-seller, Patna City.

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	HINDI—RELIGION.				
123	बड़ा गोपालगारी । [Bada Gopalgari.—Abusing Gopāla (Krishna), enlarged. Religious songs.] Pages 13. Published by Sultān Khān, Book-seller, Garhāttā, Patna City. [22nd May 1908] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Mahādev Sarmā, Satya Sudhākar Press, Patna City.	2,000	23	The publisher, Book-seller, Mogalpurā, Patna City.
124	बीज बनेहार । [Bij Banehara.—“A sower.” A Christian leaflet] Edited by Miss Angus. Pages 2. Published by the Baptist Zenana Mission, 44, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. [29th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, nil.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	10,000	1264	.....
125	Dhaunkalram.—देव सिन्धु । [Prem Sindhu. Ocean of Love. A collection of Bhajan songs]. Pages 118. Published by Khubrām Agarvālā, 59, Cotton Street, Calcutta. 1908. [14th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Harish Chandra Ghosh, 59, Cotton Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1522	No. 45. The publisher, Darjeeling. Reg. No. 41, dated 14-8-08.
126	धर्मपुस्तक के इतिहास । पहिला भाग । पुराने नियमका इतिहास । Dharma Pustak ke Itihas.—Pahila Bhag. Purane Niyamka Itihas. History of the Bible. Part I. History of the Old Testament. Translated from the renowned Bible History in German by Nurenberg and Maskow.] Pages 121. Published by Rev. E. Mueller, G. E. L. Mission, Ranchi. 1908. [13th July 1908.] 8°. 4th edition. (T.) Price, 4 annas. [3rd edition noticed in entry No. 121 at pages 22-23 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1904].	Rev. E. Mueller, G. E. L. Mission Press, Ranchi.	3,000	2	.....
127	Ganapatilal (Munsi).—गोनदमनवत रहस्य । पुर्वार्द्ध । [Srimad Bhagavat Rahasya. Pūrvārdha. Mysteries of the Lord. Vol. I. A Vaishnava work.] Pages 8, 520. Published by Aklu Lāl, Bankipur. 1908. [29th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 4.	Aklu Lāl, Bihar-bandhu Press, Bankipur.	1,000	54	The author, Diwān, Islām-pur, Bihar.
128	Hara Prasad Sinha Sarma.—चिद्विलास । [Chidvilās. Delight of the mind. Sports of Rādhā and Krishna.] Pages 214. Published by Satyadev Prasād Sinha Sarmā, Sameyāgaḍ. 1908. [11th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re 1-8.	Ditto	200	52	The publisher, Sameyāgaḍ.
129	खोए हुए का दंडना । [Khoe Hue ka Dhundhna.—“A Lost son.” A Christian leaflet.] Pages 2. Published by the Baptist Zenana Mission, 44, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. [29th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	10,000	1267	.....
130	मण्डली ब्रितान्त का पहिले खण्ड का पहिला अध्याय । रोमन मत खण्ड । [Mandali Brittanta Ka Pahile Khanda ka Pahila Adhyaya Roman Mat Khandan.—First Chapter of Part I of Church History and Refutation of Romanism.] Pages 22. Published by Rev. E. Mueller, Ranchi. 1908. [1st July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. (C.) Price, 2 annas.	Rev. E. Mueller, G. E. L. Mission, Ranchi.	1,000	1

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	HINDI—RELIGION—concl'd.				
131	Mati Lal Sinha. —भारत विलाप [Bharath Viláp. Lamentation of Bharat (a name). Lamentations for Ráma by his brother Bharat.] Pages 48. Published by Shaikh Deváli Mián, 6, Free School Street, Calcutta. 1908. [12th September 1908.] 4°. Litho. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 3 annas.	Shaikh Deváli Mián, 6, Free School Street, Calcutta.	500	816	Mosamat Maháráf Bewá, 6, Free School Street, Calcutta.
132	मरे हुये का जी उठना । [Mare Hue ka Ji Uthna.—A Dead Man raised. A Christian leaflet.] Edited by Miss Angus. Pages 2. Published by the Baptist Zenana Mission, 44, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. [20th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	10,000	1265	.....
133	Nehemia Barla. —मण्डारी धर्म का काथा । [Mundárf Dharma ká kathá. An account of the Mundari Religion.] Pages 6. Published by the author, Ranchi. [20th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Rev. E. Mueller, Ranchi.	200	4	The author, Kajra, Ranchi.
134	Nityananda (Svami), ईश्वर प्रार्थना । [Ishvar Práarthana. Prayers to God.] Pages 4. Published by Badrináráyan Gupta, Phatuhá, Patna. [25th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Chandí Prasád Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.	100	63	The publisher, Phatuhá, Patna.
135	Pritam Chandra Vijnani. —रामसुमरणी । [Ráma Sumaraní. Remembrance of Ráma. Praises of Ráma.] Pages 18. Published by Mahádevsarmá, Patna City. [28th May 1908.] 16°. 3rd edition. Price, nil. Previous edition not received.	Mahádev Sarmá, Satyasudhákár Press, Patna City.	1,000	18	The author, Mangalor, Sâharanpur.
136	सबोंकी त्रास मिटे । [Sabhonki Tran Mile.—"Salvation for all." A Christian leaflet.] Pages 2. Published by the Baptist Zenana Mission, 44, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. [29th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	10,000	1266	.....
137	Sitala Prasad Tripathi. —सवित्री चरित्र । [Sávitri Charitra. Life of Sávitri. An account of the life of the ideal Hindu wife Sávitri.] Pages 28. Published by Chandí Prasád Sinha, Bankipur. 1908. [29th June, 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Chandí Prasád Sinha, Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.	100	39	Ráma Ranavijay Sinha Khadgavilás Press, Bankipur.
	NEPALI—LANGUAGE.				
6	J. P. Kurthak. —अर्थिमाला । [Arthimálá. Garland of stories. A collection of fables.] Pages 60. Published by G. P. Pradhán, Darjeeling. 1908. [30th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Rev. G. P. Pradhán, Gorkhá Press, Darjeeling.	500	8

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	NEPALI—MISCELLANEOUS.				
6	<p>द्वारजीलिंग निषम सेमिंग्स बैंक लिमिटेडका नियमहरू र कौटा नियमहरू । [Dvarjiling Misan Sebhings Benk Limitedka Niyamharu Ra Ohota Niyamharu.—Rules and bye-laws of the Darjeeling Mission Savings Bank, Limited.] Compiled by Rev. R. Kilgour, B. D. Pages 17. Published by the Compiler, Darjeeling. 1808. [8th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="right">Price, 4 annas.</p>	Rev. G. P. Pradhán, Gorkhá Press, Darjeeling.	500	10
	NEPALI—POETRY.				
7	<p>Hasirman Rai—नेपाली विहाको श्लोक । [Nepali Viháko Shlok. The Nepali Marriage Poem.] Pages 23. Published by Rev. G. P. Pradhán, Darjeeling. 1908. [31st July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="right">Price, 4 annas.</p>	Ditto	500	9	.....
	NEPALI—RELIGION.				
8	<p>येसुका जीवन चरित्र । [Yesuka Jivana Charitra.—Life of Jesus Christ] Pages 97. Published by the Eastern Himalayan Church of Scotland Mission Council. 1908. [8th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C.)</p> <p align="right">Price, 2 annas.</p>	Ditto	3,000	11	.....
	PERSIAN—LANGUAGE.				
	<i>Educational—</i>				
6	<p>بهارے خزان حصہ دوم [Bahar-i-Be khezan Hissa Duam.—Spring without autumn, i.e., Perpetual Spring. Persian Reader intended for the Lower Standards. Part II] Compiled by Maulavi Mohammad A. M. Azizulla. Pages 4, 24. Published by the compiler, Assistant Master, Maldah Zillah School. 1908. [25th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="right">Price, 8 annas.</p> <p>[Part.I not received.]</p>	Mahammad Majid Ali, 98, Harrison Road, Calcutta.	500	1811	The Compiler, Assistant Master, Maldah Zillah School, Maldah
	PERSIAN—MEDICINE.				
7	<p>Bibliotheca Indica. New Series. No. 1192. The Qawanin u's Sayyad of Khuda Yar Khan Abbasi.—[Rules for Hunters by Khuda Yar Khan Abbasi. A treatise on diseases of animals and their remedies.] Edited by Lieutenant Colonel D. C. Phillott. Pages 30, 433. Published by the Asiatic Society of Bengal, 57, Park Street, Calcutta. 1908. [21st August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (R).</p> <p align="right">Price, not mentioned.</p>	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	500	1712

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	SANSKRIT—LANGUAGE.				
29	Bibliotheca Indica, New series, No. 1185.—महाभाष्यप्रदीपो- दत्तः । [Mahābhāṣhyapradīpodyotah. The Illuminator of the lamp of the great scholium. Vol III. Fasc. VIII.] Edited by Bahu Vallabh Sāstri. Pages 96. Published by the Asiatic Society of Bengal, 57 Park Street, Calcutta. 1908. [8th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, not mentioned [Fasc. VII noticed in entry No. 1 at page 54 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1908.]	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	500	1485	...
30	Purushottam Vidyavagis Bhattacharyya.—प्रयोग वचनमाला वाक्यशास्त्रम् । [Prayoga Vātanamālā Vyākaranam. Grammar about the garland of jewels of applications of words. A Sanskrit Grammar.] Pages 238. Published by Nārāyan Chandra Chakravartī and Gopāl Chandra Chakravartī, Vanagram. 1829 sak or 1907-08. A. D. [20th Augut 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 12 annas. Educational—	Abdul Latif, 6, Col- lege Square, Cal- cutta.	1,900	1546	Gopāl Chandra Chakravartī, Vanagram.
31	प्रवेशिका । [Pravesika.—The Calcutta University Sanskrit Selections for the Matriculation Examination of 1910.] Edited by Nrisinha Chandra Mukherji, M.A., B.L. Pages 144. Published by the Calcutta University, Calcutta. 1908. [5th September 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition. Price, Re. 1. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 6 at page 54 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1908.]	Atul Chandra Bhat- tāchāryya, 57, Harrison Road, Calcutta.	7,000	1735	The Calcutta University.
	SANSKRIT—MEDICINE.				
32	चरकसंहिता । [Charakasamhita.—Compilation by Charaka. Nos. 27 and 28 (together). Text and annotation of Chakrapāni- datta.] Edited by Harināth Visārad. Pages 66. Published by the editor, 25 Madan Mitra's Lane, Calcutta. 16°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 8 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 39 at pages 24 and 25 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1904]	Venimādhav Ghosh, 86, Mechhuābāzār Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1524	.....
33	— Nos. 29 and 30 (together). Pages 72. 1827 Sakāvdā or 1905-06. A.D. 16°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1525	.....
34	— No. 32. Pages 66. Published by the editor, 192-2, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1829 Sakāvdā or 1907-08. A.D. [8th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 8 annas. [No. 31 noticed in entry No. 66 at page 40 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1907.]	Manmatha Nāth Ghosh, 38, Siva Nārāyan Dās's Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1504	.....
	SANSKRIT—MISCELLANEOUS.				
35	Isvar Chandra Smrititirtha.—উদ্বাহচন্দ্রালোকপ্রতিবোধপ্রতিবোধঃ । [Udvāhachandrālokaprativādaprativādhah. A controversial pamphlet on Hindu marriage rites.] Pages 36. Published by the author. Sylhet. [21st September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned	Upendra Nāth Cha- kravartī, 5, Nanda Kumār Chau- dhuri's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	500	1856

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	SANSKRIT—POETRY.				
36	Ramalagna Pandeya. —पुण्यपीयूषप्रवाहः । [Punyapīyushapra-vāhah. Waves of Nectar of holy deeds. A short description in verse of the life of Rāma and genealogy of pandit Phulel Pandeya of Arrah.] Pages 14. Published by Chandī Prasād Sinha, Bankipur. [1st July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Chandī Prasād Sinha, Khadgavilās Press, Bankipur.	1,000	41	The author, Arrah.
	SANSKRIT—RELIGION.				
37	Bibliotheca Indica. New Series, No. 1188. —गृह्यसूत्रम् । [Grihyasūtram. Aphorisms regarding the management of domestic rites Gobhila's text of <i>Grihyasutra</i> with a commentary by the editor. Vol. II. Fasc. II.] Edited by Mahānshopādhyāy Chandrakānta Tarkālakār. Pages 200. Published by the Asiatic Society of Bengal, 57, Park Street, Calcutta. 1908. [15th July 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. (R.) Price, Re. 1-4. [Fasc. I noticed in entry No 77 at page 41 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1907.]	Hitavratā Chatterji, 27, Ghosh's Lane, Calcutta.	500	1354	The Asiatic Society, of Bengal, 57, Park Street, Calcutta.
38	Devadatta Tripathi. —शिवस्तवकम् । [Sivasatakam. One hundred verses in honour of (god) Siva. Prayers to Siva.] Pages 23. Published by Rāma Ranavijay Sinha, Bankipur. 1908. [20th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Chandī Prasād Sinha, Khadgavilās Press, Bankipur.	500	30	The author, Bankipur.
39	Bibliotheca Indica.—New series. No. 1186. चतुर्वर्गचिन्तामणिः । [Chaturvarga Chintāmanih. The Chintāmani Jewel of the four ends of human life. Vol. IV. Fasc. 7. A work by Hemādri (about 1300 A.D.) on Smṛiti.] Edited by Pramatha Nāth Tarkabhūshan. Pages 200. Published by the Asiatic Society of Bengal, 57, Park Street, Calcutta. 1908. [19th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, Re. 1-4. [Fasc. 6 noticed in entry No. 38 at page 37 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1907.]	Upendra Nāth Chakravartī, 5, Nanda Kumār Chaudhuri's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	500	1219	.....
40	———. New series. No. 1189.—सतपथ ब्राह्मणम् । [Satapatha Brāhmanam.—Vol. VI. Fasc. II. The name of a Brahmana (a class of Vedic works). Text with the commentary of Śāyanāchāryya.] Pages 200. Published by the Asiatic Society, of Bengal, 57, Park Street, Calcutta. 1908. [20th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, Re. 1-4. [Fasc. I noticed in entry No. 28 at page 41 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Hitavratā Chatterji, 27, Ghosh's Lane, Calcutta.	500	1355	The Asiatic Society, of Bengal, 57, Park Street, Calcutta.
41	———. New series. No. 1191. Ditto. Vol. VI. Fasc. III. Pages 104. 1908. [27th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 10 annas.	Ditto ...	500	1665	Ditto.
42	———. New series. No. 1190. विद्यावृक्षपरिजाताः । [Vidhāna Pārijātah. The Pārijāta Tree of Rituals. Vol. II. Fasc. II. Deals with the religious rites and ceremonies of the Hindus.] Edited by Tārāpresanna Vidyāratna. Pages 200. Published by the Asiatic Society of Bengal, 57, Park Street, Calcutta. 1908. [31st July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 10 annas. [Fasc. I noticed in entry No. 36 at page 38 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1907.]	Sasibhūshan Kriti-ratna Bhattāchāryya, 24, Girls Vidyāratna's Lane, Calcutta.	500	1451	Ditto.

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	SANSKRIT—RELIGION—continued.				
43	গোপাল স্তব্ধনাম । [Gopala Sahasranama.—Thousand Names of Gopalā (Sri Krishna). A Hindu religious pamphlet.] Pages 16. Published by Madan Sāhu, Cuttack. 1908. [5th August 1908.] 16". 2nd edition. (R). Price, 9 pies. [1st edition not received.]	Visvanāth Kar, Utkal Sāhitya Press, Cuttack.	100	99	The publisher, Cuttack.
44	হিন্দুক্ৰিয়া-কল্পক্রমঃ । প্রথম খণ্ডম্ । [Hindukriya Kalpadrumah. Prathama Khandam.—The heavenly tree of Hindu rituals. Part I.] Edited by Srinath Siromani and Bhagavati Charan Kāvyaabhūshan. Pages 332. Published by Vaikuntha Nāth Bhattāchāryya, Dhadd, Midnapur. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09 A.D. [23rd August 1908.] 12". 2nd edition. (R). Price, Re 1. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 1691 at pages 42-43 of the Catalogue the quarter ending December 1889.]	Pānchugopāl As, 2, Goābāgān Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1613	Bhagavati Charan Kāvyaabhūshan, Midnapur.
45	Kisori Mohan Mukhopadhyay.—কিশোরী মোহন পদাবলী । [Kisori Mohan Padāvali. A collection of songs by one Kisori Mohan. Religious Songs.] Pages 9. Published by the author, 7-1, Bāgh-bāzār Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [16th August 1908.] 12". 1st edition. Price, nil	Mahendra Nāth Dc, 63, Nimalā Ghāt Street, Calcutta.	500	1657	.....
46	Krishnanath Nyayapanchanan, (Mahamahopadhyay).—স্মৃতি সিদ্ধান্ত=বিভীয়া খণ্ডম্ । smritisiddhānta=Dritya Khandam. Conclusions of Smṛiti. Part II. Deals with the rules of Hindu marriage.] Pages 72. Published by the author. Pūrvasthali, Burdwan. 1830 Sak or 1908-09. A.D. [23rd July 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Price, 8 annas. [Part I noticed in entry No. 14 at page 41 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1907.]	Sasibhūshan Bhattāchāryya Kritiratna, 24, Girīs Vidyāratna's Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1560	No. 46. The author, Pūrvasthali, Burdwan. Reg. No. 44, dated 21-8-08.
47	Lakshmipati, (Mahamahopadhyay).—স্রাদ্ধরত্নম্ । [Sṛāddharatnam. Jewel of the Sradh ceremony. Procedure of sradh ceremony which is in vogue in Mithilā (Dvārbhāngā).] Pages 86. Published by Kānhāiyālāl Krishnadās, Dvārbhāngā. [20th June 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2.	Kānhāiyālāl Krishnadās, Rāmesvar Press, Dvārbhāngā.	2,000	8	No. 47. The publisher and Pandit Paramosvar Sarmā, Dvārbhāngā. Reg. No. 35, dated 24-6-08.
48	প্রায়শ্চিত্ততত্ত্বম্ । [Prayaschittatattvam.—Truths about atonement. A work on Smṛiti by Raghunandan with Pandit Rādhāmohan Gosvāmi's annotation.] Edited by Chaudī Charan Smritibhūshan. Pages 226. Published by the editor, 11-1, Garānhātā Street, Calcutta. 1314 Sāl or 1907-08. A.D. [25th February 1908.] 8". 1st edition. (R). Price, Re. 1-4.	Haripada Sarkār, 35, Garānhātā Street, Calcutta.	500	1680	Dhīrendra Nāth Ghosh, 93, Mechhuyābāzār Street, Calcutta.
49	Ramadatta Thakkur.—বাজসনেয় বিবাহ পদ্ধতিঃ । Bājasaneyi Vivāha Paddhatih. Marriage rituals as enunciated by Bājasen]. Pages 21. Published by Kānhāiyālāl Krishnadās, Dvārbhāngā. [15th July 1908.] 12". 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Kānhāiyālāl Krishnadās, Sri Ramesvar Press, Dvārbhāngā.	2,000	2	.....
50	শ্লোকমালা । [Slokamala.—Garland of Verses. A collection of verses, compiled from Chaitanya Charitāmṛita, relating to the life of Chaitanya.] Edited by Atul Krishna Gosvāmi. Pages 294. Published by the editor, 40, Mahendra Gosvāmi's Lane, Calcutta. Chaitanyāvda 423 or 1908-09. A.D. [14th September 1908.] 32". 1st edition. Free distribution.	S. C. Chakravartī, 17, Nanda Kumār Chaudhuri's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1785	The editor, 40, Mahendra Gosvāmi's Lane, Calcutta.

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	SANSKRIT—RELIGION—concl'd.				
51	<p>श्रीमद्भागवतम् । [Srimadbhagavatam.—Book of the Lord. Text with the annotation of Sridharavānī.] Edited by Panchānan Tarkaratna. Pages 928. Published by Natavar Chakravarti, 38-2, Bhavānī Charan Datta's Street, Calcutta. 1315 Śāl or 1908-09. A.D. [17th September 1908.] 8". 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, Rs. 5.</p>	Natavar Chakravarti, 38-2, Bhavānī Charan Datta's Street, Calcutta.	3,000	1927
52	<p>श्रीचण्डी । [Sri Sri Chandi. The Goddess Durgā. The Chandi in the Mārkaṇḍeya Purāna, printed on palm leaves.] Edited by Haripada Chatterji. Pages 120. Published by Bhattachāryya & Sons, 65, College Street, Calcutta. [18th July 1908.] 2nd edition (R).</p> <p align="center">Price, Re 1.</p> <p>[1st edition noticed in entry No. 75 at page 41 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1907.]</p>	Avinās Chandra Basu, 81, College Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1518	The editor, Kalyānpur, Howrah.
53	<p>श्रीकालिकातत्त्वम् । [Sri Sri Kalikatattvam.—Truths about the goddess Kālī. Prayers to the goddess Kālī.] Pages 34. Published by Krishna Chandra Rāy Chaudhuri, 19-1, Tālā Bāgān Lane, Calcutta. 1907. [11th September, 1908.] 12". 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 6 annas.</p>	G. C. Ghosh, 31, Kālīprasād Datta's Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1791	Surendra Nāth Banerji, 31, Kālīprasād Datta's Street, Calcutta.
54	<p>विष्णु सहस्रनाम । [Vishnu Sahasra Nama.—One Thousand names of Vishnu. Hymns.] Pages 16. Published by Vaidyanāth Sinha, Puri. 1908. [6th August 1908.] 16". 1st edition. (R.)</p> <p align="center">Price, 9 pies.</p>	Madhu Sūdan Misra, Madan Mohan Press, Puri.	1,000	56	The publisher, Puri.
55	<p>———. Pages 16. Published by Madan Sāhu, Alamchānd Bāzār, Cuttack. 1908. [15th July 1908.] 16". 1st edition. (R).</p> <p align="center">Price, 9 pies.</p>	Visvanāth Kar, Utkal Sāhitya Press, Cuttack.	1,000	85	The publisher, Alamchānd Bāzār, Cuttack.
56	<p>विवेक-कारिका । [Vibaha Karika.—Rules of Marriage.] Pages 19. Published by Nityānanda Sāhu, Kāzibāzār, Cuttack. 1908. [29th June 1908.] 12". 3rd edition. (R.)</p> <p align="center">Price, 1 anna and 6 pies.</p> <p>[2nd edition noticed in entry No. 48 at page 22 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1905.]</p>	N N. Sāhu, Arunoday Press, Cuttack.	1,000	80	The publisher, Kāzibāzār, Cuttack.
57	<p>वृहत् तोलमन्त्रः । [Vrihat Tolamantrah.—A work on Aphorisms, enlarged. A collection of mantras from the Vedas.] Pages 2, 2, 55. Published by Sadāsiva Satapathi, Harachandī Sahi, Puri. 1908. [10th July 1908.] 16". 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 8 annas.</p> <p align="center">SEMA NAGA—LANGUAGE.</p> <p><i>Educational—</i></p>	Bauribandhu Misra, Balabhadra Press, Puri.	1,000	45	The publisher, Harachandī Sahi, Puri.
1	<p>Dickson, H.B.—Mulali Kaku. "Sema Naga Primer." Pages 24. Published by the American Baptist Missionary Union, Assam. 1908. [13th June 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Illustrated.</p> <p align="center">Price, 1 anna.</p>	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1276

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	TIBETAN—RELIGION.				
1	འཇིག་རྟེན་གྱི་སྐུ་བཅས་མགོན་པོ་འཕགས་པའི་རྣམ་ཐར་བཅུགས་སོ།། [Hjig-rteng-yi-skyabs mgon bdon-pa-ri-rnam-thar-bshugs-so. (Hore) lies the biography of the True Saviour of the world. A biography of Jesus Christ.] Edited by Revd. E. Mackenzie Pages 70. Published by the Church of Scotland Mission, Kalimpong. [24th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. (C.) Price, 1 anna.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1272
	URDU—FICTION				
16	Ali Muhammad Shad (Saiyad Khán Bahadur).—ذریعہ خیال [Surat-ul-Khayal. The form of imagination. Domestic Novel.] Pages 232. Published by Hájí Syed Ján, Book-seller, Patna City. [25th August 1908.] 8°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas.	Hájí Syed Ján, Patna City.	77	500	The author, Patna City.
17	Setab Chand Nahar (Rai Bahadur).—कहानी कलकामकी [Kahání Kalákámki. Story of Kalákám (A name.) A romantic story.] Pages 178. Published by Rámdín Sinha, Azimganj. Samvat 1965 or 1908 A.D. [17th August 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition. Price, 8 annas. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 14 at pages 22-23 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1879.]	Rámdín Sinha, Vinyavinod Press, Azimganj.	500	2	.....
	URDU—LANGUAGE.				
	<i>Educational—</i>				
18	تہذیب الانسان— [Tahzib-ul-Insan. Civilisation of mankind. Easy moral lessons for beginners.] Pages 71. Compiled by Maulavi Iláhi Bukhsh Khán, Barákari. Published by Hájí Syed Ján, Book-seller, Gorhátá, Patna City. [31st August 1908.] 8. Litho. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas and 6 pies.	Hájí Saiyad Ján Saiyadi Press, Gorhátá, Patna City.	1,000	78	Hájí Syed Ján and Jannat Husain, Gorhátá, Patna City.
19	جواهر الحکمت [Jawahir-ul-Hikmat. The Jewels of Ethical Wisdom. Useful and poetical advices for the young.] Pages 72. Translated by Maulvi Iláhi Bukhsh, Barákari. Published by Hájí Syed Ján, Book-seller, Gorhátá, Patna City. [9th September 1908.] 8°. Litho. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 2 annas and 6 pies.	Ditto ...	500	79	Ditto.
20	سہل کتاب [Sehal Kitab. "Simple Literary Primer"—Urdu—Simple lessons for beginners.] Edited by Messrs. Macmillan & Co. Pages 2, 44. Published by the editor, 309, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta. [1st September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	100	1718	.....
	URDU—MEDICINE.				
21	پارس ناث چٹترجی، (Dr., L.M.S.)—رسالہ علاج ہومیوپیتھی [Resala-i-Iláj Homiopathi. Treatise on Homoeopathic Treatment. A Homoeopathic Materia Medica.] Pages 18, 20, 188, 179. Published by Abdul Kádir, Patna. [4th September 1908.] 8°. Litho. 3rd edition. Price, Rs. 2-8. [2nd edition noticed in entry No. 395 at pages 44-45 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1897.]	Abdul Kádir, Ahsan-ul Matabi Press, Patna.	1,000	26	The author, Bhikhna Pahári, Bankipur.

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URDU—POETRY.					
22	Muhammad Wahid Qadri. —دیوان قادری [Diván Qádri. Metrical compositions by Qádri. Collection of poetical pieces being the product of imagination.] Pages 154. Published by Abdur Rahman and Rahmatullá, Titagarh, 24-Parganas. [13th July 1908.] 8°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	H. Abdur Rahman, 9, Wellesly Street, Calcutta.	250	1344	Qayámuddin Ahmad, 9, Wellesly Street, Calcutta.
URDU—RELIGION.					
23	مولد النبی المکریم فی الفوز العظیم [Al fauzul-azim fi mulid-un-Nabi-il-Karim.—The August appearance in the birth of the Merciful Prophet. The birth of Prophet Muhammad.] Pages 44. Compiled by Maulavi Qázi Fauzul Kabir Khán "Shouq" Siddiqi, Chunarwí, Chittagong. Published by the compiler, Chittagong. [15th August 1908.] 8°. Litho. 2nd edition. Price, 2 annas. [1st edition not received.]	Maulavi Qázi A. M. Maulá Bukhsh Kizwán, 55, Imám-bári Lane, Calcutta.	500	1770	The Compiler, Chunarwí, Chittagong.
24	Moti Lal Sinha. —अहर्नामा [Ahadnámá. A book of Promises. Religious Psalm.] Pages 8. Published by Seikh Dewáli Mián, 6 Free School Street, Calcutta. [16th September 1908.] 16°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Seikh Dewáli Mián, 6, Free School Street, Calcutta.	500	1817	Musammat Maháráni Bowá, 6, Free School Street, Calcutta.
URIYA—DRAMA.					
163	Bhikari Nayak. —ସୁଭଦ୍ରା ହରଣ [Subhadrá Haran Suánga. Drama about the abduction of Subhadrá (a name). Mythological drama.] Pages 46. Published by Mádhav Chandra Dán, Dewánbázár, Cuttack. 1908. [26th August 1908.] 12°. 8th edition. Price, 2 annas. [7th edition noticed in entry No. 3 at page 43 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1907.]	N. N. Sahu, Arunday Press, Cuttack.	2,000	113	The publisher, Dewánbázár, Cuttack.
164	Visvambhar Kavi. —ବିସ୍ବବନ୍ଧୁ ବରଣ [Háravati Haran. Abduction of Háravati (a name). Mythological drama.] Pages 16. Published by Arata De, Syám Kunja Lane, Puri. 1908. [8th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Hauribandhu Misra, Balabhadra Press, Puri.	1,000	34	The publisher, Syám Kunja Lane, Puri.
URIYA—FICTION.					
165	ପ୍ରେମିକ-ପ୍ରେମିକା । [Premik-Premika.—Lovers. A love story based upon Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet.] Translated by Jagannáth Ballabh Ghosh. Pages 2, 48. Published by the translator, Cuttack. 1908. [16th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (T) Price, Rs. 2.	A. C. Sarkár, Union Printing Works, Cuttack.	1,000	90	The translator.

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	URIYA—HISTORY (INCLUDING GEOGRAPHY). <i>Educational—</i>				
166	Abhiram Bhanja, (M.A., B.L.)— ଉଡିଆ ଉପ ପ୍ରାଥମିକ ଭୂଗୋଳ-ପାଠ । Odiá Uchcha Práthamik Bhúgol-Páth. "Uriya Upper Primary Geography Reader." Pages 2, 71. Published by Messrs. Macmillan & Co., Ltd., 309, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta. [21st August 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 3 annas.	E. W. Warburton, Orissa Mission Press, Cuttack.	3,000	119	The publisher, 309, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.
167	ଉଡିଆ ଉପ ପ୍ରାଥମିକ ଇତିହାସ । [Uchcha Práthamik Odiá Itihás. "Oriya Upper Primary History Reader." Pages 60. Published by Messrs. Macmillan & Co., Ltd., 309, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta. [11th August 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto	3,000	118	Ditto.
	URIYA—LANGUAGE. <i>Educational—</i>				
168	Amrita Lal Sarkar, (L.M.S., F.C.S.)— ସହଜ ବର୍ଣ୍ଣମାଳା । [Sahaj Varna Bodhak. An Easy Alphabetical primer.] Pages 48. Published by Panchanan Sarkar, 51, Sankaritolá, Calcutta. [4th August 1908.] 12". 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Panchanan Sarkar, 51, Sankaritolá, Calcutta.	2,000	1562	The author, 51, Sankaritolá Calcutta.
	URIYA—LAW.				
169	ବେଙ୍ଗଲ ପୋଲିସ କୋଡ୍ । [Bengal Polis Kod.—The Bengal Police Code. Instructions for Police officers.] Pages 2, 11, 243. Translated by Damodar Rath, Sambalpur. 1908. [9th September 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2-8.	Madhu Sudan Rath, Utkal Darpan Press, Svasiapara, Sambalpur.	1,000	802J., dated 26-1-08.	The translator, Sub-Inspector, Bengal Police, Sambalpur.
	URIYA—MEDICINE.				
170	Govinda Rath.— ଠୁନୁ ଠୁନୁ କିଆ । [Thunu Thunu kiá. A work on <i>Mushtiyog</i> medicine. A collection of prescriptions indigenous medicines for various diseases.] Pages 3, 48. Published by the author, Cuttack. 1908. [17th July 1908.] 12". 4th edition. Price, 4 annas. [3rd edition noticed in entry No. 466 at pages 34-35 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1887.]	Srináth Ráy, Edward Press, Cuttack.	3,000	102	The author, Cuttack.
	URIYA—MISCELLANEOUS.				
171	Abdul Ajj— ସଙ୍ଗିତ ସାମୁଦ୍ର । [Sangit Páriját. Songs of Heavenly flower. A collection of miscellaneous songs.] Pages 24. Published by the author, Cuttack. 1908. [12th August 1908.] 12". 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto	1,000	116	Ditto.
172	Bandhu Mahapatra.— ସଙ୍ଗିତ ରସାବଳି । [Sangit Rasávali. A collection of songs of sentiment. Miscellaneous Songs.] Pages 19. Published by the author, Nuásasan Pipili, Puri. 1908. [6th July 1908.] 12". 1st edition. Price, 1 anna and 6 pies.	Madhu Sudan Misra, Madan Mohan Press, Puri.	1,000	42	The author, Nuásasan Pipili, Puri.

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	URIYA—MISCELLANEOUS—contd.				
173	Baman Dora. ବାବନା ଭୂତ । [Bābanā Bhūt. Name of a Ghost. A ghost story.] Pages 8. Published by the author, Puri. 1908. [16th June 1908.] 32°. 1st edition. Price, 6 pies	Bhuvanesvar Rath, Jagannāth Press, Puri.	1,000	25	The author, Puri.
174	Gaur Krishna Pattanayak. ଗୌର କୃଷ୍ଣ ପଟ୍ଟନାୟକ । [Sangit Stabak. Dvitya Khág. A Bunch of Songs. Part II. Miscellaneous songs.] Pages 26. Published by the author, Yáśulá. 1908. [8th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna and 9 pies [Part I noticed in entry No. 170 at pages 26-27 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1904.]	Madhu Súdhan Misra, Madan Mohan Press, Puri.	1,000	43	The author, Yáśulá.
175	କୌତୁକ-ପ୍ରଶ୍ନ । [Kautuk Prasna.—Funny questions. A collection of riddles.] Compiled by Jagannāth Rath. Pages 8. Published by the compiler, Vírnarasinhapur. 1908. [16th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 9 pies.	N. N. Sáhu, Arunoday Press, Cuttack.	1,000	123	The compiler, Vírnarasinhapur.
176	କାଞ୍ଜି ତୋରାଣିଆଁ ବୋହୁ । [Kanji Toranian Bohu.—(Ill-fated) Daughter-in-law as sour as rice-water. Lamentations by a mother-in-law addressed to her ill-fated daughter-in-law.] Pages 8. Published by Chintámani De, Syámkunja Lane, Puri. 1908. [16th July 1908.] 32°. 1st edition. Price, 9 pies.	Bauribandhu Misra, Balabhadra Press, Puri.	2,000	46	The publisher, Syámkunja Lane, Puri.
177	Maguni Sahu. ଓଲାଇ ଚୋରାଣି ରହସ୍ୟ । [Olái Choraní Rahasya. Mysteries of Olái and Choraní (two names). A story of two voracious female thieves.] Pages 9. Published by Bhuvanesvar Rath, Puri. 1908. [13th June 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Bhuvanesvar Rath, Jagannāth Press, Puri.	1,000	24	The author, Puri.
178	ନାନନ୍ଦା ଭାଉଜା ରହସ୍ୟ । [Nananda Bhauja Rahasya. Mystery of a Husband's sister and brother's wife. Praise of a brother's wife by his sister.] Pages 4. Published by Chintámani De, Syámkunja Lane, Puri. 1908. [4th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 pies.	Bauribandhu Misra, Balabhadra Press, Puri.	2,000	36	The publisher, Syámkunja Lane, Puri.
179	ଠାର ମାଲ । [Thara Mala.—Garland of Signs. A collection of directions for a cipher language.] Pages 9. Published by Nityá-nanda Sáhu, Kázibázár, Cuttack. 1908. [12th August 1908.] 16°. 3rd edition. Price, 6 pies [2nd edition noticed in entry No. 12 at pages 28-29 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1904.]	N. N. Sáhu, Arunoday Press, Cuttack.	1,000	104	The publisher, Kázibázár, Cuttack.

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	URIYA—MISCELLANEOUS—conold.				
180	<p>Upendra Bhanja. ଉପେନ୍ଦ୍ର ଭଞ୍ଜ । ପ୍ରଥମ ଭାଗ । [Sanjit Upendra Bhanja. Pratham Bhāg. Songs by Upendra Bhanja. Part I. Love Songs.] Pages 12. Published by Sekh Abdul Aji, Bālubāzār, Cuttack. 1908. [8th June 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 1 anna.</p> <p>[1st edition noticed in entry No. 262 at page 45 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1907.]</p>	Sitā Nāth Rāy, Edward Press, Cuttack.	1,000	78	The publisher, Bālubāzār Cuttack.
181	<p>ବୃହତ୍ ଧଗମାଳ । [Vrihat Dhagamala.—Garland of Proverbs. Enlarged. A collection of Proverbs.] Compiled by Kapilesvar Nanda Vidyābhūshan. Pages 2, 104. Published by Sudarsan Nanda, Cuttack. 1908 [3rd August 1908] 12°. 2nd edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 6 annas.</p> <p>[1st edition noticed in entry No. 13 at pages 28-29 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1876.]</p> <p><i>Educational —</i></p>	S. Rāy, Edward Press, Cuttack.	100	101	The publisher, Cuttack.
182	<p>ଚାଟସାଲି ପାଠ । [Chat Sali Path.—Lessons for Pāthasālā boys. The Uriya Alphabet with Arithmetical Tables and religious Lessons intended for children.] Pages 54. Published by Dr Amrita Lāl Sarkār, L.M.S., F.C.S., 51 Sānkāritolā, Calcutta. 1908. [16th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 6 pies.</p>	Panchānan Sarkār, 51, Sānkāritolā, Calcutta.	1,000	1920	The publisher, 51, Sānkāritolā Calcutta.
183	<p>Mahammad Abdus Samad (Maulvi). —ବ୍ୟବହାରିକ ଲିଖନ ପାଠ । ପ୍ରଥମ ଭାଗ । Vyavahārik Likhān Pāth. Prathamā Bhāg. Practical Lessons on Letters. Part I. Method and specimens of Writing Letters and Decds.] Pages 3, 3, 87. Published by Nimāi Charan Ghosh, Balasore. 1908. [18th July 1909.] 16°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p>	Nimāi Charan Ghosh, Sāmanta Press, Balasore.	3,000	1	No. 48. The author, Balasore. Reg. No. 40 dated 28-7-08.
	URIYA—POETRY.				
184	<p>ଅଷ୍ଟାବିଂଶତି ଅଳଙ୍କାର ଚଉପଦ । [Ashtavinsati Alankar Chaupadi.—Four-footed verses on twentyeight Rhetorics. A work on Rhetoric.] Pages 24. Published by Bhuvanesvar Rath, Puri. 1908. [16th June 1908.] 12°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 2 annas.</p>	Bhuvanesvar Rath, Jagannāth Press, Puri.	1,000	31	Jagannāth Press & Co., Puri.
185	<p>ବଜାର ବୋଲି । [Bajarboli.—The Market Colloquy. Dialogues between a male customer and some market girls.] Pages 7. Published by Bhuvanesvar Rath, Puri. 1908. [31st July 1908.] 32°. 1st edition. (R.)</p> <p align="center">Price, 6 pies.</p>	Ditto	2,000	54	Ditto.

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	URIYA—POETRY—contd.				
186	Bhakta Charan Mahanti. ମନ୍ଦୋଦରୀ ଶୋକ । [Mandodarī, Soka. Lamentation of Mandodarī, wife of Rāvana. Mythological poem.] Pages 4. Published by the author, Bentakar, Cuttack. 1908. [16th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 3 pies.	Bhuvanesvar Rath, Jagannāth Press, Puri.	1,000	27	The author, Bentakar, Cuttack.
187	— — — — — ଉତ୍କଳ ବୋଲଇ । [Utkal Koili. A Cuckoo of Orissā. An Uriyā woman's address to a Cuckoo expressing sorrow for her absent husband.] Pages 4. Published by the author, Bentakar, Cuttack. 1908. [16th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 3 pies.	Ditto ...	1,000	29	Ditto.
188	— — — — — ବୈଦେହୀ ଶୋକ । [Vaidehī Soka. Lamentation of Vaidehī (Sītā). Mythological poem.] Pages 5. Published by the author, Bentakar, Cuttack. 1908. [16th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 3 pies.	Ditto ...	1,000	26	Ditto.
189	Danai Das. —ଗୋପୀଭାଷା । [Gopībhāṣā. Sayings of the Milk-maids of Vrīndāvan. Mythological poems.] Pages 9. Published by Ananda Sāhu, Cuttack. 1908. [16th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 9 pies.	Viśva Nāth Kar, Utkal Sāhitya Press, Bālabāzār, Cuttack.	1,000	83	The publisher, Cuttack.
190	— — — — — Pages 13. Published by Vaidya Nāth Sinha, Puri. 1908. [13th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 6 pies.	Madhu Sudan Misra, Madan Mohan Press, Puri.	1,000	40	The publisher, Puri.
191	Dina Krishna Das. —ନାବା କେଳି । [Nāva Keli. The Boat Sport Mythological poem.] Pages 13. Published by Bhuvanesvar Rath, Puri. 1908. [31st July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 9 pies.	Bhuvanesvar Rath, Jagannāth Press, Puri.	2,000	52	J. N. Press & Co., Puri.
192	Jagannath Panda. —ବଳଦ ଦୁଧ । [Balada Duddha. Bullock's Milk. An amusing story in verse.] Pages 9. Published by Bāla-krishna Svāmī. 1908. [24th July 1908.] 32°. 1st edition. Price, 6 pies.	Viśva Nāth Kar, Utkal Sāhitya Press, Cuttack.	1,000	95	The author, Cuttack.
193	— — — — — ସୁନା ଜିହା କାନ୍ଦ । [Sunā Jihā Kānda. Weeping of the daughter Sunā (a name). A lyrical poem on a domestic subject.] Pages 5. Published by the author, Kothpādā, Cuttack. 1908. [24th July 1908.] 32°. 1st edition. Price, 3 pies.	Ditto ...	1,000	96	Ditto.
194	Markanda. —କେଶବ ବୋଲଇ । [Kesaṇa Koili. Verses addressed to a Cuckoo for Kesaṇa. Mythological poems.] Pages 5. Published by Mādhava Chandra Dān, Dewānbāzār, Cuttack. 1908. [16th September 1908.] 32°. 3rd edition. (R.) Price, 3 pies. [2nd edition not received 1st edition noticed in entry No. 288 at page 48 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1907.]	N. N. Sāhu, Arundo-day Press, Cuttack.	1,000	124	The publisher Dewānbāzār, Cuttack.

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	URIYA—POETRY—concl'd.				
196	Lala Atma Narayan Ray. —ଉତ୍ତମା ଓ ଉତ୍ତମାଙ୍କ ଅନୁଚିନ୍ତା ଚଉତିଶା । [Rāj Kumār O Rāj Kumārī Anuchintā Chautisā. Thirtyfour verses on the recollection of a Prince and a Princess. Love verses.] Pages 8. Published by the author, Chaudhuri-bāzār and Ujir Mahammad, Kāzibāzār, Cuttack. 1908. [27th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 9 pies.	N. N. Sāhu, Arunday Press, Cuttack.	1,000	93	The publishers Cuttack.
196	Maguni Barik. —ସାଗରବିଳାସ । [Weeping of the girl Rādhā. Verses bewailing the approaching separation of a mother and daughter.] Pages 5. Published by Chintāmani De, Syām Kunja Lane, Puri. 1908. [16th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 3 pies.	Bauribandhu Misra, Balabhadra Press, Puri.	1,000	33	The publisher, Syām Kunja Lane, Puri.
197	Rama Chandra. —ହନୁମା ଚଉତିଶା । [Hanumān Chautisā. Thirty four verses addressed to Hanumān (Monkey God). Mythological poems.] Pages 8. Published by Vaidya Nāth Sinha, Puri. 1908. [26th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 6 pies.	Madhu Sūdan Misra, Madan Mohan Press, Puri.	1,000	49	The publisher, Puri.
198	Samanta Sinha (Raja). —ମଧୁପ ଚଉତିଶା । [Madhupa Chautisā. Thirty four verses addressed to a bee. Mythological version.] Pages 6. Published by Vaidya Nāth Sinha, Puri. 1908. [26th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 6 pies.	Ditto ...	1,000	50	Ditto.
199	Upendra Bhanja. —ସୁନ୍ଦରୀ ନିଧି । [Lāvanya Nidhi. The Ocean of Beauty. Short love poems.] Pages 14. Published by Vaidya Nāth Sinha, Puri. 1908. [4th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 9 pies.	Ditto ...	1,000	55	Ditto.
	URIYA—RELIGION.				
200	Dina Krishna Das. —ଅଳଙ୍କାରବୋଲ । [Alankārboli. Verses on ornaments. Religious poems.] Pages 12. Published by Vaidya Nāth Sinha, Puri. 1908. [14th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 6 pies.	Madhu Sūdan Misra, Madan Mohan Press, Puri.	1,000	41	The publisher, Puri.
201	—ଅରାଟା ଟ୍ରାନ୍ ଚଉତିଶା । [Arata Trān Chautisā. Thirty-four verses on the rescue of the distressed. Religious poems.] Pages 8. Published by Vaidya Nāth Sinha, Puri. 1908. [28th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 6 pies.	Ditto ...	1,000	57	Ditto.
202	—Pages 8. Published by Artta De, Syām Kunja Lane, Puri. 1908. [1st June 1908.] 12°. 3rd edition. (R.) Price, 9 pies. [Previous edition not received.]	Bauribandhu Misra, Balabhadra Press, Puri.	1,000	37	The publisher, Syām Kunja Lane, Puri.

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	URIYA—RELIGION—cont'd.				
203	Dina Krishna Das. —ଅର୍ତ୍ତତ୍ରାଣ ଚଉତିଶା । [Artitrāṇ Chautisā. Thirty four verses on the rescue of the distressed. Religious poems.] 1908. [28th August 1908.] Published by Sekh Názir Mahammad, Cuttack. 16°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 9 pies.	A. C. Sarkár, Union Printing Works, Cuttack.	1,000	87	The publisher, Cuttack.
204	—ଦ୍ବିତୀୟା ଗିତା । ଦ୍ବିତୀୟା ଗିତା । [Náma Ratna Gítá. Dvítīya Bhāg. Lays about the jewels of names. Part II. Religious poems.] Pages 76. Published by Hara Mohan Chandra Datta, Cuttack. 1908. [20th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas. [Part I noticed in entry No 44 at page 65 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1908.]	Ditto ..	1,000	91	Ditto.
205	Gopi Nath Das. —ଖୁଦୁରୁକୁନୀ ଓଷା । [Khudurukunī Oshā. Vow in honour of the goddess Khudurukuni (Durgā). Religious vow observed on Sunday of the dark fortnight in the month of Bhādra.] Pages 23. Published by Madan Sāhu, Alam Chāndbāzār, Cuttack. 1908. [5th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna and 6 pies.	Visvanāth Kar, Utkal Sāhitya Press, Bālubāzār, Cuttack.	1,000	120	The publisher, Alam Chāndbāzār, Cuttack.
206	Gaur Charan. —ବୁଦ୍ଧେଇ ଓଷା । [Budhei Oshā. Vow in honour of the goddess Budhei (Durgā). Religious vow observed on a Wednesday in the month of Bhādra.] Pages 7. Published by Ananda Sāhu, Bālubāzār, Cuttack. 1908. [15th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna and 9 pies.	B. Sarangī, Orissa Patriot Press, Cuttack.	1,000	112	The publisher, Bālubāzār, Cuttack.
207	Hridananda. —ସର୍ବମଙ୍ଗଳା ଷ୍ଟୁତି । [Sarva Mangalā, Stuti. Hymn in honour of the goddess Sarvamangalā (Durgā).] Pages 8. Published by Nityānanda Sāhu, Kāsibāzār, Cuttack. 1908. [28th August 1908.] 16°. 4th edition. Price, 9 pies. [3rd edition noticed in entry No. 218 at page 43 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1907.]	Nityānanda Sāhu, Arunoday Press, Cuttack.	2,000	117	The publisher, Kāsibāzār, Cuttack.
208	Jagaddev Misra Sarma. —ଯାମାଦାନ୍ଦା । [Yamadānda. Punishment by Yama (of death). Religious songs.] Pages 16. Published by Bhuvanēsvar Rath, Puri. 1908. [16th June 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Bhuvanēsvar Rath, Jagannāth Press, Puri.	1,000	28	The author Puri.
209	Jagannath Das. —ବାସ୍ତ୍ରାହରଣ । [Bastra Haran. Stealing of Clothes. Sports of Krishna.] Pages 8. Published by Vaidyanāth Sinha, Puri. 1908. [23rd July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 6 pies.	Madhu Sūdan Misra, Kadan Mohan Press, Puri.	1,000	48	Vaidyanāth Sinha, Puri.

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	URIYA—RELIGION—contd.				
210	Lakshmi Dhar Das. —ଅଂଗଦ ଓ ଅଂଗା ବଳେଇ ବଳ । [Angad Paḍi O Angad Rāvanara Kali. Episode of Angada and Quarrel between Angada and Rāvana. Religious poems.] Pages 38. Published by Nityānanda Sāhu, Kāzibāzār, Cuttack. 1908. [16th September 1908.] 12°. 7th edition. Price, 2 annas. [6th edition noticed in entry No. 110 at page 43 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1907.]	Nityānanda Sāhu, Arunoday Press, Cuttack.	2,000	122	The publisher, Kāzibāzār, Cuttack.
211	Mrityunjay Rath Kavyatirtha. —ଦୁର୍ଗା ଶ୍ରୁତି । [Durgā Stuti. Hymn in honour of the goddess Durgā. Pages 5. Published by the author, Kāligali, Cuttack. [14th August 1908.] 32°. 1st edition. Price, 3 pies.	B. Sarangi, Orissa, Patriot Press, Cuttack.	1,000	111	The author, Kāligali, Cuttack.
212	Mohan Nayak. —କୋଳିତଳା । [Kolitolā. Flucking the wild plums. Sports of Krishna.] Pages 5. Published by Chintāmani De, Syām Kunja Lane, Puri. 1908. [10th June 1908.] 32°. 1st edition. Price, 3 pies.	Bauribandhu Misra, Balabhadra Press, Puri.	1,000	32	The publisher, Syām Kunja Lane, Puri.
213	ନାତୁଚୋର । [Natuchori.—Stealing of the Top. Sports of Krishna.] Pages 8. Published by Bhuvanesvar Rath, Jagannāth Press, Puri. 1908. [31st July 1908.] 32°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 6 pies.	Bhuvanesvar Rath, Jagannāth Press, Puri.	2,000	53	J. N. Press & Co., Puri town, Puri.
214	Nathia. —ଉଦୟକୌଳୀ । [Jnāna Uday Koili. Verses about the true knowledge addressed to the Cuckoo. Devotional verses.] Pages 9. Published by Mādhaba Chandra Dān, Dewānbāzār, Cuttack. 1908. [16th September 1908.] 32°. 2nd edition. Price, 3 pies. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 68 at pages 28-29 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1904.]	N. N. Sāhu, Arunoday Press, Cuttack.	1,000	125	The publisher, Dewānbāzār, Cuttack.
215	Nidhi. —ଅସ୍ବମେଧ ଯଜ୍ଞ । [Asvamedh Yajna. The Horse Sacrifice. Story based upon the Rāmāyana in verse.] Pages 38. Published by Bhāgabai Prasād Dān, Dewānbāzār, Cuttack. 1908. [29th June 1908.] 8°. 11th edition. (R.) Price, 2 annas. [10th edition noticed in entry No. 60 at page 49 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1907.]	Ditto	1,000	81	Ditto.
216	Nilamvar Das. —ଜୈମିନୀ ଭାରତ । [Jaimini Bhārat. The Mahābhārata by Jaimini. Based from the well-known Sanskrit work of the same name.] Pages 309. Published by Mani Lal Mahārānā, 8, St. James Square, Calcutta. 1908. [16th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, Rs. 1-8.	Krittivās Pattanāyāk, 8, St. James Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1863	The publisher, 8, St. James Square, Calcutta.

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	URIYA—RELIGION—contd.				
217	Nilamvar Das. —ବବ୍ରୁବହ ଯୁଦ୍ଧ । [Vavruváhan Yuddha. The Fight of Vavruváhan. Story based upon the Mahábhárata in verse.] Pages 50. Published by Manilál Maháráná, 8, St. James Square, Calcutta. 1908. [10th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 5 annas.	Krittivás Pattanáyak, 8, St. James Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1864	The publisher, 8, St. James Square, Calcutta.
218	Ratnakar Gargabatu. —ଶିବ ଗର୍ଗାତ୍ମ । [Siva Rásakriśá. Rás Sports of the God Siva based upon the 28th Chapter of the Siva Purán.] Pages 10. Published by the author, Bhuvanesvar, Puri. 1908. [8th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Bhágíráthí Sáthiá, Cuttack Printing Co., Ltd., Cuttack.	1,000	107	The author, Bhuvanesvar, Puri.
219	Sadananda Kavisuryya. —ଯୁଗଳ ରସାବଳୀ ଲହରୀ । [Yugal Rásámrita Laharí. Waves of the Nectar of Sentiment of the Couple. Verses about Rádhá and Krishna.] Pages 187. Published by Hridánanda Guha and Akshay Kumár Ghosh, Bákhrábád, Cuttack. [11th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 12 annas.	Visvanáth Kar, Utkal Sáhitya Press Bálubázár, Cuttack.	1,000	108	No. 49. The publishers, Bákhrábád, Cuttack. Reg. No. 43, dated 19-8-08.
220	Sarala Das. —ବିଳଙ୍କା ରାମାୟଣ । [Vilanká Rámáyana. The Ramayana of which the scene is laid in Vilanká. Pages 96. Published by Ganes Co., Cuttack, 1908. [27th July 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition. Price, 12 annas. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 58 at page 41 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1906.]	N. N. Sáhu, Arunoday Press, Cuttack.	2,000	92	The publishers, Cuttack.
221	Sekh Abdul Latif. —ସିତାବଦ୍ଧ ଚଉତିଶ । Sítáharan Chautisá Thirty-four verses on the abduction of Sítá. Religious poems from Rámáyana.] Pages 6. Published by the author. [9th June 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 6 pies.	Sítánath Ráy, Sammilan and Edward press, Cuttack.	1,000	77	The author.
222	Srikrishna Das. —ଯାମା ପୁରାଣ । [Yama Purán. Story of Yama. Religious teaching of Srikrishna to Arjjuna.] Pages 54. Published by Govinda Rath, Páthpur, Bánki, Cuttack. 1908. [24th August 1908.] 12°. 3rd edition. Price, 3 annas. [2nd edition noticed in entry No. 80 at pages 30-31 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1904.]	N. N. Sáhu, Arunoday Press, Cuttack.	3,000	109	The publisher, Páthpur, Bánki, Cuttack.
223	Valaram Das. —କମଳାଚରଣ । [Kamalalochana. The Lotus-Eyed One (Srikrishna). Prayers to Krishna in verse.] Pages 6. Published by Vaidya Náth Sinha, Puri. 1908. [21st July 1908.] 32°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 3 pies.	Madhusúdan Misra, Madan Mohan Press, Puri.	1,000	47	Vaidya Náth Sinha, Puri.

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	URIYA—RELIGION—concl'd.				
224	Valaram Das. —କ୍ଷମା ପୁରାଣ । [Lakshmi Purān. Story of the Goddess Lakshmi.] Pages 28. Published by Manilāl Mahārānā, 8, St. James Square, Calcutta. 1908. [18th September 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition. Illustrated. (R.) Price, 2 annas. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 228 at page 52 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1906.]	Krittivās Pattanāyāk, 8, St. James Square, Calcutta.	1, 000	1865	The publisher, 8, St. James Square, Calcutta.
225	—Pages 28. Published by Dr. Amrita Lāl Sarkār, L.M.S., F.C.S., 51, Sānkāritolā, Calcutta. 1908. [27th September 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition. (R.) Price, 1 anna and 3 pies. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 226 at page 52 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1906.]	Panchānan Sarkār, 51, Sānkāritolā, Calcutta.	1,000	1921	The publisher, 51, Sānkāritolā, Calcutta.
226	—Pages 28. Published by Abhinna Chandra Dān, Dewānbāzār, Cuttack. 1908. [29th June 1908.] 12°. 11th edition. Illustrated. (R.) Price, 1 anna and 6 pies. [10th edition noticed in entry No. 214 at page 47 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1907.]	N. N. Sāhu, Arunoday Press, Cuttack.	2,000	82	The publisher, Dewānbāzār, Cuttack.
227	କାଳିକା ରାମାୟଣ । ବାଲ୍ମିକି । [Valmiki Rāmāyan. Kishkindhyā Kānda.—The Rāmāyana of Vālmiki. Kishkindhyā Kānda. An Uriyā translation in verse of the Vālmiki Rāmāyana.] Translated by Bhāgavat Prasād Dān. Pages 2, 96. Published by Nārāyan Chandra Dān, Dewānbāzār, Cuttack. 1908. [6th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	1,000	100	Ditto.
228	Vairagi Charan Das. —ମଥୁରା ମଙ୍ଗଳ । [Mathurā Mangal. Auspicious poem about Mathurā. Doings of Krishna in Mathurā.] Pages 100. Published by Sukdev Rām, Cuttack. 1908. [15th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 5 annas.	Srinath Rāy, Edward Press, Cuttack.	1,000	115	The publisher, Cuttack.
229	Vaishnav Charan Das Babaji. —ଶ୍ରୀମଦଭଗବତମୃତ । [Śrīmad-bhāgavatāmṛita. Nectar of the Book of the Lord. A Vaishnav work based upon the Śrīmat Bhāgavat.] Pages 962. Published by Satrugṇa Mājhi, Gaur Math, Samvalpur. 1908. 12°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2.	M. S. Rath, Sambalpur.	1,000	L. No. 803, dated 26.9.08.	.....
230	Yasovanta Das. —ଗୋବିନ୍ଦ ଚନ୍ଦ୍ର । [Govinda Chandra (a name). Describes the religious initiation of and renunciation of the world by the person named in the title.] Pages 68. Published by Govinda Rath, Pāthpur, Bānki. 1908. [24th August 1908.] 12°. 4th edition. Price, 4 annas. [3rd edition noticed in entry No. 271 at page 40 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1906.]	N. N. Sāhu, Arunoday Press, Cuttack.	3,000	110	The publisher, Pāthpur, Bānki.

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URIYA—SCIENCE (MATHEMATICAL).					
<i>Educational—</i>					
231	Visvanath Mahapatra. —ପ୍ରବେଶ ପ୍ରବେଶ । [Panakiā Praves. Introduction to Arithmetic.] Pages 31. Published by the author, Harekrishnapur. 1908. [31st July 1908] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna and 6 pies.	Bhuvanesvar Rath, Jagannáth Press, Puri.	1,500	51	The author, Harekrishnapur.
BI-LINGUAL BOOKS.					
I.—ARABIC AND BENGALI—RELIGION.					
5	قرآن شریف . [Quoran Sharif. Part I.—The holy Quorán. Part I, beginning with Alif, Lám, Mim. Containing the original Arabic text and its Bengali translation.] Edited by Rev. W. Goldsack. Pages 1, 38. Published by the Baptist Mission Press, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. 1908. [11th September 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. (T) Price, 3 annas.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	2,000	1895	.....
II.—ARABIC AND URDU—LANGUAGE.					
<i>Educational—</i>					
2	Muhammad Yusuf (Qari). —حديقة الادب حصه دوم [Hadiqat-ul-Adab, Hissu-i-Duam. Garden of Literature. Part II. Helps to translation from Arabic to Urdu and Urdu to Arabic.] Pages 48. Published by the author, 16, Dharmatalá Lane, Kolutolá, Calcutta. 1908. [16th August 1908.] 8°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas. [Part I noticed in entry No. 4 at page 55 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1907.]	A. M. Maulá Bukhsh, Rizván, 55, Imámbari Lane, Calcutta.	500	1769	The author, 16, Dharmatalá Lane, Kolutolá, Calcutta.
III.—ASSAMESE AND ENGLISH—MISCELLANEOUS.					
1	Barthakur, L. —ৰাজবাহাৰী [Asámíyá Rájabháshá. Assamese Ráj-Bháshá (King's Language). A help to the acquisition of English with a number of specimen letters.] Pages 2, 209. Published by M. Barthákur, 6, College Square, Calcutta. 1908. [17th August 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition. Price, Re. 1. [1st edition not received.]	Abdul Latif, 6, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1848	The publisher, Debrugar, Assam.

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	IV.—BENGALI AND ENGLISH—ART.				
53	<p>সঙ্গীত কুসুম । [Sangit Kusum. No. 1. Flower of Songs. A tune book of popular Bengali airs sung in the Churches of Bengal.] Edited by I. W. Johory, M.A. Pages 48. Published by the Baptist Mission Press, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. 1908. [11th July 1908.] 6°. 2nd edition. Revised.</p> <p align="right">Price, Re. 1-4.</p> <p>[Previous edition not received.]</p>	Rev. H. C. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	300	1424
	IV.—BENGALI AND ENGLISH—BIOGRAPHY.				
54	<p>সন্ন্যাসী বাহাগুরুর সংক্ষিপ্ত জীবনী । [Sannyasi Vahagurur Samkshipta Jivani. Short life of Sannyási Váháguru. (A name.) A short life of Saint Váháguru of Káliyábodá, Cuttack.] Published by Pramatha Nath Ráy, Cuttack. 1908. 20th July 1908. 12°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="right">Price, nil.</p>	Pramathanáth Ráy, Baksi Bázár, Cuttack.	1,000	88	The publisher, Cuttack.
55	<p>Yogindra Nath Basu, (B. A.)—মাইকেল মধুসূদন দত্তের জীবন চরিত । [Máikel Madhusúdan Datter Jívan Charit. Life of Michael Madhusúdan Datta. Containing his life, poems not published by him, letters and critical analyses of his works.] Pages 20, 682. Published by Bhattácháryya & Sons, 65, College Street, Calcutta. 1907. [24th August 1908.] 16°. 4th edition. Illustrated.</p> <p align="right">Price, Rs. 2-8.</p> <p>[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 510 at page 5 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1906.]</p>	Sanyál & Co., 25, Ráy Bágán Street, Calcutta.	2,050	1814	The author, 20-1, Sarkár's Lane, Calcutta.
	IV.—BENGALI AND ENGLISH—LANGUAGE.				
56	<p>Hrisikesh Doss.—The Pictorial A. B. C. [An Alphabetical Primer in English and Bengali.] Pages 32. Published by S. Das & Co., 161-1, Baitakkhána Road, Calcutta. [18th July 1908.] 8°. New edition. Illustrated.</p> <p align="right">Price, 4 annas.</p> <p>[Previous edition noticed in entry No. 134 at pages 50-51 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1901.]</p>	G. C. Niyogí, 91-2, Meehhuyá Bázár Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1427	The author.
57	<p>Satis K Banerji.—An up-to-date Bengali to Bengali and English Dictionary [with phrases, idioms and proverbs]. Pages 7, 614. Published by the City Book Society, 64, College Street, Calcutta. [12th September 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition.</p> <p align="right">Price, Re. 1-8.</p> <p>[1st edition noticed in entry No. 60 at page 52 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1905.]</p> <p><i>Educational—</i></p>	Avinás Chandra Mandal, 13, Siva Náráyan Dás's Lane, Calcutta.	3,000	1867	The Compiler, 66, College Street, Calcutta.
58	<p>Ghose, P. C. (B.A.)—A complete Key to W. T. Webb's Matriculation Reader. [A key.] Pages 368, 68. Published by S. C. De, 4, Bankar Ghosh's Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [16th September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="right">Price, Re. 1-8.</p>	N. C. Pál, 70, Bázánasi Ghosh's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1887	The author, Gar-pár, Calcutta.

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IV.—BENGALI AND ENGLISH—LANGUAGE.—concl'd.					
59	Krishna Prasanna Pal.—Parsing. [A manual on parsing.] Pages 2, 56. Published by S. K. Nāth and G. C. Nāth, 29, Canning Street, Calcutta. 1908. [20th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Manmatha Nāth Ghosh, 38, Siva Nārāyan Dās's Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1723	The printer, 38, Siva Nārāyan Dās's Lane, Calcutta.
60	Kunja Vihari Basu (M.A., B.L.).—Guardian and Ward. Part I. [Exercises in translation and composition.] Pages 91. Published by R. Datta, 46, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta. 1908. [27th July 1908.] 16°. 3rd edition. Price, 5 annas. [2nd edition not received 1st edition noticed in entry No. 1142 at pages 56-57 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1899.]	R. Datta 46, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1543	The author, Bārāsāt, 24-Parganas.
61	Vinod Vihari Mukherji.—Child's Easy Translation and Re-Translation with lessons on composition. [A help to translation and composition.] Pages 2, 128. Published by S. K. Nāth and G. C. Nāth, 29, Canning Street, Calcutta. 1908. [5th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas.	Bata Krishna Dās, 10, Haladhar Bardhan's Lane, Calcutta.	2,000	1601	S. O. Adhya & Co., 15, Haladhar Bardhan's Lane, Calcutta.
IV.—BENGALI AND ENGLISH—MEDICINE.					
62	Rajendra Lal Sur, (Dr) —অস্থি তত্ত্ব। [Asthi Tattva. Osteology. A manual on Osteology.] Pages 48. Published by Rām Lal Sur, 89, Syām Bazar Street, Calcutta. 1915 sāl or 1907-08. A.D. [21st September 1908.] 16°. 3rd edition. Price, 6 annas. [2nd edition not received 1st edition noticed in entry No. 8289 at pages 24-25 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1889.]	Sur & Co., 104, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	500	1958	The author, 89, Syām Bazar Street, Calcutta.
IV.—BENGALI AND ENGLISH—MISCELLANEOUS.					
63	Paun, R. N.—How to speak Bengali or Bengali at a glance. [A manual intended to help in the acquisition of Bengali by Europeans.] Pages 78. Published by R. N. Paun and Sons, 49-2, Bentinck Street, Calcutta. 1908. [16th September 1908.] 16°. 10th edition. (Thoroughly revised and greatly enlarged.) Price, 8 annas. 2nd to 9th edition not received. 1st edition noticed in entry No. 216 at pages 56-57 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1884.]	V. P. Majumdar, 22-2, Jhāmā Pukur Lane, Calcutta.	2,000	1873	The publisher, 49-2, Bentinck Street, Calcutta.

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	<p align="center">IV.—BENGALI AND ENGLISH—SCIENCE (MATHEMATICAL).</p> <p><i>Educational—</i></p>				
64	<p>K. Brahma.—শিক্ষাবল্লভ পাঠ্যগণিত বা গণিতানন্দ। [Sikshā Sulabh Patiganit Vā Ganitānanda. Easy Instruction in Arithmetic or Mathematical pleasure. An Arithmetic for Vernacular Schools and for the lower classes of High English Schools.] Pages 3, 180. Published by the Sanskrit Press Depository, 30, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1908. [7th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="right">Price, 6 annas.</p>	Pānchugopāl Ash, 2, Gośbāgān Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1267	Kshetra Mohan Brahma, Ooooh Behar.
	<p align="center">V.—BENGALI AND SANSKRIT—DRAMA.</p>				
104	<p>ললিত মাদ্ধব নাটকং । Lalita Madhaba Natakam. No. 2.— [A drama about Lalitāmādhava (Srikrishna). A drama in Sanskrit on the sports of Srikrishna by Rupa Gosvāmī with a Sanskrit commentary and a Bengali translation by Rām Nārāyan Vidya-ratna.] Pages 48. Published by Rāmdēv Mīra, Berhampur. 1314 sāl or 1907-08. A.D. [24th July 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. (R.)</p> <p align="right">Price, 6 annas.</p> <p>[No. 1 of the 2nd edition not received.]</p>	Jānaki Nāth Sāhā, Berhampur.	500	1	Rāma Nārāyān Vidya-ratna and Rāmdēv Mīra Berhampur.
105	<p>—No. 3. Pages 48. Published by ditto. 1314 sāl or 1907-08. A.D. [24th July 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. (R.)</p> <p align="right">Price, 6 annas.</p>	Ditto	500	..	Ditto.
106	<p>—No. 4. Pages 48. Published by ditto. 1314 sāl or 1907-08. A.D. [24th July 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. (R.)</p> <p align="right">Price, 6 annas.</p>	Ditto	500	..	Ditto.
107	<p>—No. 5. Pages 48. Published by ditto. 1314 sāl or 1907-08. A.D. [24th July 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. (R.)</p> <p align="right">Price, 6 annas.</p>	Ditto	500	..	Ditto.
108	<p>—No. 6. Pages 48. Published by ditto. 1314 sāl or 1907-08. A.D. [24th July 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. (R.)</p> <p align="right">Price, 6 annas.</p>	Ditto	500	..	Ditto.
109	<p>—No. 7. Pages 48. Published by ditto. 1314 sāl or 1907-08. A.D. [24th July 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. (R.)</p> <p align="right">Price, 6 annas.</p>	Ditto	500	..	Ditto.
	<p align="center">V.—BENGALI AND SANSKRIT—LANGUAGE.</p>				
110	<p>গণপ্রদীপঃ এবং গণার্থ-কল্পদ্রুমঃ । [Ganapradipah Evam Ganartha-Kalpadrumah.—The lamp of <i>Gana</i> (roots) and the heavenly tree of the meaning of <i>Ganas</i>. A Sanskrit Grammar] Pages 6, 136, 36. Published by Guru Nāth Vidya-nidhi, 39, Basu-pārā Lane, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [1st September 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition.</p> <p align="right">Price, 5 annas.</p> <p>[1st edition noticed in entry No. 70 at page 37 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]</p>	Manmatha Nāth Ghosh, 38, Siva-nārāyan Dās's Lane, Calcutta.	1,200	1738	Manmatha Nā Ghosh, Sivanārāyan Dās's Lane Calcutta.

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	V.—BENGALI AND SANSKRIT—LANGUAGE—concl'd. <i>Educational—</i>				
111	Abinash Chandra Mukhopadhyay. —সংস্কৃত ব্যাকরণ ও রচনা শিক্ষা। [Sanskrita-Vyākaraṇa O Rachanā Sikshā. A Sanskrit Grammar and Essay-writing.] Pages 4, 3, 307, 24. Published by the Student's Library, 67, College Street, Calcutta. 1315 Śāl or 1908-1909. A.D. [17th July 1908.] 16°. 4th edition. Price, Rs. 1. [3rd edition noticed in entry No. 3 at pages 38-39 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1906.]	Mukherji and Chatterji, 76, Balarām De's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1493	The author.
112	Gobinda Nath Guha. —সংস্কৃত সোপান। [Sanskrita Sopān. Steps to Sanskrit. A Sanskrit Grammar.] Pages 8, 160. Published by Sanyāl & Co., 26, Rāy Bāgān Street, Calcutta. 1908. [30th August 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition. Price, 10 annas. [New edition noticed in entry No. 21 at page 49 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1906.]	Sanyāl & Co., 26, Rāy Bāgān Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1843	The author, 89, Harrison Road, Calcutta.
113	Isvar Chandra Vidyasagar. —ব্যাকরণ কোমুদী। প্রথম ভাগ। [Vyākaraṇa-Kaumudī. Pratham Bhāg. Moon-light of Grammar. Part I. A Sanskrit Grammar.] Pages 2, 107. Published by Jyotish Chandra Mitra, 30-3, Madan Mitra's Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [10th August 1908.] 12°. Receiver's. 1st edition. (R.) Price, 8 annas.	R. Datta, 46, Bechu Chatterjee's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1544	The Receiver Vidhyā Sāgar Estate.
114	Vasanta Kumar Vidyaratna. —সংস্কৃত পরিচয় বোধিকা। [Sanskrita Parichay Bodhikā. A key to Sanskrita Parichay.] Pages 60. Published by Rāmgati Mukherji, 9, Bedford Lane, Calcutta. 1315 Śāl or 1908-1909 A.D. [20th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 10 annas.	Mahendra Nāth De, 63, Nimtalā Ghāt Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1669	.....
	V.—BENGALI AND SANSKRIT—MEDICINE.				
115	Dvarakanath Vidyaratna. —বিবিধ-তীব্র-মুষ্টিযোগ। প্রথম খণ্ড। [Vividha-Tivra-Mushtiyog. Prathama Khanda. Various strong quack remedies. Part I. A collection of various quack remedies for different diseases.] Pages 6, 64. Published by the author, 10, Devanārāyan Dās's Lane, Syāmbazar, Calcutta. 1315 Śāl or 1908-09. A.D. [10th August 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. Price, 8 annas. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 58 at pages 32-33 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1904.]	Ek Kadi Pāl, 40, Nayan Chānd Datta's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1603	.....
	V.—BENGALI AND SANSKRIT—MISCELLANEOUS.				
116	Bipra Das Mukhopadhyay. —উভবিবাহ-তত্ত্ব। [Subhaviṣāha Tattva. Truths about an auspicious marriage. A treatise on marriage among the principal castes of Hindus of Bengal.] Pages 2, 29, 550, 32. Published by Guru Dās Chatterji, 201, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. [21st August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2.	Pānchu Gopāl Gopāl Ash, 2, Gośbāgān Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1614	The author.
117	বসীকরণ তন্ত্র। [Basi Karan Tantra.—The Tantra of subduing. A Tāntric work.] Compiled by Goshtha Vihāri Gosvāmī. Pages 120. Published by Rām Lal Śāl, 110, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta. 1315 Śāl or 1908-09. A.D. [24th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, Nil.	Printed by Kunja Vihāri De, 18, Vrindāvan Basāk's Lane, Calcutta.	2,000	1623	The publisher, 110, Upper Chitpur Road Calcutta.

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	V.—BENGALI AND SANSKRIT—MISCELLANEOUS—concl'd.				
118	বসীকরণ। চতুর্থ খণ্ড। [Basi Karan. Chaturtha Khanda.—Art of subduing. Part IV. A Tántric work.] Compiled by Basik Mohan Chattopádhyaý. Pages 40. Published by the compiler, 5, Simla Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [12th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. (T.) Price, 6 annas. [3rd part noticed in entry No. 14 at page 75 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1908.]	Surendra Náth Mukhopádhyaý, 5, Simla Street, Calcutta.	500	1795	The compiler, 5, Simla Street, Calcutta.
119	ধন্বন্তরি তন্ত্র শিক্ষা। [Dhanvantari Tantra Siksha.—Instructions to Physicians according to Tántric system. A work on Hindu medicine.] Compiled by Krishna Chandra Brahmachárá. Pages 180, 35. Published by S. Dás, Ultádingi Main Road, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [24th July 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition. Price, Re. 1. [1st edition not received.]	Sarat Chandra Dás, 38-1, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1441	S. Dás, Ultádingi Main Road, Calcutta.
120	হোরাবিজ্ঞান রহস্যম্। প্রথম কাণ্ডঃ। Horavijnan Rahasyam. Prathama Kandah.—[A treatise on Hindu Astronomy and Astrology] Compiled by Náráyan Chandra Jyotirbhúshan Bhattácháryya. Pages 8, 6, 187. Published by the Compiler, 42, Sitá Náth Road, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [28th August 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. Illustrated. (T.) Price, Re. 1-10. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 2184 at pages 50-51 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1898.]	Sányál & Co., 25, Káybágán Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1829	The compiler, 42, Sitánath Road, Calcutta.
121	ইন্দ্রজাল তত্ত্ব। [Indrajál Tattva.—Truths of Magic. A book on Magic.] Compiled by Nava Kumár Datta. Pages 12, 156. Published by Nava Kumár Datta, 50-1, Káli Prasád Datta's Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [22nd August 1908.] 12°. 2nd edition. Price, 8 annas. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 84 at page 58 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1907.]	Panchánan Mitra, 50-1, Káli Prasád Datta's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1683	Ditto.
122	পুষ্পোৎসব গণনা। [Pushpotsab Ganana.—Prediction on the first menstrual ceremony. Descriptions of the astrological effects of the attainment of puberty by a girl.] Compiled by Durgá Kinkar Bhattácháryya. Pages 4, 30. Published by the compiler, Hákmá, Goálpára, Assam. [12th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Sasi Bhúshan Kritiratna, 24, Girish Vidyaratna's Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1559	.....
123	সানুবাদ জ্যোতিষ-সারসংগ্রহ। [Sanuvad Jyotish-Sar Sangraha.—Collection of the essence of Astrology with Translation. A treatise on Astrology with Bengali translation.] Edited by Prasanna Kumár Sástrí Bhattácháryya. Pages 5, 114. Published by the editor, 28-1, Beadon Row, Calcutta. 1315 Sál or 1908-09. A.D. [2nd September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 4 annas.	Kula Chandra De, 28-1, Beadon Row, Calcutta.	1,000	1925	The editor, 28-1, Beadon Row, Calcutta.

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	V.—BENGALI AND SANSKRIT—PHILOSOPHY.				
124	Hirendra Nath Datta. —গীতার ঈশ্বরবাদ। [Gītāy Isvarvād. Theory of God in the Gītā. An examination of the different systems of Hindu philosophy with reference to the question of the existence of God.] Pages 4, 346, 6. Published by the Vangīya Sāhitya Pārisahat, 137-J, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [21st September 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition. Price, Re. 1-4. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 75 at page 56 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1906]	J. N. Basu, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1850	The author, 139, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.
125	বেদান্ত সমবয়। অষ্টম খণ্ড। প্রথমার্শ। [Vedānta Saman-vay. Ashtam Khanda. Prathamansa.—Vedānta Harmonized. 1st half of Part VIII. An exposition of the Vedānta Philosophy and its Harmony with Upanishadas. Texts and notes in Sanskrit and a translation and purport in Bengali.] Edited by Revd. Gaur Govinda Rāy Upādhyay. Pages 32. Published by K. C. Mitra, 3, Ramā Nāth Majumdar's Street, Calcutta. [3rd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 4 annas. [Part VII noticed in entry No. 15 at page 75 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1908.]	K. P. Nāth, 3, Ramā Nāth Majumdar's Street, Calcutta.	600	1243	The editor, Brāhmo Samāj Mission Office, Calcutta.
	V.—BENGALI AND SANSKRIT—RELIGION.				
126	ব্রহ্মাণ্ড পুরাণম্। [Brahmāṇḍa Puraṇam.—Name of a Purāṇa. Text in Sanskrit with translation in Bengali by Pandit Panchānan Tarkaratna.] Compiled by Pandit Panchānan Tarkaratna. Pages 2, 355. Published by Natabar Chakravarti, 38-2, Bhavānī Charan Datta's Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [16th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, Rs. 2.	Natabar Chakravarti, 38-2, Bhavānī Charan Datta's Street, Calcutta.	3,000	1928	The compiler, Vangavāsi Office, Calcutta
127	বাসিষ্ঠ মহারামায়ণ। ৯৮ সংখ্যা। [Vasishtha Maharamayanam. 98 Sankhya.—The Great Rāmāyana containing the lectures of the Sage Vasishtha. No. 98. Text with commentary by Anandabodhendra Vikshu and a Bengali translation.] Edited by Kālīvar Vedāntavāgīs. Pages 48. Published by Nanda Lal Pāl, 214, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta. 1829 Sak or 1907-08. A.D. [1st July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 6 annas. [Part 97 noticed in entry No. 96 at page 61 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Asutosh Gad, 214, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1294	The publisher, 214, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.
128	গীতা মহাত্ম্যম্। [Gita Mahatyam.—The greatness of Gītā. Parts 10 and 11 (together). The well-known Chapter named in the title appended to Gītā. Text with a note in Sanskrit and a Bengali translation.] Translated by Harendra Nāth Mukherji. Pages 16, 40, 16. Published by the editor, 38, Balarām Basu's Ghat Road, Bhawānipur. [1st June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 5 annas. [9th part noticed in entry No. 101 at page 61 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Printed by Sripada Chatterji, 64, New Road, Kālīghāt, 24-Parganas.	1,000	23	The Translator, 38, Balarām Basu's Ghat Road, Bhawānipur.

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	V.—BENGALI AND SANSKRIT—RELIGION—contd.				
129	কায়স্থ কুসুমাজলি। [Kayastha Kusamanjali.—Palmful of flowers offered for the Kāyasthas. The daily ritualistic observances of the kāyasthas.] Compiled by Deva Sri Kāli Prasanna Varmā Sarkar, B.A. Pages 5, 2, 42. Published by Bhūtnāth Pālit, 210-5, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [18th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna and 6 pies.	Bhūtnāth Pālit, 210-5, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1813	The compiler, Faridpur.
130	মহানির্বাণ তন্ত্রঃ। [Mahanirvan tantram.—Name of a Tantra. Text with Bengali Translation and notes.] Edited by Prasanna Kumār Sāstrī. Pages 26, 524. Published by the editor, 28-1, Beadon Row, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [30th July 1908.] 12'. 1st edition. (T.) Price, Rs. 2.	Kula Chandra De, 28-1, Beadon Row, Calcutta.	1,000	1637	The editor, 28-1 Beadon Row Calcutta.
131	সটীক পরমহক্তি সূত্রম্। [Satikam Parabhakti Sūtram.—Aphorism of devotion to Supreme Being. A pamphlet on devotion to God, Personal and Impersonal, with notes and Bengali translation.] Compiled by Svāmī Hariharānanda Aranya. Pages 31. Published by Svāmī Saachchidānanda Aranya, Kapilāsram, Hugli. 1908. [10th July 1908.] 8'. 1st edition. (T.) Price, nil.	Sasibhūshan Kritiratna, 24, Girish Vidyaratna's Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1361	The publisher Kapilāsram, Hugli.
132	পুত্রোহিত দর্পণ। [Purohit Darpan.—Mirror of Priests. A guide to Hindu priests.] Compiled by Surendra Mohan Bhattachāryya. Pages 3, 10, 871. Published by Nava Kumār Datta, 50-1, Kali Prasād Datta's Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [10th September 1908.] 8". 7th edition. Price, Rs. 2. [5th and 6th edition not received. 4th edition noticed in entry No. 93 at page 51 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1907.]	Panchānan Mitra, 50-1, Kali Prasād Datta's Street, Calcutta.	3,000	1952	The publisher 50-1, Kāli Prasād Datta Street, Calcutta.
133	রামায়ণম্। [Ramayanam.—The Rāmāyana of Valmiki. Text and Bengali Translation.] Edited by Panchānan Tarkaratna. Pages 9, 1469. Published by Nawabar Chakravartti, 38-2, Bhavānī Charan Datta's Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [18th September 1908.] 8vo. 4th edition. (T.) Price, Rs. 10. [3rd edition noticed in entry No. 52 at page 32 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1904.]	Printed by Natabar Chakravartti, 38-2, Bhavānī Charan Datta's Street, Calcutta.	3,000	1929	The editor Vangavāsi office, Calcutta

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	V.—BENGALI AND SANSKRIT—RELIGION—contd.				
134	শ্রীমদ্ভগবদ্গীতা । [Srimadbhagavadgita.—The Divine Lay Text with Bengali Translation and notes.] Edited by Prasanna Kumār Sāstrī. Pages 12. 514, 12. Published by Prasanna Kumār Sāstrī, 28-1, Beadon Row, Calcutta. [25th July 1908.] 9th edition. (T.) Price, 5 annas. [8th edition noticed in entry No. 78 at page 54 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1907.]	Rula Chandra De, 28-1, Beadon Row, Calcutta.	2,000	1639	The editor, 28-1, Beadon Row, Calcutta.
135	শ্রীমদ্ভগবদ্গীতা । [Srimadbhagvatam.—Book of the Lord. Text with commentaries and Bengali translation. Parts 219–221 together.] Translated and annotated by Khagendra Nāth Sāstrī. Pages 96. Published by Khagendra Nāth Sāstrī, 37, Balarām Basu's Ghāt Road, Bhawanipur, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09 A.D. [6th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 6 annas. [218th part noticed in entry No. 102 at page 62 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]	Manmatha Nāth Mitra, Bhawanipur.	1,000	26	The translator, 37, Balarām Basu's Ghāt Road, Bhawanipur.
136	Parts 222-225 (together). Pages 96. Published by ditto. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [6th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 6 annas.	Ditto	1,000	30	Ditto.
137	Parts 226-227 (together). Pages 64. Published by ditto. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [3rd September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 6 annas.	Ditto	1,000	34	Ditto.
138	শ্রীশ্রীচৈতন্য চরিতামৃত । [Sri Sri Chaitanya Charitamrita. Nectar of the Life of Chaitanya. Parts 15 and 16 (together). By Krishna Dās Kavirāj.] Edited by Vinod Vihārī Gosvāmī. Pages 66. Published by the editor, 154, Abiritolā Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [24th August 1908.] 8vo°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 4 annas. [14th part noticed in entry No. 99 at page 61 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]	Mahendra Nāth De, 63, Nimtalā Ghāt Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1666	.....
139	শ্রীশ্রীকৃষ্ণোপাসনা পদ্ধতি । [Sri Sri Krishnopasana Pad-dhati.—The Method of Worshipping Sri Krishna Hindu rituals of daily worship. Compiled by Rām Dās. Pages 6, 49, 1. Published by Rām Dās, Nadia. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [25th July 1908.] 12mo. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1426	.....
140	সুদ্বিত্ত্বম্ । [Suddhitattvam.—Principles of Purification. The well-known work of Raghunandan with a commentary and Bengali translation.] Edited by Hrishikesh Sāstrī. Pages 7, 10, 745. Published by Natabar Chakravarti, 38-2, Bhavānī Charan Datta's Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09 A.D. [16th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, Rs. 2.	Natabar Chakravarti, 38-2, Bhavānī Charan Datta's Street, Calcutta.	3,000	1926

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	V.—BENGALI AND SANSKRIT—RELIGION—conclud.				
141	Sankar Sevaka Bharati Satyananda. —কর্ম, জ্ঞান ও ভক্তি মতাদে হই এই কথা। A few words on action, knowledge and devotion. [An essay on the three means of man's salvation—Action, Know- ledge and Devotion.] Pages 36. Published by Purna Chandra Dās, 61-62, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta. [14th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Purna Chandra Dās, 61-62, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	600	1593
142	Surendra Mohan Bhattacharyya. —সাধনা। Sādhana. Worship. [Deals with some esoteric subjects of Hindu religion.] Pages 2, 432. Published by Nava Kumār Datta, 50-1, Kālī Prasād Datta's Street, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [15th Septem- ber 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2.	Panchānan Mitra, 50-1, Kālī Prasād Datta's Street, Cal- cutta.	1,000	1963	The publisher, 50-1, Kālī Pra- sād Datta's Street, Calcutta
143	যোগ ও সাধন-রহস্য। Yoga o Sādhana-Rahasya. [The Mystery of Yoga (concentration of mind) and Worship. Treats of Yoga in a popular manner.] Pages 4, 600. Published by H. D. Mānā & Co., 4, Gulu Ostāgar's Lane, Calcutta. 1314 Sāl or 1907-08. A.D. [23rd June 1908.] 12°. 3rd edition. Price, Rs. 2. [2nd edition noticed in entry No. 130 at page 45 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1907.]	Srīmanta Lāl Mānā 133, Masjidhārī Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1327	No. 50. The publishers, 4, Gulu Ostā- gar's Lane, Calcutta. Reg. No. 36, dated 16th July 1908.
144	তাত্ত্বিক-রহস্য। [Tattvik Rahasya.—Mystery relating to Truths. Discussions about the qualifications of the Hindu spiritual guide.] Compiled by Kālī Chandra Sen Gupta. Pages 4, 74. Published by the Ayurveda Sanskāra Chikitsālay, Nimalā, Calcutta. 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. A.D. [16th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 12 annas.	S. C. Chakravarti, 17, Nanda Kumār Chaudhuri's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1658	The compiler, Nimalā, Cal- cutta.
	VI.—ENGLISH AND HINDI—LANGUAGE. <i>Educational—</i>				
1	First English-Hindi Book. With Reading and Writing Lessons— Pages 48. Published by Rev. E. Mueller, Ranchi. 1908. [28th August 1908.] 12°. 3rd edition. Price, 3 annas. [2nd edition noticed in entry No. 10 at pages 70-71 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1901.]	Rev. E. Mueller, G. E. L. Mission Press, Ranchi.	1,000	3	The G. E. L. Mission, Ranchi.
2	Yogendra Nath Banerji. —Child's Easy Grammar in Hindi. [Rules of English Grammar explained in Hindi.] Pages 2, 117. Published by S. C. Adhya & Co., 58 and 12, Wellington Street, Calcutta 1908. [10th August 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 5 annas.	Bata Krishna Dās, 10, Haladhar Burd- dhan's Lane, Cal- cutta.	2,000	1599	The publishers, 10, Haladhar Burdhan's Lane, Calcutta.

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	VII.—ENGLISH AND LATIN—MISCELLANEOUS.				
1	Lalit Mohan Mukherji, (M.A., B.L.)—Latin without a teacher. [Being an introductory Latin Grammar with an Analytical Translation of all Latin phrases in Hunter's Introduction to Roman Law intended for Law Students.] Pages 3, 52. Published by B. Barál 3 to 5, Bow Street, Calcutta. 1908. [24th September 1908] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	B. Barál, 3 to 5, Bow Street, Calcutta.	500	1892	The author, 11, Abhay Haldár's Lane, Bow Bazar, Calcutta.
	VIII.—ENGLISH AND NEPALI—LANGUAGE.				
	<i>Educational—</i>				
3	राईशर । [Raishar.—Third Book. A Nepali-English primer.] Composed by Hazirman Rai. Pages 1, 44. Published by G. P. Pradhán, Darjeeling. 1908. [11th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 5 annas.	G. P. Pradhán, Gorkhā Press, Darjeeling.	500	12	.....
	IX.—ENGLISH AND SANSKRIT—LANGUAGE.				
	<i>Educational—</i>				
17	Sriram Sastri.—देवनागर-वर्णपरिचयः । प्रथम भाग । [Deva Nāgar-Varnaparichay. Pratham Bhāg. An Alphabetical Primer. Part I.] Pages 35. Published by Sri Krishna Bhattāchāryya, 13, Balarām Ghosh's Street, Calcutta. 1316 Sāl or 1908-1909. A.D. [5th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna and 6 pies.	Manmatha Nath Ghosh, 38, Sivanārāyan Dās Lane, Calcutta.	1,200	1722	The author, 13, Balarām Ghosh's Street, Calcutta.
	IX.—ENGLISH AND SANSKRIT—LAW.				
18	Jogendra Chandra Ghose.—Tagore Law Lectures, 1904. [The Hindu Law of Impartible property including endowment] Pages 26, 37, 431, 13. Published by S. C. Adhya & Co., 58 and 12, Wellington Street, Calcutta. 1903. [20th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 10.	Batakrishna Dās, 10, Haladhar Bardhan's Lane, Calcutta.	700	1290	The author, 8, Chandra Nath Chatterji's Street, Bhanipur
	IX.—ENGLISH AND SANSKRIT—PHILOSOPHY.				
19	Sarvaupanishadvidya or The Science of Sciences.—[An attempt to explain some cardinal principles of Hindu philosophy by the light of modern researches of Western Science.] Compiled by Surendra Nāth Goswāmī. Pages 41. Published by the compiler, 28, Mániktālā Street, Calcutta. [10th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Hem Chandra Bānerji, 28, Mániktālā Street, Calcutta.	250	1594	The compiler, 28, Mániktālā Street, Calcutta.
20	Vivakananda (Svami)—Raja Yoga. A form of Yoga. [A treatise on Yoga philosophy, the first part comprising of several lectures delivered to classes in New York and the second of the original aphorisms of Patanjali together with a rather free translation of them and a running commentary in English.] Pages 190, 6. Published by the Manager, Udbodhan office, 30, Basupará Lane, Calcutta. 1908. [19th August 1908.] 8°. 2nd edition. Price, Re. 1.	G. C. Niyogí, 91-1, Mechhuyábázár Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1792	No. 61. Svámī Satyākāma, 30, Basupará Lane, Bāgbázár, Calcutta. Reg. No. 46, dated 22nd August 1908.
	[1st edition noticed in entry No. 540 at pages 45-47 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1901.]				

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IX.—ENGLISH AND SANSKRIT—RELIGION.					
21	Dharma Sastras (The).—Part 23. [Text and English Translation of the twenty Samhitās.] Edited by Manmatha Nath Datta Sāstrī, M.A. Pages 48, 4, 12. Published by the editor, 3, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta. 1908. [3rd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, Rs. 16 complete. [Part 23 noticed in entry No. 12 at page 63 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]	Hári Charan Dās, 3, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta.	3,000	1322	The editor 3, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta.
22	———Part 24. Pages 48, 16. Published by ditto. 1908. [20th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, Rs. 16 complete.	Ditto	3,000	1412	Ditto.
23	———Part 25. Pages 2, 1, 2, 8, 3, 34, 1, 1. Published by ditto 1908. [20th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition, (T.) Price, Rs. 16 complete	Ditto	3,000	1763	Ditto.
24	Wealth of India—2nd Series. Rig-Veda. Vol. III. Part II. [Text with Sāyana's commentary and a literal prose English translation.] Edited by Manmatha Nath Datta Sāstrī, M.A. Pages 16, 56. Published by the editor, 3, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta. 1908. [4th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, Rs. 7 yearly. [Part I noticed in entry No. 16 at page 63 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]	Ditto	3,000	1321	Ditto.
25	———Vol. III. Part III. Pages 16, 56. Published by ditto. 1908. [22nd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, Rs. 7 yearly.	Ditto	3,000	1413	Ditto.
26	———Vol. III. Part IV. Pages 16, 56. Published by ditto. 1908. [22nd August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, Rs. 7 yearly.	Ditto	3,000	1762	Ditto.
27	———Vol. III. Part V. Pages 16, 56. Published by ditto. 1908. [24th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, Rs. 7 yearly.	Ditto	3,000	1960	Ditto.
X.—HINDI AND SANSKRIT—MISCELLANEOUS.					
5	कलवार की उत्पत्ति । [Kalvar Ki Utpatti.—Origin of Kalvár. (Distiller). An opinion on the origin of Kalvár (Distiller) caste.] Edited by Sakal Nārāyan Pānde. Pages 8. Published by the Nāgri Prachārī Sabhā, Arrah. [1st September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 6 pies.	Chandī Prasād Sinha, Khadgavilās Press, Bankipur.	300	66	The publisher, Arrah.

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	X.—HINDI AND SANSKRIT—MISCELLANEOUS — concl'd.				
6	मिथिला हित शिक्षा । [Mithila Hita Siksha —Moral teachings in Mithilā. Instructions to Mithilā Brāhmanas.] Compiled by Vraja Nandan Misra. Pages 28. Published by the compiler, Muzaffarpur. 1908. [27th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, nil	Chandī Prāsād Sinha, Khadgavilās Press, Bankipur.	1,000	58	The compiler, Muzaffarpur.
	X.—HINDI AND SANSKRIT—RELIGION.				
7	Ganes Prasad.—धर्म रक्षा । [Dharmā Rakshā. Protection of religion. Religious instructions.] Pages 30. Published by the author, Dvarbhanga. [10th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Kanhaiyā Lāl Krishna Dās, Dvarbhanga.	500	10	No. 62. The author, Kasba Maner, Patna. Reg. No. 42, dated 15th August 1908.
8	श्रीशिवार्चन मञ्जुषा । [Śrī Shivarchohana Manjusha —A casket (of rituals for worshipping Śiva. Collection of rituals for worshipping Śiva.) Compiled by Śhiva Gulām Lāl. Pages 5, 8, 194. Published by the compiler, Arrah. [1st September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas	Akli Lal, Biharbandhu Press, Bankipur.	1,000	63	The compiler, Arrah.
	XI.—PERSIAN AND URDU—LANGUAGE.				
	<i>Educational—</i>				
3	Abu Muhammad Ibrahim.—فارسی کی پہلی کتاب [Fārsī ki Pahlī Kitāb. The First Book of Persian. Persian Grammar intended for beginners.] Pages 38. Published by Muhammad Ishāq, Milki Muhallah, Arrah. 1926 A.H. or 1908 A.D. [6th September 1908.] 8°. Litho. 3rd edition. Price, 2 annas. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 359 at pages 62-63 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1895.]	Mājīd Ali, 98, Harrison Road, Calcutta.	500	1812	Muhamad Ishāq, Milki, Muhallah, Arrah.
4	Farman Ali, (Syed Hafiz Hakim Maulana).—صرف فارسی [Sarf-i-Fārsī. Conjugation of Persian. Grammar dealing with conjugation of verbs in Persian.] Pages 32. Published by Hāji Syed Jān and Jannat Husain, Patna City. [31st August 1908.] 8°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna and 3 pies.	Syed Hāji Jān Saiyadī Press, Gurhattā Patna City.	500	80	Nawab Altāf Husain Khān, Mutawālī, Madrasah Sulaimāniyah, Patna.
	XII.—SANSKRIT AND URIYA—MISCELLANEOUS.				
21	Dina Krishna Das.—ସିନ୍ଧୁ । [Prastāva Sindhu. Sea of discourses. Sanskrit verses on a variety of subjects with their Uriyā translations in verse.] Pages 98. Published by Bhāgavat Prāsād Dān, Dewanbāzar, Cuttack. 1908. [12th August 1908.] 12°. 8th edition. (T.) Price, 5 annas. [7th edition noticed in entry No. 21 at page 61 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1906.]	N. N. Sāhu, Arunday Press, Cuttack.	1,000	105	The publisher, Dewanbāzar, Cuttack.

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	XII—SANSKRIT AND URIYA.—MISCELLANEOUS— <i>concluded.</i>				
22	ଶୃଙ୍ଗାରତிலକାମ । [Sringaratilakam. Ornament of Erotics. The text and Uriya translation of Kālidās's Sanskrit work of the same name.] Translated by Dayānidhi Misra. Pages 12. Published by Bhuvanēśvar Rath, Puri. 1908. [16th June 1908.] 12". 1st edition. (T.) Price, 1 anna.	Bhuvanēśvar Rath, Jagannāth Press, Puri.	1,000	30	Dayānidhi Misra, Virpurushottampur, Puri.
23	Upendra Bhanja — ଚଉପଦୀ ଭୂଷଣ । [Chaupadī Bhūshan. Ornament of Chaupadī (Four-footed) Verse. Love songs, with Sanskrit slokas from Rasapanchak.] Pages 24. Published by Ganesvar Dās and Sekh Nājir Mahammad, Cuttack. 1908. [20th July 1908.] 16". 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Anukul Sarkār, Chandra Union Printing works, Cuttack.	1,000	89	Nājir Mahammad, Cuttack.
	XII.—SANSKRIT AND URIYA—RELIGION.				
24	Dina Krishna Das.—ଅରାତ୍ରୀନ । [Aratatrān. Rescue of the distressed. Religious Poems.] Pages 14. Published by Vāsudev Satapathī, Mansingpatna, Cuttack. 1908. [1st September 1908.] 12". 1st edition. (R.) Price, 1 anna.	K. C. Rāy, Star Press, Cuttack.	1,000	121	The publisher, Mansingpatna, Cuttack.
25	ଦ୍ଵାଦଶସ୍କନ୍ଧ ଶିଳା ଭାଗବତ । [Dvadas Skandha Tika Bhāgavat. Twelve chapters of the Abridged Bhāgavat. A few slokas in Sanskrit with Uriya translation.] Pages 16. Chintāmani De, Syām Kunja Lane, Puri. 1908. [3rd July 1908.] 12". 5th edition. (R.) Price, 1 anna and 3 pies. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 27 at page 62 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September, 1906.]	Bauribandhu Misra, Balabhadra Press, Puri.	1,000	44	The publisher, Syām Kunja Lane, Puri.
26	Jagannath Das.—ଗଜାନିସ୍ତରାଣ । [Gajanistāraṇ. Rescue of an Elephant. Religious poem.] Pages 16. Published by Vaidyanāth Sinha, Puri. 1908. [12th July 1908.] 16". 1st edition. (R.) Price, 6 pies.	Madhu Sūdan Misra, Madan Mohan Press, Puri.	1,000	39	The publisher, Puri.
27	— — — — — ଶ୍ରୀମଦଭାଗବତସ୍ତୃତୀୟା ଷଷ୍ଠାଂଶ । [Śrīmadbhāgavatīya Shashtha Skandha. Sixth Chapter of the Śrīmadbhāgavat (Book of the Lord) Sanskrit text with Uriya translation in verse. Pages 98. Published by Sadāsiva Datta, Khatbansahi, Cuttack. 1908. [15th July 1908.] 12". 1st edition. (R.) Price, 4 annas. [6th Chapter noticed in entry No. 16 at page 65 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Visva Nāth Kar, Utkal Sāhitya Press, Cuttack.	1,000	84	The publisher, Khatbansahi, Cuttack.
28	— — — — — ଶ୍ରୀମଦଭାଗବତସ୍ତୃତୀୟା ସପ୍ତମାଂଶ । [Śrīmadbhāgavatīya Saptam Skandha. Seventh Chapter of the Śrīmadbhāgavat. (Book of the Lord.) Sanskrit text with Uriya translation in verse.] Pages 104. Published by Nārāyan Chandra Dān, Dewānbāzār, Cuttack. 1908. [27th July 1908.] 12". 1st edition. (R.) Price, 6 annas. [6th Chapter not received.]	N. N. Sāhu, Arunday Press, Cuttack.	1,000	94	Nārāyan Chandra Dān, Dewānbāzār, Cuttack.

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	XII.—SANSKRIT AND URIYA—RELIGION—concl'd.				
29	Jagannath Das. —ଶ୍ରୀମଦଭଗବତ, ଏକାଦଶ ସ୍କନ୍ଦ । [Śrīmadbhāgavat, Ekādas Skandha. Book of the Lord. 11th chapter. Sanskrit text with Uriyā translation in verse.] Pages 242. Published by S. Rām, Cuttack. 1908. [8th August 1908]. 12°. 2nd edition. Illustrated. (R.) Price, 5 annas. [1st edition not received].	Srinath Ráy, Edward Press, Cuttack.	2,000	103	The publisher, Cuttack.
30	— Pages 216. Published by Dr. Amrita Lal Sarkár, L.M.S., F.C.S., 51, Sankaritolá, Calcutta, 1907. [21st July 1908.] 12° 3rd edition. Illustrated. (R.) Price, 6 annas. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 7 at page 59 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1907.]	P. Sarkár, 51, Sankaritolá, Calcutta.	4,000	1407	The publisher, 51, Sankaritolá, Calcutta.
31	ଦୈନିକ ଓ ଶ୍ରୀକା ଭଗବତ । [Nitya Karma O Tika Bhagavat.—Daily religious rites and Abridged Bhāgavat. Sanskrit slokas relating to daily religious rites and a few slokas of the Bhāgavat in Sanskrit with Uriyā translation.] Pages 16. Published by Vaidyanāth Sinha, Puri. 1908. [10th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, 6 pies.	Madhu Śūdan Misra, Madan Mohan Press, Puri.	1,000	38	The publisher, Puri.
32	ରଘୁବେଦ ସଂହିତା । (ପ୍ରଥମ ସ୍କନ୍ଦ) । [Rigved Samhita. (Prathama Khanda).—A compilation of Rīgveda. Part I. Text with Uriyā translation.] Translated by Rām Sankar Ráy. Pages 1, 180. Published by the translator, Chaudhuribāzár, Cuttack. 1908. [6th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (T.) Price, Re. 1.	Bhāgīrathī Sāthiyá, Cuttack Printing Co. Ltd., Cuttack.	1,000	106	The translator, Chaudhuribāzár, Cuttack.
33	ଶ୍ରୀଲୋକନାଥ ଜଣାଣ । [Śrī Loknath Janan.—Hymns in honour of the God Loknāth (Siva).] Pages 8. Published by Artta De, Syám Kunja Lane, Puri. 1908. [6th June 1908.] 8°. 4th edition. Price, 1 anna. [3rd edition noticed in entry No. 14 at pages 38-39 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March, 1905.]	Bauribandhu Misra, Balbhadra Press, Puri.	1,000	35	The publisher, Syám Kunja Lane, Puri.
34	Valaram Das and Jagannath Das. —ମୃଗୁଣୀ ସ୍ତୁତି । [Mrigunī Stutih. A prayer of a Doe. Describes the great efficacy of prayer to god Krishna.] Pages 8. Published by Bhāgavat Prasād Dān, Dewānbāzár, Cuttack. 1908. [1st August 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition. Price, 9 pies. [1st edition noticed in entry No. 104 at page 42 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1907.]	N. N. Sāhu, Arunoday Press, Cuttack.	1,000	98	Bhāgavat Prasād Dān, Dewānbāzár, Cuttack.

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TRI-LINGUAL BOOKS.					
I.—BENGALI, ENGLISH AND SANSKRIT—LANGUAGE.					
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8	Dina Nath Vidyaratna. —সন্দর্ভসার দর্পণ। [Sandarbhasār Darpanah. Mirror of Sandarbhasār (a name of book) A key with Bengali and English translations.] Pages 336. Published by Mānik Lāl De, 66, College Street, Calcutta. 1314 sāl or 1907-08. A.D. [22nd July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 12 annas.	Pānchu Gopāl Ash, 2, Goā Bāzār Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1496	The publisher Calcutta.
9	Janaki Nath Bhattacharyya, (Prof., M.A., B.L.,) and Pandit S. C. Kaviratna. —A key to the Sanskrit Matriculation Course, 1910 (compulsory and optional). Part I. [A key with Bengali and English translations.] Pages 431. Published by S. C. Bhattachāryya & Co., 63, College Street, Calcutta. [10th July 1908] 16°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2.	L. N. Mukherji, 10, Sumbhu Charan Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1442	The publisher, 63, College Street, Calcutta.
10	Mathura Nath Mandal (M.A.) —নবাবিধিমতে প্রথম সংস্কৃত শিক্ষা। [Navabidhimate Prathama Sanskrit Sikshā. Beginner's Sanskrit Instructor according to the new regulations. A Sanskrit reader for the students of 3rd and 4th classes of High English Schools.] Pages 96. Published by the author, 205, Grand Trunk Road, Howrah. 1908. [24th August 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas and 6 pies	Gobarddhan Pān, 80-1, Muktarām Babu's Street, Calcutta.	250	1676	The author, 205, Grand Trunk Road, Howrah.
11	Upendra Nath Vidyabhushana, (B.A.) —A complete Key to the Selections from the Mahābhārata and the Dasakumār Charita. (I. A. Course for 1909). [A Key.] Pages 168. Published by the United Bengal Library, 4, College Square, Calcutta. [14th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	Mati Lāl Sinha, 78, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1307	The author, Rāyorkāti, Barisal.
I.—BENGALI, ENGLISH AND SANSKRIT—POETRY.					
<i>Educational—</i>					
12	Bhatti Kavyam. Canto II. [Poems by Bhatti. Canto II. I.A. Sanskrit Course with an original Sanskrit Commentary, together with Bengali and English translations.] Edited by Sāradā Ranjan Rāy, M.A. Pages 6, 96. Published by S. Rāy & Co. Chowringi Road, Calcutta. [21st July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	G. C. Niyogi, 91-2, Meehuya Bāzār Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1429	The author.
13	Canto XII. [Text with notes, introduction, commentaries of Mallināth and Jaymangal, together with Bengali and English translations.] Edited by Janaki Nāth Bhattachāryya, M.A., B.L., P. B. S. Pages 28, 364. Published by S. C. Bhattachāryya & Co., 63, College Street, Calcutta. 1908. [16th July 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-4.	Ditto ...	1,250	1366	The editor.
II.—BENGALI, HINDI AND MANIPURI—MISCELLANEOUS.					
1	Santoshdas Paramhansa. —हिन्दि, बाङ्गाली এবং মনিপুরি শিক্ষা। [Hindi, Vāngālā Evam Manipuri Sikshā. Hindi, Bengali and Manipuri Instructor. A word book containing Manipuri words and their Bengali and English equivalent.] Pages 53. Published by Dr. P. K. Dās, Silchar, Cachar. 1908. [2nd September 1908.] 16°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	J. N. Banerji & Son, 119, Baitakhlānā Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1755	The publisher, Silchar, Cachar.
III.—BENGALI, HINDI AND URIYA—MISCELLANEOUS.					
1	Gopi Prasad Bhagat —ଚଉପଦି ଗର୍ବଗୀତ । ଛନ୍ଦ ଗୀତ । [Chaupadi Sarvasār. Pratham Bhāg. Best four-footed verses. Love songs.] Pages 12. Published by the author, Bākhṛāvād, Cuttack. 1908. [10th June 1908.] 12°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna.	Sitānāth Edward Rāy, Press, Cuttack.	1,000	79	The author. Bākhṛāvād, Cuttack.

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	POLYGLOT BOOKS.				
	I.—ARABIC, ENGLISH, PALI, PERSIAN, AND SANSKRIT—MISCELLANEOUS.				
1	Question Papers for the M.A. and P. R. S. Examinations, 1907.—[Calcutta University question papers for 1907]. Edited by the Calcutta University. Pages 233. Published by the Calcutta University, College Street, Calcutta. 1908. [27th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	400	1715	...
	II.—ARABIC, ENGLISH, FRENCH, LATIN, PERSIAN, SANSKRIT AND URDU—MISCELLANEOUS.				
1	Question Papers for the B.A. and B. Sc. Examinations, 1907.—[Calcutta University Question papers for 1907.] Edited by the Calcutta University. Pages 131. Published by the editor, College Street, Calcutta. 1908. [13th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	400	1714	.....
	III.—ARABIC, ASSAMESE, BENGALI, BURMESE, ENGLISH, HINDI, LATIN, etc.—MEDICINE.				
1	Rajendra Lal Sur (Dr.)—A Medical Dictionary. [A dictionary of medical terms in English, Latin and several Indian Vernaculars.] Pages 164. Published by Rām Lal Sur, 104, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. 1908. [21st June 1908.] 16°. 2nd edition. Price, Rs. 2. [Previous edition noticed in entry No. 1 at pages 56-57 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1898.]	Panchanan Chakravarti, 104, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	500	1936	The author, 89, Shyām Bazar Street, Calcutta.
	UNI-LINGUAL PERIODICALS.				
	I.—ASSAMESE PERIODICALS—RELIGION.				
6	দীপ্তি । [Dipti.—Refulgence. 3rd year. No. 12. A monthly journal devoted to the Christian Religion.] Edited by Rev. S. A. D. Boggs. Pages 12. Published by Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. June 1908. [16th June 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 5 at page 67 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Ditto	330	1251	.....
7	—————4th year. No. 1. Pages 12. July 1908. [24th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Ditto	330	1456	.....
8	—————4th year. No. 2. Pages 12. August 1908. [14th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly.	Ditto	330	1690	.....
9	—————4th year. No. 2. Pages 12. September 1908. [9th September 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly.	Ditto	330	1896

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	II.—BENGALI PERIODICALS—ART.				
260	<p>সঙ্গীত প্রকাশিকা। [Sangita Prakasika—Expounder of Music. Vol. VII No. 9. A monthly journal devoted to Hindu and European music.] Edited by Jyotirindra Nath Tagore. Pages 24. Published by Rana Gopál Chakravartti, 55, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta. Jyaishta 1315 Sál or May-June 1908. [1st July 1908.] 4". 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p> <p>[Previous number noticed in entry No. 134 at page 68 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]</p>	Rana Gopál Chakravartti, 55, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta.	250	1373	The editor, 6, Dwaraká Náth Tagore's Lane, Calcutta.
261	<p>—————Vol. VII. No. 10. Pages 24. Ashár 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [17th July 1908.] 4". 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p>	Ditto	250	1374	Ditto.
262	<p>—————Vol. VII. No. 11. Pages 24. Srában 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [8th August 1908.] 4". 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p>	Ditto	250	1607	Ditto.
263	<p>—————Vol. VII. No. 12. Pages 30. Bhádra 1315 Sál or August-September 1908. [15th September 1908.] 4". 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p>	Ditto	250	1890	Ditto.
	II.—BENGALI PERIODICALS—HISTORY (INCLUDING GEOGRAPHY).				
264	<p>ঐতিহাসিক চিত্র। [Aitihasik Chitra—Historical Pictures. 3rd year. Nos. 9-12. A monthly journal devoted to original historical research.] Edited by Nikhil Náth Ráy, B.L. Pages 188. Published by H. P. Chatterji, 76. Balarám De's Street, Calcutta. Pausa-Chaitra 1314 Sál or December 1907 to April 1908. [15th June 1908.] 16". 1st edition</p> <p align="center">Price, 3 annas.</p> <p>[Previous number noticed in entry No. 3 at page 89 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1908.]</p>	H. P. Chatterji, 76, Balarám De's Street, Calcutta.	500	1308	The editor Abinás Chandra Mukherj and H. P. Chatterji, 76 Balarám De's Street Calcutta.
265	<p>—————4th year. No. 1. Pages 46. Baisák 1315 Sál or April-May 1908. [25th June 1908] 16". 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 3 annas.</p>	Ditto	1,000	1309	Ditto.
266	<p>—————4th year. No. 2. Pages 46. Jyaishta 1315 Sál or May-June 1908. [30th June 1908.] 16". 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 3 annas.</p>	Ditto	1,000	1310	Ditto.
267	<p>—————4th year. No. 3. Pages 48. Ashár 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [31st July 1908] 16". 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 3 annas.</p>	Ditto	1,000	1492	Ditto.
268	<p>—————4th year No. 4. Pages 48. Srávan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [24th August 1908.] 16". 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 3 annas.</p>	Ditto	1,000	1720	Ditto.

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BENGALI PERIODICALS—MEDICINE.					
269	ভিষক-দর্পণ। [Bhishak-Darpan—The Physician's Mirror. Vol. XVIII. No. 6. A monthly journal of Allopathic Medicine.] Edited by Giris Chandra Hāgchī. Pages 40. Published by Sānyāl & Co., 25, Rāy Bāgān Street, Calcutta. June 1908. [17th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 138 at page 68 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Sānyāl & Co., 25, Rāy Bāgān Street, Calcutta.	270	1838	The editor, Akhil Mistri's Lane, Calcutta.
270	চিকিৎসা-প্রকাশ। Chikitsa-Prakas.--Light of Medical Science. Vol. I. No. 2. A monthly paper devoted to European medicine.] Edited by Dharendra Nāth Hāldār. Pages 40. Published by the Andulberiyā Medical Store, Nadia. Jyāishtha 1315 Śāl or May-June 1908. [17th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 189 at page 68 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Gobarddhan Pān, 80-1, Muktarām Babu's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1509	The publisher, Nadia.
271	————Vol. I. No. 3. Pages 32. Ashār 1315 Śāl or June-July 1908. [18th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto ...	1,000	1674	Ditto.
272	সরল হোমিওপ্যাথি। [Saral Homiopathy.—Easy Homœopathy. Vol. VIII. No. 6. A monthly Homœopathic Journal.] Edited by B. B. Chatterji, M.D., and A. K. Mukherji, L.M.S. Pages 16. Published by King & Co., 83, Harrison Road, Calcutta. June 1908. [30th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 142 at page 69 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	M. N. De, 63, Nimtalā Ghāt Street, Calcutta.	500	1423	.....
273	————Vol. VIII. No. 7. Pages 16. July 1908. [30th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Ditto ...	500	1556	.....
274	————Vol. VIII. No. 8. Pages 16. August 1908. [30th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto ...	500	1667	.....
BENGALI PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS.					
275	আলোচনা। [Alochana—Review. Vol. XII. No. 1. A monthly magazine dealing with topics of general interest.] Edited by Yogendra Nāth Chatterji. Pages 24. Published by Naphar Chandra Datta, 108, Panchānantalā Road, Howrah. Baisākh 1315 Śāl or April-May 1908. [29th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly. [Vol. XI. No. 12 not received. Vol. XI. No. 11 noticed in entry No. 151 at page 70 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Naphar Chandra Datta, Salkiyā Printing Works, Kaldāngā Lane, Salkiyā, Howrah.	250	29	The editor, 108, Panchānantalā Road, Howrah.
276	————Vol. XII. No. 2. Pages 24. Jyāishtha 1315 Śāl or May-June 1908. [7th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly.	Ditto ...	250	30	Ditto.

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	BENGALI PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS— contd.				
277	<p>আর্য্য-বিভূতি । [Aryya Vibhuti.—Aryan greatness. Vol. I. No. 1. A monthly magazine dealing with miscellaneous topics.] Edited by Bipin Vihári Ghatak and another. Pages 40. Published by Bipin Vihári Chakravartti, New Town Press, Bhawanipur. Baisákh 1315 Sál or April-May 1908. [17th May 1908.] 4°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p>	Manmatha Nath Mitra, New Town Press, Bhawanipur.	1,000	22	The editor, S. Jaynuddi Mistri's Lane, Chetla, 24-Paraganas.
278	<p>————— Vol. I. No. 2. Pages 40. Jyaishta 1315 Sál or May-June 1908. [29th June 1908.] 4°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p>	Ditto	1,000	27	Ditto.
279	<p>————— Vol. I. No. 3. Pages 40. Ashár 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [8th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p>	Ditto	1,000	28	Ditto.
280	<p>————— Vol. I. No. 4. Pages 40. Srávan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [18th September 1908.] 4°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p>	Ditto	1,000	36	Ditto.
281	<p>আর্য্যভূমি । [Aryabhumí.—The Aryan Land. 1st year. No. 4. A monthly magazine dealing with miscellaneous topics.] Edited by Priyadarshan Haldár. Pages 24. Published by the editor, 18-1, Simla Street, Calcutta. Srávan 1314 Sál or July-August 1907. [22nd September 1907.] 4°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, nil.</p> <p>[Previous number noticed in entry No. 250 at page 62 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1907.]</p>	Manmatha Nath Ghosh, 38, Sivanáráyan Dás's Lane, Calcutta.	700	1526	The editor, 18-1, Simla Street, Calcutta.
282	<p>————— 2nd year. No. 2. Pages 24. Jyaishta 1315 Sál or May-June 1908. [27th June 1908.] 4°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p> <p>[Previous number noticed in entry No. 150 at page 70 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908]</p>	Ditto	1,000	1818	Ditto.
283	<p>————— 2nd year. No. 3. Pages 24. Ashár 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [29th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p>	Ditto	700	1719	The editor, 82, Baranasi Ghosh's Street, Calcutta.
284	<p>————— 2nd year. No. 4. Pages 24. Srávan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [20th September 1908.] 4°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 4 annas.</p>	Ditto	700	1870	Manmatha Nath Ghosh.
285	<p>অবসর । [Avasar.—Leisure. Vol. IV. Nos. 9 and 10 (together). A monthly magazine dealing with miscellaneous topics.] Edited by Nava Kumár Datta. Pages 96. Published by Panchánan Mitra, 60-1, Káli Prasád Datta's Street, Calcutta. Baisákh and Jyaishta 1315 Sál or April-June 1908. [24th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 2 annas.</p> <p>[Previous number noticed in entry No. 147 at page 69 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]</p>	Panchánan Mitra, 60-1, Káli Prasád Datta's Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1923	The editor, 60-1, Káli Prasád Datta's Street, Calcutta.

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286	অবসর । [Avasar—Leisure. Vol. IV. No. 11. Pages 48. Ashār 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [10th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Panchánan Mitra, 60-1, Káli Prasád Datta's Street, Calcutta.	2,500	1924	The editor, Káli Prasád Datta's Street, Calcutta.
287	—Vol. IV. No. 12. Pages 48. Srávan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [15th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto ...	2,500	1681	Ditto.
288	—Vol. V. No. 1. Pages 48. Bhádra 1315 Sál or August-September 1908. [29th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto ...	3,000	1682	Ditto.
289	বাল্যসখা । [Balyasakha—Friend of Childhood. 1st year. No. 6. A monthly paper intended for children.] Edited by Sasí Bhúshan Chakravarti. Pages 16. Published by the editor, 36-1, Hari Ghosh's Street, Calcutta. Srávan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [25th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 217 at page 78 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Sányál & Co., 25, Ráy Bágán Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1835	The editor, 36-1, Hari Ghosh's Street, Calcutta.
290	—1st year. No. 7. Pages 16. Bhádra 1315 Sál or August-September 1908. [1st September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto ...	1,000	1836	Ditto.
291	ভক্তি । [Bhakti—Devotion. 6th year. No. 11. A monthly journal dealing mainly with devotional subjects.] Edited by Dinabandhu Kávyatírtha Vedántaratna. Pages 32. Published by Surendra Náth Bhatrácháryya, British India Printing Works, Howrah. Ashār 1315 sál or June-July 1908. [15th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas. [Vol. V. No. 5 to Vol. VI. No. 10, not received. Vol. V. No. 4 noticed in entry No. 65 at page 67 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1908.]	Surendra Náth Bhatrácháryya, British India Printing Works, Howrah.	1,000	37	The editor, Konrárbágán Howrah.
292	—6th year. No. 12. Pages 32. Srávan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [27th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto ...	1,000	38	Ditto.
293	—7th year. No. 1. Pages 32. Bhádra 1315 Sál or August-September 1908. [11th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto ...	1,000	44	Ditto.

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294	ভাণ্ডার। [Bhandar—The Store. 3rd year. No. 1. A monthly magazine dealing with social, industrial and political subjects.] Edited by Ravindra Nāth Tagore. Pages 56. Published by Kedār Nāth Dās Gupta, 5, Sukea's Street, Calcutta. Baisākh 1314 Sāl or April-May 1907. 16". 1st edition. Price, nil. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 188 at page 30 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1907.]	Ramani Mohan De, 17, Madan Mitra's Lane, Calcutta.	...	L No 1071 dated 30-7-08.
295	—3rd year. Nos. 4, 5 and 6. Edited by Sailes Chandra Majumdar. Pages 235. Published by the editor, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. Srāvan-Asvin 1314 Sāl or July-October 1907. [12th September 1908.] 16". 1st edition. Price, nil. [3rd year Nos. 2 and 3 noticed in entry No. 395 at page 73 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December 1907.]	Hari Charan Mānnā, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1883	Mani Lal Gān gulf, 6, Dvā rakā Nāt Tagore's Lane Calcutta.
296	ভারত-মহিলা। [Bharata-Mahila.—The Indian Lady. Vol. IV. No. 2. A monthly journal containing articles of general interest.] Edited by Sarajū Bālā Datta. Pages 24. Published by Hemendra Nāth Datta, 211, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. Jyāishtha 1315 Sāl or May-June 1908. [12th August 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 4 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 182 at page 74 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	A. C. Sarkār, 211, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1726	.....
297	—Vol. IV. No. 3. Pages 24. Ashār 1315 sāl or June-July 1908. [5th September 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1875	.....
298	—Vol. IV. No. 4. Pages 24. Srāvan 1315 Sāl or July-August 1908. [10th September 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1949	.....
299	ভারতী। [Bharati.—The Goddess of Speech. 32nd year. No. 4. A monthly journal dealing with subjects of general interest.] Edited by Svāna Kumārī Devī. Pages 48. Published by Satis Chandra Mukherji, 41, Old Bāliganj Road, Calcutta. Srāvan 1315 Sāl or July-August 1908. [23rd August 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Price, Rs. 3-6 yearly. [Previous number notice in entry No. 187 at page 75 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Sānyāl & Co., 25, Rāy Bāgān Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1837	The editor, 9 Old Bāliganj Road, Calcutt
300	—32nd year. No. 5. Pages 56. Bhādra 1315 Sāl or August-September 1908. [18th September 1908.] 8". 1st edition. Price, 6 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1838	Ditto.

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301	गृहलक्ष्मी । [Griha-Lakshmi.—The tutelary goddess of the home. 1st year. No. 7. A monthly magazine conducted exclusively by Indian ladies and treating of subjects of general interest.] Edited by Śrīmatī Śāntimayī Sen. Pages 16. Published by Hari Charan Dās, 40, Nayan Chānd Datta's Street, Calcutta. Bhuvan Mohan Sarkār's Lane, Calcutta. Chaitra 1314 Śāl or March-April 1908. [30th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 163 at page 72 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Hari Charan Dās, 40, Nayan Chānd Datta's Street, Calcutta.	500	1377	The editor, 18, Bhuvan Mohan Sarkār's Lane, Calcutta.	
302	—————1st year. Nos. 8 and 9 (together.) Pages 32. Hari Charan Dās, 3, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta. Baisakh and Jyaishtha 1315 Śāl or April-June 1908. [20th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly.	Hari Charan Dās, 3, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta.	500	1378	Ditto.	
303	—————1st year. No. 10. Pages 18. Ashār 1315 Śāl or June-July 1908. [3rd August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly.	Ditto	...	500	1519	Ditto.
304	—————1st year. No. 11. Pages 18. Śrāvan 1315 Śāl or July-August 1908. [3rd September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly.	Ditto	...	500	1751	Ditto.
305	—————1st year. No. 12. Pages 24. Bhādra 1315 Śāl or August-September 1908. [25th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly.	Ditto	...	500	1961	Ditto.
306	हिन्दू-सखा । [Hindu-Sakha.—Friend of the Hindus. 1st year. No. 2. A bi-monthly magazine dealing with religious, social, antiquarian and historical subjects.] Edited by Kālīpada Mitra. Pages 32. Published by the editor, Kaikālā, Hugli. Ashār 1315 Śāl or June-July 1908. [20th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 244 at page 82 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Manmatha Nath Ghosh, 38, Sivanārāyan Dās's Lane, Calcutta.	250	1720	The editor, Kaikālā, Hugli.	
307	—————1st year. No. 3. Pages 32. Bhādra 1315 Śāl or August-September 1908. [18th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto	...	500	1872	Ditto.

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308	জগজ্যোতিঃ । [Jagajjyotih. Light of the world. Vol. I. No. I. A monthly journal devoted to Buddhist religion and Pali literature.] Edited by Jñānarātna Kavidhvaja Śrī Guṇālakāra Mahāsthavira and Samana unnānanda Svāmi. Pages 32. Published by the Bauddha Dharmānkur Sabhā, 5, Lalit Mohan Dās's Lane, Kāpālitolā, Calcutta. Ashār 1315 Śāl or June-July 1908. [31st July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Mati Lāl Sinha, 78, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1618	The publisher, 5, Lalit Mohan Dās's Lane, Calcutta.
	Price, Rs. 2 yearly.				
309	————— Vol. I. No. 2. Pages 24. Śrāvan 1315 Śāl or July-August 1908. [16th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto	1,000	1619	Ditto.
	Price, Rs. 2 yearly.				
310	————— Vol. I. No. 3. Pages 32. Bhādra 1315 Śāl or August-September 1908. [13th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto	1,000	1953	Ditto.
	Price, Rs. 2 yearly.				
311	জন্মভূমি । [Janma Bhumi. The land of birth. Vol. XVI. No. 3. A monthly organ of Hindu religion and of orthodox Hindu society.] Edited by Jatindra Nāth Datta. Pages 40. Published by Narendra Nāth Datta, 39, Mānik Basu's Ghāt Street, Calcutta. Ashār 1315 Śāl or June-July 1908. [4th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	N. Datta, 39, Mānik Basu's Ghāt Street, Calcutta.	500	1790	The publisher, 39, Mānik Basu's Ghāt Street, Calcutta.
	Price, 2 annas and 6 pies.				
	[Previous no noticed in entry No. 166 at page 72 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]				
312	জাহ্নবী । [Jahnavi. The Ganges. 3rd year. No. 11. A monthly magazine dealing with miscellaneous topics.] Edited by Girindra Mohini Dāsi. Pages 40. Published by Nalini Ranjan Pandit, 2, Sankar Ghosh's Lane, Calcutta. Phālgun 1314 Śāl or February-March 1908. [22nd June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	S. C. Chakravarti, Kālikā Press, 17, Nanda Kumār Chaudhuri's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1346	The publisher, 2, Sankar Ghosh's Lane, Calcutta.
	Price, 2 annas.				
	[Previous number noticed in entry No. 168 at page 72 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]				
313	————— 3rd year. No. 12. Pages 40. Chaitra 1314 Śāl or March-April 1908. [5th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto	1,000	1346	Ditto.
	Price, 2 annas.				
314	————— 4th year. No. 1. Pages 40. Baisākh 1315 Śāl or April-May 1908. [23rd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto	1,000	1581	Ditto.
	Price, 3 annas.				
315	————— 4th year. No. 2. Pages 44. Jyāishtha 1315 Śāl or May-June 1908. 6th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto	1,000	1582	Ditto.
	Price, 3 annas.				

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	BENGALI PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS—<i>contd.</i>				
316	কমলা । [Kamala—Goddess of Fortune. Vol. III. No. 4. A monthly magazine dealing with subjects of agricultural, commercial, industrial and scientific interest.] Edited by Yogendra Chandra Basu. Pages 36. Published by G. C. Basu, & Co., 63, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta. April 1908. [3rd August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2-8 yearly. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 162 at page 71 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	G. C. Basu & Co., 63, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1531	The editor, 63, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.
317	কৃষক । [Krishak.—Cultivator. Vol. IX. No. 4. A monthly paper devoted mainly to agriculture.] Edited by Nagendra Nath Svarnakār, M.A., and Nikunja Vihārī Datta, M.R.S. Pages 40. Published by Sasi Bhūshan Mukherji, 196, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta. Śrāvan 1315 Sāl or July-August 1908. [8th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly. [Vol. VIII. No. 1 to Vol. IX. No. 3 not received. Vol. VII. No. 12, noticed in entry No. 162 at page 57 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1907.]	S. Habibar Rahman, 196, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	850	1661	.....
318	—————. Vol. IX. No. 5. Pages 40. Bhādra 1315 sāl or August-September 1908. [20th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto	850	1747	.....
319	মহাজন বন্ধু । [Mahajana Bandhu.—The Merchant's Friend. 8th year. No. 3. A monthly paper dealing with agricultural, industrial and commercial subjects.] Edited by Rāj Krishna Pāl. Pages 20. Published by Satya Charan Pāl, 25, Golok Datta's Lane, Hatkhola, Calcutta. Ashār 1315 Sāl or June-July 1908. [31st August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 189 at page 75 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Kunja Vihārī Datta, 124, Masjidbāri Street, Calcutta.	500	1955	The editor, 25, Golok Datta's Lane, Calcutta.
320	—————. 8th year. No. 4. Pages 20. Śrāvan 1315 Sāl or July-August 1908. [23th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto	500	1956	Ditto.
321	মহাশক্তি । [Mahasakti.—The Great Power. 13th year. No. 2. A fortnightly paper dealing mainly with politics.] Edited by K. M. Banerji. Pages 8, 4. Published by Indu Bhūshan Mukherji, 91-1, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta. Jyāishtha 1315 Sāl or May-June 1908. [25th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 6 pies. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 193 at page 76 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Indu Bhūshan Mukherji, 91-1, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta.	1,000	1495	The editor, 91-1, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta.

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	II.—BENGALI PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS— contd.				
322	মহিলা । [Mahila.—The Lady. Vol. XIII. No. 12. A monthly magazine intended for females and dealing with miscellaneous topics.] Edited by Giris Chandra Sen. Pages 28. Published by K. P. Nāth, 3, Ramā Nāth Majumdar's Street, Calcutta. Ashār 1315 Sāl or June-July 1908. [24th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 197 at page 76 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	K. P. Nāth, 3, Ramā Nāth Majumdar's Street, Calcutta.	325	1409	The Brahmo Samāj Mission office, 3, Ramā Nāth Majumdar's Street, Calcutta.
323	—————. Vol. XIV. No. 1. Pages 32. Srāvan 1315 Sāl or July-August 1908. [25th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto	...	325	1625 Ditto.
324	—————. Vol. XIV. No. 2. Pages 32. Bhādra 1315 Sāl or August-September 1908. [25th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto	...	325	1939 Ditto.
325	মুকুল । [Mukul.—Blossoms. Vol. XIV. No. 2. A monthly paper intended for children.] Edited by H. C. Sarkār. Pages 16. Published by the Sunday School, 16, Raghu Nāth Chatterji's Street, Calcutta. Jyāishtha 1315 Sāl or May-June 1908. [15th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 3 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 199 at page 76 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	A. C. Sarkār, 211, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,200	1727	.....
326	—————. Vol. XIV. No. 3. Pages 16. Ashār 1315 Sāl or June-July 1908. [8th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto	...	1,200	1876
327	—————. Vol. XIV. No. 4. Pages 16. Srāvan 1315 Sāl or July-August 1908. [12th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto	...	1,200	1948
328	নব্যভারত । [Navyabharat.—New India. Vol. XXVI. Nos. 2 and 3 (together). A monthly magazine dealing mainly with subjects of historical, religious and political interest.] Edited by Devī Prasanna Rāy Chaudhuri. Pages 112. Published by the editor, 210-4, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. Jyāishtha and Ashār 1315 Sāl or May-July 1908. [14th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 14 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 170 at page 73 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Bhūt Nāth Pāli, 210-5, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	2,500	1311	The editor, 210-4, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.
329	—————. Vol. XXVI. No. 4. Pages 56, Srāvan 1315 Sāl or July-August 1908. [16th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 7 annas.	Ditto	...	2,500	1532 Ditto.

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	II.—BENGALI PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS—<i>contd.</i>				
339	পল্লীচিত্র । [Pallichitra—Village Sketches. 2nd year. No. 1. A monthly paper dealing with miscellaneous topics.] Edited by Vidhu Bhushan Basu. Pages 24. Published by Avani Mohan Dev, Bagerhát, 24-Pargannas. Bhádra 1315 Sál or August-September 1908. [24th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas. [Vol. I, Nos. 2-12 not received.] Vol. I, No. 1, noticed in entry No. 276 page 64 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending September 1907.]	Avani Mohan Dev, Pallichitra Press, Vágerhát, 24-Pargannas.	500	3
331	পথ । [Pantha—Path. Vol. XI. No. 12. A monthly organ of the Calcutta Theosophical Society, mainly devoted to subjects of religious and philosophical interest.] Edited by Hirendra Nath Datta and Manmatha Mohan Basu. Pages 40. Published by Kshirod Prasád Vidyávinod, 87, Amherst Street, Calcutta. Chaitra 1314 Sál or March-April 1908. [25th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 173 at page 73 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	J. N. Basu, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1381	Aghor Nath Datta, 120-1, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta.
332	———. Vol. XII. No. 1. Pages 40. Baisákh 1315 Sál or April-May 1908. [10th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1382	Ditto.
333	———. Vol. XII. No. 2. Pages 40. Jyaishta 1315 Sál or May-June 1908. [19th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1383	Ditto.
334	———. Vol. XII. No. 3. Pages 40. Ashár 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [10th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1675	Ditto.
335	———. Vol. XII. No. 4. Pages 40. Srávan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [18th September 1908] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1849	Ditto.
336	প্রকৃতি । [Prakriti—Nature. Vol. I. No. 7. A monthly magazine intended for children.] Edited by Devendra Nath Sen. Pages 16. Published by the editor, 82, Harrison Road, Calcutta. Baisákh 1315, Sál or April-May 1908. [27th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 2 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 176, at page 74 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	J. N. Basu, College Square, Calcutta.	1 0	1379	The editor, 82, Harrison Road, Calcutta.
337	———. Vol. I. No. 8. Pages 16. Jyaishta 1315 Sál or May-June 1908. [3rd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1380	Ditto.
338	———. Vol. I. No. 9. Pages 16. Ashár 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [15th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1396	Ditto.

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II.—BENGALI PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS— <i>contd.</i>					
339	প্রকৃতি [Prakriti.—Nature. Vol. I. No. 10. A monthly magazine intended for children.] Edited by Devendra Nath Sen. Pages 16. Published by the editor, 82, Harrison Road, Calcutta. Śrāvan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [22nd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 2 annas.	J. N. Basu, College Square, Calcutta.	1,000	1997	The editor, 82, Harrison Road, Calcutta.
340	—————Vol. I. No. 11. Pages 17. Bhādra 1315 Sál or August-September 1908. [17th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto	...	750	1573 Ditto.
341	—————Vol. I. No. 12. Pages 16. Āsvin 1315 Sál or September-October 1908. [20th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto	...	750	1918 Ditto.
342	প্রবাসী | [Pravasi.—Sojourner. Vol. VIII. No. 3. A monthly magazine devoted to literary, social, religious, political and historical subjects.] Edited by Rāmananda Chatterji. Pages 56. Published by Pūrṇa Chandra Dās, 61-62, Bowbāzār Street, Calcutta. Āshār 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [26th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 8 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 179, at page 74, of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Pūrṇa Chandra Dās, 61-62, Bowbāzār Street, Calcutta.	2,500	1241	The editor, 210-31, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.
343	—————Vol. VIII. No. 4. Pages 56. Śrāvan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [18th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	...	2,500	1392 Ditto.
344	—————Vol. VIII. No. 5. Pages 64. Bhādra 1315 Sál or August-September 1908. [17th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	...	2,500	1541 Ditto.
345	—————Vol. VIII. No. 6. Pages 56. Āsvin 1315 Sál or September-October 1908. [18th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	...	2,500	1810 Ditto.
346	পূর্ণিমা | [Purnima.—The Day of Full-moon. Vol. XVI. No. 2. A monthly magazine devoted to subjects of general interest.] Edited by Akshay Chandra Sarkār. Pages 48. Published by Mákham Lál Ghosh, Bānsbería, Hugli. Jyāishtha, 1315 Sál or May-June 1908. [27th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 174, at page 73, of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Mákham Lál Ghosh, Pūrnimá Press, Bānsbería, Hugli.	250	4	Srīmatī Acha: Balá Bānsbería, (Hugli).
347	—————Vol. XVI. No. 3. Pages 52. Āshār 1315 or Sál June-July 1908. [20th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	...	250	6 Ditto.
348	—————Vol. XVI. No. 4. Pages 52. Śrāvan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [17th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	...	250	6 Ditto.

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	II.—BENGALI PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS— contd.				
349	পূর্ণিমা । [Purnima.—The Day of Full-moon. Vol. XVI. No. 5. A monthly magazine devoted to subjects of general interest.] Edited by Akshay Chandra Sarkár. Pages 40. Published by Mákhám Lál Ghosh, Bánsbheriá, Hugli. Bhádra 1315 Sál or August-September 1908. [7th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Mákhám Lál Ghosh, Purnimá Press, Bánsbheriá, Hugli.	200	7	Srímati Achal Bálá, Bánsbheriá, Hugli.
350	— — — — — Vol. XVI. No. 6. Pages 50. Ásvín 1315 Sál or September-October 1908. [24th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	250	10	Ditto.
351	শক্তি । [Sakti.—Power. 1st year. No. 3. A quarterly organ of the Karmakar caste.] Edited by Sarat Chandra Dás. Pages 16. Published by Hirá Lál Visvás, 6, Mirzapur Street, Calcutta. Baisak-Ashar 1315 Sál or April-July 1908. [1st September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 218, at page 79, of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Hirá Lál Visvás, 6, Mirzapur Street, Calcutta.	250	1728	Rákhál Chandra Dás, 11-1 Rájá's Lane, Calcutta.
352	সর্বজন-সুহৃদ । [Sarvvajana-Suhrid.—Friend of All. Vol. I. No. 5. A monthly journal mainly devoted to religious and economic subjects.] Edited by Púrna Chandra Mukherji. Pages 18. Published by Naphar Chandra Datta, Kaldángá Lane, Sálkia, Howrah. Chaitra 1314 Sál or March-April 1908. [20th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-2 yearly. [Vol. I, No. 4, not received. Vol. I, No. 3, noticed in entry No. 221, at page 79, of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Naphar Chandra Datta, Sálkia Printing Works, Kaldángá Lane, Sálkia, Howrah.	500	18	The Eastern and Western Agency, Kaldángá Lane, Sálkia, Howrah.
353	— — — — — Vol. II. Nos. 1 and 2 (together). Pages 32. Baisákh-Jaishtha 1315 Sál or April-June 1908. [21st August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-2 yearly.	Ditto	600	35	Amrita Lál Kúndu and Púrna Chandra Mukherji, Kaldángá Lane, Sálkia, Howrah.
354	সত্যপ্রকাশ । Satya Prakas.—Manifestation of Truth. Vol. I. No. 2. A monthly paper dealing with social and religious subjects.] Edited by Haridás Bannerji. Pages 40. Published by Vidhubhúshan Ghosh, 28-1, Beadon Row, Calcutta. Jyáishtha 1315 Sál or May-June 1908. [14th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 259, at page 83, of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Vidhu Bhúshan Ghosh, 28-1, Beadon Row, Calcutta.	500	1284	Hari Dás Bannerji, 33, Hari Ghosh's Street, Calcutta.
355	— — — — — Vol. I. No. 3. Pages 40. Áshár 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [5th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto	500	1536	Ditto.
356	— — — — — Vol. I. No. 4. Pages 40. Srávan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [31st August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto	500	1923	Ditto.

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	II. — BENGALI PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS— <i>contd.</i>				
357	সাহিত্য । [Sahitya—Literature. Vol. XVIII. No. 12. A monthly journal devoted mainly to literature.] Edited by Sures Chandra Samájpati. Pages 56. Published by the editor, 2-1, Rámohan Mitra's Lane, Calcutta. Chaitra, 1314 Sál or March-April 1908. [25th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 226 at page 80 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Kartik Chandra Datta, 211, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1831
358	— Vol. XIX. No. 1. Pages 56. Baisákh 1315 Sál or April-May 1908. [29th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1877	...
359	— Vol. XIX. No. 2. Page 56. Jyaishttha 1315 Sál or May-June 1908. [7th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1961	.....
360	সাহিত্য সংহিতা । [Sahitya Samhita—A Compilation of Literature Vol. IX. No. 2. A monthly journal devoted mainly to literature and Philosophy.] Edited by Suval Chandra Mitra. Pages 40. Published by the Sahityá Sabhá, 106-1 Grey Street, Calcutta. Jyaishttha 1315 Sál or May-June 1908. [25th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 230 at page 80 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	B. N. Nandí, 12, Simlá Street, Bye-Lane, Calcutta.	500	1947	The publisher, Calcutta.
361	— Vol. IX. No. 3. Pages 40. Ashár 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [5th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	500	1507	Ditto.
362	— Vol. IX. No. 4. Pages 40. Sravan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [20th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	500	1748	Ditto.
363	শিবপুর কলেজ পত্রিকা । [Sibpur Kalej Patrika The Sibpur College Magazine. 1st year. No. 6. A monthly magazine mainly dealing with industrial and agricultural subjects.] Edited by Tulasi Dás Kar. Pages 24. Published by Gopál Chandra Ráy, 203-1-1, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. May 1908. 2nd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly. [1st year No. 4 not received. No. 3 noticed in entry No. 219 at page. 79 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Gopál Chandra Ráy, 203-1-1, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	500	1418	The editor, C. E College, Sibpur
364	— 1st year. No. 6. Pages 24. June 1908. [18th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly.	Ditto	500	1419	Ditto.
365	— 1st year. No. 7. Pages 24. July 1908. [25th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly.	Ditto	500	1671	Ditto.

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	II.—BENGALI PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS— contd.				
366	সুমতি । [Sumati—Good Sense. 3rd year No. 6. A monthly magazine dealing with miscellaneous subjects.] Edited by Abinás Chandra Datta. Pages 16. Published by the editor, 14-4, Jeletolá Street, Calcutta. Baisákh 1315 Sál or April-May 1908. [24th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 238 at page 81 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Manmatha Náth Ghosh, 38, Siyá-náráyan Dás's Lane, Calcutta.	2,000	1951	The editor, 14-4, Jeletolá Street, Calcutta.
367	—3rd year. Nos. 7 and 8 (together). Pages 32. Jaishtha and Ashár 1315 Sál or May-July 1908. [22nd August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto ...	2,600	1721	Ditto.
368	—3rd year. Nos. 9 and 10 (together). Pages 32. Srávan and Bhádra 1315 Sál or July-September 1908. [19th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 3 annas.	Ditto ...	2,000	1871	Ditto.
369	সুপ্রভাত । [Suprabhat.—The Auspicious Dawn. 1st year. No. 12. A monthly magazine dealing with subjects of general interest.] Edited by Kumudini Mitra. Pages 40. Published by Abdul Latif, 6, College Square, Calcutta. Ashúr 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [25th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 4 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 233 at page 80 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Abdul Latif, 6, College Square, Calcutta.	500	1420	The editor, 6, College Square, Calcutta.
370	—2nd year. No. 1. Pages 40. Srávan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [20th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto ...	500	1545	Ditto.
371	—2nd year. No. 2. Pages 40. Bhádra 1315 Sál or August-September 1908. [26th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto ..	500	1943	Ditto.
372	স্বদেশী । [Svadesi.—Of one's own country Vol. III No. 8. A monthly magazine dealing with miscellaneous subjects.] Edited by Náráyan Chandra Bhattácháryya Vidyábhúshan. Pages 40. Published by K. P. Ghosh, 183, Mániktálá Street, Calcutta. Ashár 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [12th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 243 at page 81 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Chaturbhuj Bhattá-cháryya, 19, Phakir Chánd Chakravarti's Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1740	.....
373	—Vol. III. No. 9. Pages 40. Srávan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [20th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto ...	1,000	1741	.....
374	—Vol. III. No. 10. Pages 40. Bhádra 1315 Sál or August-September 1908. [30th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto ..	1,000	1742

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	II.—BENGALI PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS— contd.				
375	তাম্বুলি সমাজ । [Tambuli Samaj.—The Tambuli Community. For Baisakh, 1315 Sál. A monthly paper devoted to the improvement of the Tamuli community.] Edited by Ráj Krishnā Pál and Yegendra Náth Saha, B.A.] Pages 14. Published by the editors, 89, Bartalá Street, Calcutta. Baisakh 1315 Sál or April-May 1908. [2th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly.	Mahendra Náth De, 63, Nimtalá Chát Street, Calcutta.	400	1505
376	From Jyaishta to Srávan 1315 Sál. Pages 8. Published by the Tambuli Samáj Káryyálaya, 26, Golok Datta's Lane, Calcutta. Jyaishta-Srávan 1315 Sál or May-August 1908. [7th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Kunja Vihá-í Datta, 124, Masjidbári Street, Calcutta.	200	1957	The Tambuli Samáj, Káryyálay, 26, Golok Datta's Lane, Calcutta.
377	তার। [Tara.—Name of the Goddess Kali. Vol. I. Nos. 5 and 6 (together). A monthly magazine dealing with subjects of general interest.] Edited by Tárá Padmā Chatterji. Pages 32. Published by the editor Ilchhová Mandalá, Hugli. Phálgun and Chaitra 1315 Sál or February-April 1908. [26th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas	Manmatha Náth Ghosh, 38, Siva Náráyan Das's Lane, Calcutta.	250	1350	The editor, Ilchhová, Mandalá, Hugli.
378	উদোধন । [Udodhan.—Awakening. 10th year. No. 5. A monthly organ of the Rama Krishna Mission, mainly devoted to Hindu Philosophy and Religion.] Edited by Svámi Sarya Káma. Pages 54. Published by the editor, 17, Basupárá Lane, Calcutta. Jyaishta, 1315 Sál or May-June 1908. [20th June 1908.] 8°, 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Surendra Náth Bhattacháryya, British India Printing Works, Howrah.	1,000	23	Svámi Triguná-tita, Vedanta Society, 2963 Webster street San Francisco Chief, U. S. A.
379	10th year. No. 6. Pages 64. Ashár, 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [17th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas.	Ditto	1000	24	Ditto.
380	10th year, No. 7. Pages 64. Srávan, 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [24th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	1000	26	Ditto.
381	10th year. No. 8. Pages 64. Bhádra 1315 Sál or August-September 1908. [17th September 1908.] 8° 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	1000	43	Ditto.

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	II.—BENGALI PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS— contd.				
382	উপাসনা । [Upasana—Worship. 3rd year. No 11. A monthly magazine dealing with miscellaneous topics.] Edited by Chandra Sekhar Mukherji. Pages 48. Published by Lalit Mohan Chaudhuri, Kasiubassar, Berhampur. Srávan 1314, Sál or July-August 1907. [9th August 1908] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 160 at page 71 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Lalit Mohan Chaudhuri, Satiyara's Press, Kásimbazar, Berhampur.	400	3
383	———3rd year. No. 12. Pages 48. Bhádra 1314 Sál or August-September 1907. [13th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Ditto ..	400	4	.....
384	———4th year. No. 1. Pages 48. Ásvín, 1314 Sál or September-October 1907. [21st August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Ditto ...	400	5	.....
385	———4th year. No. 2. Pages 48. Kártik, 1314. Sál or October-November 1907. [29th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Ditto ...	400	6	.....
386	———4th year. No. 3. Pages 48. Ágraháyan, 1314 Sál or November-December 1907. [6th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Ditto ...	400	7	.....
387	বঙ্গদর্শন । [Vanga Darshan—The Mirror of Bengal. 8th year No. 2. A monthly magazine dealing with miscellaneous subjects.] Edited by Sailes Chandra Majumdar. Pages 54. Published by the Majumdar Library, 21, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. Jyáishtha 1315 Sál or May-June 1908. [15th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 204 at page 77 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Hari Charan Mánik, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,300	1290	The editor, 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.
388	———8th year. No. 3. Pages 54. Áshá 1315 Sál or June-July 1908 [24th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto ...	1,300	1291	Ditto.
389	———8th year. No. 4. Pages 54. Srávan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [15th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto ...	1,000	1444	Mani Lal Gáuguli 6, Dvarká Náth Tagore's Lane, Calcutta.
390	———8th year. No. 5. Pages 64. Bhádra 1315 Sál or August-September 1908. [30th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Abinásh Chandra Sarkár, 211, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	1,300	1950

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	II.—BENGALI PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS.				
391	বসুধা । [Vasudha.—The Earth. 7th year. No. 12. A monthly magazine dealing with subjects of general interest.] Edited by Vanku Bihári Dhar. Pages 32. Published by the editor, 22, Phakir Chánd Chakravarti's Lane, Calcutta. Chaitra 1314 Sál or March-April 1908. [18th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 208 at page 77 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Mati Lal Sinha, 78, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	250	1328	The editor, 22, Phakir Chánd Chakravarti's Lane, Calcutta.
392	—————8th year. No. 1. Pages 32. Baisákh 1315 Sál or April-May 1908. [26th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly.	Ditto	...	500	1303 Ditto.
393	—————8th year. No. 2. Pages 32. Jyaishta 1315 Sál or May-June 1908. [28th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly.	Ditto	...	500	1304 Ditto.
394	—————8th year. No. 3. Pages 32. Ashár 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [3rd August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly.	Ditto	...	500	1351 Ditto.
395	—————8th year. No. 4. Pages 32. Srávan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [3rd September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly.	Ditto	...	500	1354 Ditto.
396	বামাবোধিনী পত্রিকা । [Vamabodhini Patrika —Journal for the instruction of women. No. 539. A monthly magazine intended for females.] Edited by late Umesah Chandra Datta, B.A. Pages 54. Published by Santosh Kumár Datta, 9, Antony Bágán Lane, Calcutta. Ashár 1315 Sál or June-July 1908. [28th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 212 at page 78 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Nanda Lal Chatterji, 29-3, Mújan Mitra's Lane, Calcutta.	900	1585	The publisher, 9 Antony Bágán Lane, Calcutta.
397	—————No. 540. Pages 54. Srávan 1315 Sál or July-August 1908. [16th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	...	900	1586 Ditto.

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	II.—BENGALI PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS— <i>concl'd.</i>				
398	যুবক । [Yubak.—Youngman. Vol. VI. No. 10. A monthly journal dealing with miscellaneous topics.] Edited by Yogānanda Prāmanik. Pages 24. Published by the editor, Sānpur Māgh 1314 Sāl or January-February 1908. [1st July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 310 at page 77 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Kārtik Chandra Datta, 311, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	330	1333
399	Vol. VI. No. 11. Pages 16. Phālgun 1314 Sāl or February-March 1908. [5th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto	330	1357	.....
400	Vol. VI. No. 12. Pages 16. Chaitra 1314 Sāl or March-April 1908. [30th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 2 annas.	Ditto	330	1616	.....
401	Vol. VII. No. 1. Pages 24. Baisāk 1315 Sāl or April-May 1908. [29th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna and 6 pies.	Abinās Chandra Sarkār, 211, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	330	1878	.....
402	Vol. VII. No. 2. Pages 24. Jyāishtha 1315 Sāl or May-June 1908. [5th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 1 anna and 6 pies.	Ditto	330	1952	.....
	II.—BENGALI PERIODICALS—RELIGION.				
403	অর্য্য ধর্ম্ম । [Aryya Dharmma.—Aryan Religion. 1st year. No. 1. A monthly magazine devoted to Aryan religion.] Edited by bandi Charan Nyāyatna. Pages 24. Published by the editor, Vaidyanāth Chaturpāti, Huguli. Jyāishtha 1315 Sāl or May-June 1908. [1st July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly.	H. C. Gānguli & Co., 12, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1233	Kumud Vāndhav Mukherji, 74, Bentinck Street, Calcutta.
404	1st year. No. 2. Pages 24. Ashār 1315 Sāl or June-July 1908. [29th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly.	Ditto	1,000	1640	Ditto.
405	ধর্ম্ম ও কর্ম্ম । [Dharma O Karma.—Religion and Work. Vol V. No. 1. A monthly journal devoted to the Brahmo religion.] Edited by Sarat Chandra Chaudhuri. Pages 16. Published by the editor, 12-1, Amherst Street, Calcutta. May 1906. [30th May 1906.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, nil. [Previous number not received.]	Nanda Lal Chatterji, 6, College Street bye-Lane, Calcutta.	500	1240	The editor, 12-1, Amherst Street, Calcutta.

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	II.—BENGALI PERIODICALS—RELIGION—concl'd.					
406	খ্রীষ্টীয় বান্ধব । [Khrishtiya Bandhav.—The Christian Friend. Vol. XXX. No. 7. A monthly Christian journal. Edited by Rev. B. A. Nág. Pages 24. Published by the Baptist Mission Press, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. July 1908. [8th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C). Price, 1 anna. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 247 at page 82 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	550	1464	
407	—————Vol. XXX. No. 8. Pages 24. August 1908. [4th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C). Price, 1 anna.	Ditto	...	550	1465
408	—————Vol. XXX. No. 9. Pages 24. September 1908. [7th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. (C). Price, 1 anna.	Ditto	...	550	1464
409	নববিধান । [Nava Vidhan.—New Dispensation. Vol. XV. No. 5. A monthly journal devoted to the New Dispensation of the Brahmo Samáj.] Edited by Chiranjiv Sarmá. Pages 10. Published by Páncu Gopál Ash, 2, Goábágán Street, Calcutta. Jyáishtha 1315 or May-June 1908. [1st July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 257 at page 83 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Páncu Gopál Ash, 2, Goábágán Street, Calcutta.	500	1295	The editor.	
410	তত্ত্ববোধিনী-পত্রিকা । [Tattvabodhini-Patrika.—A journal for the exposition of truth. No. 780. A monthly organ of the Adi-Brahmo Samáj dealing mainly with religious subjects.] Edited by Dvijendra Náth Tagore. Pages 16. Published by Rana Gopál Chakravarti, 55, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta. Srávan 1315 or July-August 1908. [16th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 250 at page 82 the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Rana Gopál Chakravarti, 55, Upper Chitpur Road, Calcutta.	400	1375	The editor, 3, Dváraká Nath Tagore's Lane, Calcutta.	
411	—————No. 781. Pages 16. Bhádra 1315 Sál or August-September 1908. [17th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas.	Ditto	...	400	1606	Ditto.
412	—————No. 782. Pages 16. Ásvín 1315 Sál or September-October 1908. [17th September 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 6 annas.	Ditto	...	400	1889	Ditto.

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	III.—ENGLISH PERIODICALS—LAW.				
210	Calcutta Law Journal (The). Vol VII. No. 12.—[A fortnightly journal dealing with the reports of cases decided by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council and the Calcutta High Court.] Edited by Jnánendra Náth Basu and others. Pages 2, 15, 42. Published by Biráji Mohan Majumdár, 7, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta. June 1908. [16th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 10 yearly. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 109 at page 84 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	B. L. Chakravarti, 8, Dixon's Lane, Calcutta.	2,000	1231	The editor, 7, Old post office Street, Calcutta.
211	————— Index. Table of cases, &c. Vol. VII.—Pages 27, 70, 4. 1908. [20th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	... 2,000	1647	Ditto.
212	—————Vol. VIII. No. 1. Pages 4, 59. July 1908. [1st July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 10 yearly.	Ditto	... 2,000	1376	Ditto.
213	—————Vol. VIII. No. 2. Pages 2, 8, 57. July 1908. [16th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 10 yearly.	Ditto	... 2,000	1410	Ditto.
214	—————Vol. VIII. No. 3. Pages 2, 8, 53, 2. August 1908. [1st August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 10 yearly.	Ditto	... 2,000	1530	Ditto.
215	—————Vol. VIII. No. 4. Pages 4, 63. August 1908. [16th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 10 yearly.	Ditto	... 2,000	1648	Ditto.
216	—————Vol. VIII. Nos. 5-7 (together). Pages 3, 4, 26, 108. September-October 1908. [16th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 10 yearly.	Ditto	... 2,005	1889	Ditto.
217	Monthly Criminal Law Journal (The). Vol. III. Nos. 11-12 (together).—[A monthly journal containing summary of Criminal cases reported in the several Indian Law Reports.] Edited by Bakhshish Lal. Pages 11. Published by Ráj Kishor Varmá and Brothers, Rájníti Press, Patna City. January-February 1908. [22nd April 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 111 at page 84 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Ráj Kishor Varmá & Brothers, Rájníti Press, Patna City.	500	75	The publisher, Rájníti Press, Patna City.
218	—————Vol. IV. No. 1. Pages 8. March 1908. [30th April 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly.	Ditto	... 500	76	Ditto.
219	—————Vol. IV. No. 2. Pages 9. April 1908. [22nd June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly.	Ditto	... 400	47	Ditto.
220	—————Vol. IV. No. 3. Pages 10. May 1908. [5th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly.	Ditto	... 400	51	Ditto.

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III.—ENGLISH PERIODICALS—MEDICINE.					
221	Calcutta Journal of Medicine (The). Vol. XVII. No. 4.—[A monthly journal mainly devoted to Homœopathy.] Edited by Dr. A. L. Sarkár, L.M.S., F.O.S. Pages 45. Published by Panchánan Sarkár, 51, Sankaritolá Lane, Calcutta. April 1908. [8th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Panchánan Sarkár, 51, Sankaritolá Lane, Calcutta.	100	1283	The editor, 51, Sankaritolá Lane, Calcutta.
	Price, Re. 1.				
	[Previous number noticed in entry No. 118 at page 86 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]				
222	—Vol. XVII. No. 5. Pages 45. May 1908. [30th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto	100	1431	Ditto.
	Price, Re. 1.				
223	—Vol. XVII. No. 6. Pages 45. June 1908. [20th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto	100	1561	Ditto.
	Price, Re. 1.				
224	—Vol. XVII. No. 7. Pages 45. July 1908. [26th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto	100	1919	Ditto.
	Price, Re. 1.				
225	Calcutta Medical Journal (The). Vol. III. No. 1.—[A monthly journal devoted to Allopathy.] Edited by Balái Chánd Sen. Pages 48. Published by the Calcutta Medical Club, 72, Harrison Road, Calcutta. July 1908. [5th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Sarvesvar Bhattácháryya, 21, Baitak-kháná Road, Calcutta.	500	1414	The publisher, 72, Harrison Road, Calcutta.
	Price, 8 annas.				
	[Previous number noticed in entry No. 123 at page 85 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]				
226	—Vol. III. No. 2. Edited by Dr. Rai Chuni Lál Basu Báhádur. Pages 40. August 1908. [7th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	J. N. Basu, Wilkins Press, College Square, Calcutta.	500	1574	Ditto.
	Price, 8 annas.				
227	—Vol. III. No. 3. Pages 53. September 1908. [10th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Ditto	500	1848	Ditto.
	Price, 8 annas.				
227	Indian Homœopathic Review (The). Vol. XVII. No. 5.—[A monthly journal devoted to Homœopathy.] Edited by J. N. Majumdár, M.D. and P. C. Majumdár, M.D. Pages 42. Published by J. N. Majumdár, M.D., 203-1, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta. May 1908. [16th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Nanda Lál Chatterji, 29-3, Madan Mittra's Lane, Calcutta.	250	1587	The publishers, 203-1, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.
	Price, 8 annas.				
	[Previous number noticed in entry No. 127 at page 86 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]				
ENGLISH PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS.					
229	Advance-Bengal. For July 1908.—[A monthly journal devoted to historical, biographical, social and literary subjects.] Edited by the Hindu Tract Society. Pages 26. Published by the editor, 26 Prasanna Kumár Tagore's Street, Calcutta. July 1908. [9th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.	Karunámay Sarkár, 80, Beadon Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1371	J. C. Ráy, 26, Prasanna Kumár Tagore's Street, Calcutta.
	Price, 4 annas.				

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	III.—ENGLISH PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS.— <i>contd.</i>				
230	Agricultural Journal of India (The). Vol. III. Part II.—[A quarterly journal devoted to Agriculture.] Edited by the Inspector-General of Agriculture in India. Pages 104. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. April 1908. [24th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Rs 2. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 135 at page 86 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Thacker, Spink & Co., 6 Mangoe Lane, Calcutta.	2,500	1226	The Department of Agriculture in India.
231	—————Vol. III. Part III. Pages 112. July 1908. [27th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Rs. 2.	Ditto	...	2,500	1654 Ditto.
232	Bengal Past and Present. Vol. II. No. 3.—[A quarterly journal of the Calcutta Historical Society devoted mainly to historical research.] Edited by Rev. W. K. Firminger. Pages 166. Published by the Calcutta General Printing Company, Edinburgh Press, 300, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta. July 1908. [27th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Rs. 3-8. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 139 at page 87 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	W. E. P. Hume, 300, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	..	1624	The Calcutta Historical Society, Calcutta.
233	Burn's, Monthly Magazine. Vol. II. No. 11.—[A monthly journal devoted to subjects of general interest.] Edited by Messrs. Burn & Co., Ltd. Pages 36. Published by the editor, Howrah. August 1908. [10th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, nil. [Previous number not received.]	Messrs. Traill & Co., 20, British Indian Street, Calcutta.	1,500	1521	The editor, Howrah.
234	Calcutta Review (The). No. CCLIII.—[A quarterly journal devoted to historical, literary and political subjects.] Edited by C. J. A. Pritchard. Pages 134. Published by the editor, 300, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta. July 1908. [23rd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 140 at page 187 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	C. J. A. Pritchard, 300, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	...	1391	The editor, 300, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.
235	Calcutta University Magazine (The). Vol. XV. Nos. 8 and 9 (together).—[A monthly magazine devoted to literary and educational topics.] Edited by Vinayendra Nath Sen, M.A. Pages 40. Published by the Calcutta University Institute, 1-A, College Square, Calcutta, March and April 1908. [28th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 142 at page 87 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	J. N. Basu, College Square, Calcutta.	500	1398	The publisher.
236	—————Vol. XVI. No. 1. Pages 20. July 1908. [15th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. [Vol. XV, Nos. 10-12 not received.] Price, 2 annas.	Ditto	...	500	1572 Ditto.

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III.—ENGLISH PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS — <i>contd.</i>					
237	Dawn and Dawn Society's Magazine (The). New Series. Vol. IV. No. 4.—[A monthly journal dealing mainly with the question of National Education and Indian industries.] Edited by Satya Chandra Mukherji, M.A., B.L. Pages 16. Published by the Dawn Society, 166, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta. February 1908. [19th March 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 44 at page 111 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1903.]	J. N. Basu, Wilkins Press, College Square and Vata Krishna Dás, 10, Haladhar Barddhan's Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1317	The publisher, 166, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.
238	—————Vol. IV. No. 5. Pages 16, 4, 16. March 1908. [15th April 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto ...	1,000	1318	Ditto.
239	—————Vol. IV. No. 6. Pages 16, 4, 12, 4. April 1908. [13th May 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto ...	1,000	1319	Ditto.
240	—————Vol. IV. No. 7. Pages 16, 4, 12, 4. May 1908. [15th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Bata Krishna Dás, 10, Haladhar Barddhan's Lane, Calcutta.	2,000	1281	Ditto.
241	—————Vol. IV. No. 8. Pages 16, 4, 8, 7. June 1908. [28th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Bata Krishna Dás, 10, Haladhar Barddhan's Lane, and Walter J. Lennon, 52, Byáparitolá Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1310	Ditto.
242	—————Vol. IV. No. 9. Pages 20, 4, 8, 8. July 1908. [31st August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto ...	1,000	1749	Ditto.
243	Eurasian (The). Vol. I. No. 13.—[A weekly journal devoted to the interests of the Eurasian Community.] Edited by A. F. Staples. Pages 12. Published by M. V. Govia, 61, Free School Street, Calcutta. June 1908. [27th June 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 154 at page 88 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	O. V. Smith, 12, Bentinok Street, Calcutta.	300	1278	A. F. Staples, J. A. Connolly, H. O. D'Cruz & M. V. Govia.
244	—————Vol. I. No. 14. Pages 12. July 1908. [4th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto ...	300	1279	Ditto.
245	—————Vol. I. No. 15. Pages 12. July 1908. [11th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto ...	300	1394	Ditto.
246	—————Vol. I. No. 16. Pages 12. July 1908. [18th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto ...	300	1395	Ditto.

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III.—ENGLISH PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS — <i>contd.</i>					
247	Eurasian (The). Vol. I. No. 17.—[A weekly journal devoted to the interests of the Eurasian Community.] Edited by Mr. A. F. Staples. Pages 12. Published by M. V. Govia, 61, Free School Street, Calcutta. July 1908. [25th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	C. V. Smith, 12, Dentinck Street, Calcutta.	300	1445	A. F. Staples, J. A. Connelly, H. O. D'Crus, & M. V. Govia.
248	—————Vol. I. No. 18. Pages 12. August 1908. [1st August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	300	1446	Ditto.
249	—————Vol. I. No. 19. Pages 12. August 1908. [8th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	300	1596	Ditto.
250	—————Vol. I. No. 20. Pages 12. August 1908. [15th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	300	1597	Ditto.
251	—————Vol. I. No. 21. Pages 12. August 1908. [22nd August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	300	1598	Ditto.
252	—————Vol. I. No. 22. Pages 12. August 1908. [29th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	300	1824	Ditto.
253	—————Vol. I. No. 23. Pages 12. September 1908. [5th September 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	300	1825	Ditto.
254	—————Vol. I. No. 24. Pages 12. September 1908. [12th September 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	300	1826	Ditto.
255	—————Vol. I. No. 25. Pages 12. September 1908. [19th September 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	300	1827	Ditto.
256	Excelsior (The). Vol. I. No. 4.—[A monthly journal devoted to miscellaneous topics.] Edited by Surendra Nāth Majumdar. Pages 8. Published by the editor, 112, Nārikeldāngā Main Road, Calcutta. June 1908. [30th June 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas yearly.	Surendra Nāth Majumdar, 5, Dihi Sorampur Road, Entali, Calcutta.	125	1246	The editor, 25, Tālpukur Road, Surā, Calcutta.
[Previous number noticed in entry No. 157 at page 88 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]					

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	III.—ENGLISH PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS — <i>contd.</i>				
257	Gardenor's Magazine (The). Vol. X. No. 6.—[A monthly journal treating of agriculture and horticulture.] Edited by B. M. Ray. Pages 12. Published by the editor, Bhawanipur, Calcutta. June 1908. [20th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas. [Vol. X, No. 4, number noticed in entry No. 158 at page 89 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.] Vol. IX, No. 5, not received.	M. N. Mitra, New Town Press, Bhawanipur, Calcutta.	500	25	The editor, Chetla, 24-Paraganas.
258	Vol. X. No. 7. Pages 12. July 1908. [16th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	500	29	Ditto.
259	Vol. X. No. 8. Pages 12. August 1908. [14th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	50	33	Ditto.
260	Vol. X. No. 9. Pages 12. September 1908. [14th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	500	37	Ditto.
261	Hindu Spiritual Magazine (The). Vol. III. No. 4.—[A monthly journal devoted to Spiritual Subjects like Yoga, Mesmerism, etc.] Edited by Sir Kumār Ghosh. Pages 80. Published by P. K. Ghosh, 2, Ananda Chatterji's Lane, Bāgbāzār, Calcutta. June 1908. [20th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 160 at page 89 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	T. K. Viswās, 2, Ananda Chatterji's Lane, Bāgbāzār, Calcutta.	500	1285	The editor, 2, Ananda Chatterji's Lane, Bāgbāzār, Calcutta.
262	Vol. III. No. 5. Pages 80. July 1908. [22nd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	500	1443	Ditto.
263	Vol. III. No. 6. Pages 80. August 1908. [20th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas.	Ditto	600	1639	Ditto.
264	Index to the [Asiatic] Society's Journal and Proceedings. Vol. III, 1907. Edited by J. H. Elliot. Pages 15. Published by the Asiatic Society of Bengal, 57, Park Street, Calcutta. [15th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 67 at page 114 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1908.]	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	800	1710

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	III.—ENGLISH PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS — <i>contd.</i>				
265	Indian Economist (The). Vol. V. Nos. 2 and 3 (together).—[A monthly journal mainly devoted to industry and agriculture.] Edited by R. Palit. Pages 40. Published by N. N. Basu, 5, Nur Mohammad Sarkar's Lane, Calcutta. February and March 1908. [10th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 166 at page 89 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	N. N. Basu, 5, Nur Mohammad Sarkar's Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1301	The publisher, 5, Nur Mohammad Sarkar's Lane, Calcutta.
266	— Vol. V. Nos. 4 and 5 (together). Pages 40. Published by N. N. Basu, 56, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta. April and May 1908. [10th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	R. R. Sinha, 56, Bechu Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1302	Ditto.
267	— Vol. V. No. 6. Pages 40. June 1908. [26th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Ditto	1,000	1637	Ditto.
268	Indian Public Health and Municipal Journal. Vol. V. No. 1.—[A monthly journal devoted to the improvement of the public health and municipal matters.] Edited by A. G. Newell, M.D., D.H. Pages 70. Published by C. V. Smith, 12, Bentinck Street, Calcutta. August 1908. [26th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 1-4. [Previous number not received.]	C. V. Smith, 12, Bentinck Street, Calcutta.	600	1823	The editor, Kurseong.
269	Indian World (The). Vol. VII. No. 39.—[A monthly magazine devoted to historical, literary, industrial, political and economical subjects.] Edited by Priyvis Chandra Ray. Pages 86. Published by Tulasi Charan Dás, 78, Dharmatala Street, Calcutta. June 1908. [16th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 7 yearly. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 169 at page 90 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Tulasi Charan Dás, 78, Dharmatala Street, Calcutta.	650	1370	The editor, 78 Dharmatala Street, Calcutta.
270	— Vol. VIII. No. 40. Pages 103. July 1908. [10th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 7 yearly.	Ditto	650	1633	Ditto.
271	— Vol. VIII. No. 41. Pages 106. August 1908. [9th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 7 yearly.	Ditto	650	1739	Ditto.
272	Industrial India. Vol. IV. No. 5.—[A monthly journal devoted exclusively to the interests of Indian arts, manufactures, industry and commerce.] Edited by B. L. Chaudhuri, B.A., & co., (Edin.). Pages 32. Published by K. N. Dás Gupta. May 1907. 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 139 at page 68 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	B. M. Ds, 17, Madan Mittra's Lane, Calcutta.	...	L No. 119, dated 15-8-08.
273	— Vol. IV. No. 6. Pages 32. June 1907. 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto	...	"

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	III.—ENGLISH PERIODICALS --MISCELLANEOUS — <i>contd.</i>				
274	Industrial India. Vol. IV. No. 7.—[A monthly journal devoted exclusively to the interests of Indian arts, manufactures, industry and commerce.] Edited by B. L. Chaudhuri, B.A., B.Sc., (Edin.) Pages 32. Published by K. N. Dás Gupta. July 1907. 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	R. M. De, 17, Madan Mitra's Lane, Calcutta.	...	Letter No. 1119, dated 15th Aug. 1908.
275	—————Vol. V. No. 6. Pages 32. Published by K. N. Dás Gupta, 5, Sukeś's Street, Calcutta. June 1908. [15th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	K. C. Aich, 27, Haritaki Bagan Lane, Calcutta.	700	1220	The Publisher, 5, Sukeś's Street, Calcutta.
	[Previous number noticed in entry No. 171 at page 90 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]				
276	—————Vol. V. No. 7. Pages 32. July 1908. [18th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto	...	600	1432 Ditto.
277	—————Vol. V. No. 8. Pages 32. August 1908. [16th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto	...	600	1615
278	Journal and Proceedings of the Asiatic Society of Bengal. Vol IV. No 4.—[A monthly journal containing the results of literary, scientific, philosophical and historical research.] Edited by J. H. Elliot. Pages 96. Published by the Asiatic Society of Bengal, 57, Park Street, Calcutta. April 1908. [3rd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	800	1254	.....
	[Previous number noticed in entry No. 177 at page 91 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]				
279	—————Vol. IV. No. 5. Pages 48. May 1908. [8th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	800	1711
280	—————New Series, Vol. III. 1907. [Contains Errata and Index only.] [17th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	800	1709
281	Journal of the Moslem Institute. Vol. III. No. 4.—[A quarterly journal chiefly devoted to subjects of Oriental interest.] Edited by A. F. M. Abdulali, M.A., M. R. A. S., F. R. H. S., and Abul Hasan M. Taiab. Pages 120. Published by H. W. B. Moreno, B.A., 31-7, Dharmatala Street, Calcutta. April-June 1908. [12th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1.	H. W. B. Moreno, B.A., 31-7, Dharmatala Street, Calcutta.	300	1517	The Committee of Management, Journal of the Moslem Institute.
	[Previous number noticed in entry No. 173 at page 90 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]				
282	Medical Missions in India. —Vol. XIV. No. 54. [A quarterly journal of the Medical Missionary Association of India.] Edited by Dr. J. M. Macphail. Pages 50. Published by the Santhal Mission Press, Pokhuria, Manbhum. July 1908. [1st July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1-2 yearly.	A. Campbell, Santhal Mission Press, Pokhuria, Manbhum.	425	12	.....
	[Previous number noticed in entry No. 178 at page 91 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]				

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	III.—ENGLISH PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS — <i>contd.</i>				
283	Mercantile War Cry (The). Vol. 2. No. 5.—[A quarterly magazine of the Assistants in the Calcutta Branch of the Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.] Edited by C. Champkin. Pages 24. Published by the Proprietors, 300 Bowbazar Street, Calcutta. March 1908. [25th May 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Illustrated. For free distribution. [Previous number not received.]	Calcutta General Printing Co., 300, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	...	1299	Assistants of the Calcutta Branch of the Mercantile Bank of India.
284	—Vol. 2. No. 6. Pages 27. June 1908. [9th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Illustrated. For free distribution.	Ditto ..	...	1300	Ditto.
285	Modern Review (The). Vol. IV. No. 1.—[A monthly Review and Miscellany.] Edited by Rāmānanda Chatterji. Pages 88. Published by Pūrna Chandra Dās, 61-62, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta. July 1908. [2nd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Rs. 1. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 180 at page 91 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Pūrna Chandra Dās, 61-62, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	2,000	1286	The editor, 210-3-1, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.
286	—Vol. IV. No. 2. Pages 93. August 1908. [1st August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Rs. 6 yearly.	Ditto ...	2,000	1540	Ditto.
287	—Vol. IV. No. 3. Pages 96. September 1908. [1st September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Rs. 6 yearly.	Ditto ...	2,000	1664	Ditto.
288	National Magazine (The). Vol. XXI. No. 1.—[A monthly journal devoted to subjects of general interest.] Edited by Kāli Prasanna De. Pages 49. Published by the editor, 32, Kāli Dās Sinha's Lane, Calcutta. January 1907. [10th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 1. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 182 at page 91 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	L. N. Mukherji, New Aryya Mission Press, 10, Sambhu Charan Chatterji's Street, Calcutta.	750	1364	The editor, 32, Kāli Dās Sinha's Lane, Calcutta.
289	—Vol. XXI. No. 2. Pages 40. February 1907. [16th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 1.	Ditto ...	750	1635	Ditto.
290	Oriental (The). Vol. X. No. 8.—[A monthly journal devoted to the propagation of Ancient Wisdom and Resuscitation of Oriental Literature, Arts and Science.] Edited by Manmatha Nāth Datta. Pages 24. Published by the Society for the resuscitation of Indian Literature, 3, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta. May 1908. [3rd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 185 at page 92 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Hari Charan Dās, 3, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta.	600	1320	The editor, 3, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta.
291	—Vol. X. No. 9. Pages 24. June 1908. [3rd August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto ...	600	1618	Ditto.

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	III.—ENGLISH PERIODICALS.—MISCELLANEOUS —concl'd.				
292	Oriental (The). Vol. X. No. 10. [A monthly journal devoted to the propagation of Ancient Wisdom and Resuscitation of Oriental Literature, Arts and Science.] Edited by Manmatha Náth Datta. Pages 24. Published by the Society for the resuscitation of Indian Literature, 3, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta. July 1908. [7th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Hari Charan Dás, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta.	600	1750	The editor, 3, Fariapukur Street, Calcutta.
293	———Vol. X. No. 11. Pages 24. August 1908. [26th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto	600	1959	Ditto.
294	Records of the Indian Museum. Vol. II. Part 2.—[A quarterly journal of Indian Zoology.] Edited by Dr. A. Annandale. Pages 122. Published by the Indian Museum, Calcutta. July 1908. [14th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Rs. 2. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 188 at page 92 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	800	1708	...
295	Research and Review. Vol. I. Part 2.—[A quarterly journal of the Indian Research Society.] Edited by Ráí Sarat Chandra Dás Bahádur and S. Khuda Buksh. Pages 94. Published by the Indian Research Society, Calcutta. 1908. [9th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, not mentioned. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 79 at page 116 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1907.]	Ditto	1,000	1483	...
296	Transactions of the Mining and Geological Institute of India. Vol. III. Part 1.—[A half-yearly journal devoted to Mining and Geology.] Edited by the E. H. Robertson. Pages 89. Published by the Mining and Geological Institute of India, 2, Bankshall Street, Calcutta. June 1908. [10th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 80 at page 116 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1907.]	Ditto	400	1459	.....
297	———Index. Vol. I. 1907. Pages 11. 1907. [10th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	400	1458	.....
	III.—ENGLISH PERIODICALS.—RELIGION.				
298	Inquirer (The). Vol. IX. No. 10.—A Christian monthly paper intended for the help and guidance of young men in India.] Edited by F. W. Steinthal. Pages 8. Published by the National Council of the Young Men's Christian Association, 86, College Street, Calcutta. June 1908. [12th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 8 annas Yearly. [Vol. VIII. No. 9 to Vol IX. No. 9, not received. Vol. VIII. No. 8. Noticed in entry No. 189 at page 72 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1907.]	N. Mukherji, 16-1, Shyámá Charan Dás's Street, Calcutta.	...	1287	The publisher,

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	III.—ENGLISH PERIODICALS—RELIGION—<i>contd.</i>					
299	India Sunday School Journal (The). Vol. XVIII. No. 7.—[A monthly Christian Journal.] Edited by Rev. R. Burges. Pages 36. Published by the Indian Sunday School Union, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. July 1908. [20th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 2 annas. [Previous Number noticed in entry No. 194 at page 93 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	1,075	1253	The publisher.	
300	—————Vol. XVIII. No. 8. Page 30. August 1908. [21st July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto	...	1,075	1482	Ditto.
301	—————Vol. XVIII. No. 9. Page 28. September 1908. [17th August] 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto	...	1,050	1696	Ditto.
302	Indian Temperance Record (The). Vol. II. No. 7.—[A monthly organ of the Women's Christian Temperance Union.] Edited by A. E. Goodwin, pages 20. Published by A. E. Goodwin. 4, Auckland Square, Calcutta. July 1908. [8th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly. [Previous Number noticed in entry No. 197 at page 93 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Ditto	...	1,000	1457	Ditto.
303	—————Vol. II. No. 8. Pages 20. August 1908. [11th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly.	Ditto	...	850	1693	Ditto.
304	—————Vol. II. No. 9. Pages 20. September 1908. [9th September 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Re. 1-8 yearly.	Ditto	...	1,000	1897	Ditto.
305	Monthly News Letter. Vol. XXII. No. 7.—[A monthly Christian Journal.] Edited by Rev. H. Anderson. Pages 4. Published by the Baptist Mission Press, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. July 1908. [2nd July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned. [Previous Number noticed in entry No. 200 at page 94 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Ditto	...	300	1248	Ditto.
306	—————Vol. XXII. No. 8. Pages 4. August 1908. [30th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	300	1453	Ditto.
307	—————Vol. XXII. No. 9. Pages 4. September 1908. [3rd September 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	...	300	1688	Ditto.

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	III.—ENGLISH PERIODICALS—RELIGION—concl'd.				
808	Our Bond. Vol. XIV. No. 7.—[A monthly Christian Journal.] Edited by Rev. John Takle. Pages 8. Published by the Baptist Mission Press, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. July 1908. [3rd July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, not mentioned. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 204 at page 94 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	425	1252	The publisher.
809	—Vol. XIV. No. 8. Pages 8. August 1908. [31st July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	425	1422	Ditto.
810	—Vol. XIV. No. 9. Pages 10. September 1908. [2nd September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	450	1698	Ditto.
811	Young Men of India. Vol. XIX. No. 7.—[A monthly journal devoted to Christianity.] Edited by H. G. Doud. Pages 20. Published by the Young Men's Christian Association, 86, College Street, Calcutta. July 1908. [7th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, not mentioned. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 207 at page 94 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Ditto	1,500	1466	Ditto.
812	—Vol. XIX. No. 8. Pages 20. August 1908. [29th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	1,700	1467	Ditto.
813	—Vol. XIX. No. 9. Pages 20. September 1908. [1st September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	1,700	1695	Ditto.
	III.—ENGLISH PERIODICALS—SCIENCE (NATURAL AND OTHER)				
814	Journal of Tropical Veterinary Science (The). Vol. III. No. 3.—[A Journal dealing with the diseases of Tropical animals and their remedies.] Edited by H. T. Peace and others. Pages 136. Published by Thacker, Spink & Co., 5 and 6, Government Place, Calcutta. July 1908. [4th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, Rs. 4. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 209 at page 96 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Thacker, Spink & Co., 6, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta.	450	1553	The editors.

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	IV.—GARO PERIODICALS.—RELIGION.				
6	A Chikni Ripang. Vol. XXVIII. No. 6.—[A monthly Christian Journal.] Edited by Rev. M. C. Mason. Pages 12. Published by the Garo Mission, American Baptist Missionary Union, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta. May 1908. [10th June 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, not mentioned. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 5 at page 95 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	700	1249
7	—————Vol. XXVIII. No. 6. Pages 12. June 1908. [10th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, not mentioned.	Ditto	700	1463	.....
8	—————Vol. XXVIII. No. 7. Pages 12. July 1908. [10th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 12 annas yearly.	Ditto	700	1691	.....
9	—————Vol. XXVIII. No. 8. Pages 12. August 1908. [29th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 12 annas yearly.	Ditto	700	1692	.....
10	—————Vol. XXVIII. No. 9. Pages 12. September 1908. [19th September 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 12 annas yearly.	Ditto	700	1898	.....
	V.—HINDI PERIODICALS.—MISCELLANEOUS.				
20	कमला । [Kamala. The Goddess of Wealth. Vol. I. No. 12. A monthly Hindi paper dealing with miscellaneous subjects.] Edited by Siva Nārāyan Sāl. Pages 40. Published by the Sampālāk Samiti, 96, Muktarām Bābū's Street, Calcutta. Vaisāk 1315 Sāl or April-May 1908. [20th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 5 annas. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 11 at page 95 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]	Govarddhan Pān, 801, Muktarām Bābū's Street, Calcutta	500	1568	The Publisher, 96 Muktarām Bābū's Street, Calcutta.
30	—————Vol. II. No. 1. Pages 44. Jyāistha 1315 Sāl or May-June 1908. [15th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Illustrated. Price, 5 annas.	Ditto	500	1673	Ditto.
31	नारद । [Narada. (A name.) Vol. V. Nos. 7-8 (together). A fortnightly paper dealing with subjects of general interest.] Edited by G. P. Barmā. Pages 8. Published by Chundi Prasād Sinha Khadgavilās Press, Bankipur. April 1908. [1st June 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 13 at page 95 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]	Chandi Prasād Sinha Khadgavilās Press, Bankipur.	600	28	The editor, Chupra.

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Serial No.	Author and title, brief subject, including the age of the book where the same is obscure, number of pages, publisher and place of publication, date given in the title-page with the name of the era—when other than the Christian era,—date of issue from the press or of publication, size, edition, and price.	Printer and place of printing.	Number of copies.	Registration No.	Proprietor of copyright (his name and residence), register No. and date of registration of copyright.
	V.—HINDI PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS.— <i>concll.</i>				
82	नारद । [Narada.—(A name.) Vol. V. Nos. 9-10 (together). A fortnightly paper dealing with subjects of general interests.] Edited by G. P. Barmā. Pages 10. Published by Chandī Prasād Sinha, Bankipur, May 1908. [2nd June 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly.	Chandī Prasād Sinha, Khadgavilās Press, Bankipur.	700	29	The editor, Chupra.
83	—————Vol. V. Nos. 11-12 (together). Pages 10. June 1908. [30th June 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly.	Ditto ...	400	40	Ditto.
84	—————Vol. V. Nos. 13-14 (together). Pages 10. July 1908. [30th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly.	Ditto ...	400	55	Ditto.
85	—————Vol. V. Nos. 15-16 (together). Pages 8. August 1908. [26th August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, Re. 1 yearly.	Ditto ...	800	61	Ditto.
	V.—HINDI PERIODICALS—RELIGION.				
86	छोटानागपुर दूत पत्रिका । [Chhota Nagpur Duta Patrika.—The Chota Nagpur Messenger for July 1908. A monthly paper devoted to the Christian religion.] Edited by Rev. F. H. Whitley. Pages 4. Published by the S. P. G. Mission, Ranchi. [9th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 6 pies. [Previous number noticed in entry No. 23 at page 97 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908]	Rev. C. H. Harvey, 41, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	450	1454	.....
87	—————For August 1908. Edited by Rev. K. W. S. Kennedy. Pages 4. [1st August 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 6 pies.	Ditto ...	450	1455	.....
88	—————For September 1908. Pages 4. [1st September 1908.] 4°. 1st edition. Price, 6 pies.	Ditto ...	450	1489	.....
89	प्रभाकर । [Prabhakar.—The Sun. Vol. I. No. 1.] A Hindi monthly paper devoted to religion. Edited by Yasodā Nandan Akhauri. Pages 16. Published by the Hindi Translating Co., 98-97, Lower Chitpur Road, Calcutta. Chaitra 1965 Samvat or March-April 1908. [16th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Govarddhan Pān, 80-1, Muktarām Bābū's Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1503	The publisher 98, 97, Lower Chitpur Road, Calcutta.

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Serial No.	2 Author and title, brief subject, including the age of the book when the same is obscure, number of pages, publisher and place of publication, date given on the title-page with the name of the era—when other than the Christian era,—date of issue from the press or of publication, size, edition, and price.	3 Printer and place of printing.	4 Number of copies.	5 Registration No.	6 Proprietor of copyright (his name and residence), register No. and date of registration of copyright.
	V.—HINDI PERIODICALS—RELIGION—concl'd.				128
40	प्रभाकर । [Prabhakar.—The Sun. Vol. I. No. 2] A Hindi monthly paper devoted to religion. Edited by Yasodā Nandan Akhauri. Pages 16. Published by the Hindi Translating Co., 62, Cotton Street, Calcutta. Vaisākh 1955 Samvat or April May 1908. [10th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Rāmdayāś Adhya, 62, Cotton Street, Calcutta.	1,000	105	The publisher Barabazar, Calcutta.
	—————Vol. I. No. 3. Pages 16. Jyaishta 1955 or May-June 1908. [15th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil	Ditto	1,000	1406	Ditto.
42	—————Vol. I. No. 4. Pages 16. Ashār 1955 or June-July 1908. [1st August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, nil.	Ditto	1,000	1499	Ditto.
	VI.—SANSKRIT PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS.				
4	विद्योदयः । [Vidyodayah.—The Dawn of Learning. Vol XXXVII. Nos 2-3 (together). A monthly paper dealing with literature, Smṛiti, &c.] Edited by Hrishukesh Sāstrī. Pages 48. Published by the editor, 9-6, Patuṇyātālā Lane, Calcutta. May and June 1908. [21st September 1908] 8°. 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Uṇendra Nāth Chakravartī, 5, Nanda Kumār Chaudhūrī's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	500	1855	The editor, 9-6, Patuṇyātālā Lane, Calcutta.
	[Previous number noticed in entry No. at page of the Catalogue for the quarter ending .]				
	VII.—URDU PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS.				
6	شمس بنگالہ [Shams-i-Bangala.—The Sun of Bengal. Vol. I. No 3. A monthly magazine dealing with literary, historical and biographical subjects.] Edited by Maulvi Badar-uz-zamān "Badar." Pages 40. Published by Maulvi Habibun Nabi Khān and Dalībuddīn Ahmed, 83, Jhāntalā Road, Calcutta. January 1908. [20th August 1903.] 8°. Litho 1st edition. Price, 4 annas.	Maulvi Qāzi A. M., Maulā Bakhsh, Rizwān 55, Imāmbāri Lane, Calcutta.	250	1781	The publisher, 83, Jhāntalā Road, Calcutta.
	[Previous number noticed in entry No. 1 at page 120 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1908.]				
	تفیرالشرق [Tanvir-ush-Sharq.—The Light of the East. Vol. I. No. 1. A monthly magazine dealing with social, moral and literary subjects.] Edited by Maulvi Qāzi Abul Muzaffar Maulā Bakhsh "Rizwān." Pages 32. Published by the editor, 41, Phūlbāgh Road, Calcutta. January 1908. [10th September 1908.] 8°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto	250	1771	The editor, 55, Imāmbāri Lane, Calcutta.
8	—————Vol. I. No. 2. Pages 32. February 1908. [10th September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto	250	1772	Ditto.

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	VII.—URDU PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS— <i>conclud.</i>				
9	تَنْوِيرُ الشَّرْق [Tanvir-ush-Sharq.—The Light of the East. Vol. I. No. 3. A monthly magazine dealing with social, moral and literary subjects.] Edited by Maulvi Kāzi Abul Muzaffar Maulā Bukhsh "Rizwān." Pages 48. Published by the editor, 11, Dr. Karam Husain Lane, Calcutta. March 1908. [10th September 1908.] 8°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Maulvi Qāzi A. M. Maulā Bukhsh Rizwān, 55, Imām-bāri Lane, Calcutta.	250	1773	The editor, 55, Imām-bāri Lane, Calcutta.
10	Vol. I. No. 4. Pages 36. April 1908. [10th September 1908.] 8°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto	...	250	1774 Ditto.
11	Vol. I. No. 5. Pages 40. May 1908. [10th September 1908.] 8°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto	...	250	1775 Ditto.
12	Vol. I. No. 6. Pages 36. June 1908. [10th September 1908.] 8°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto	...	250	1776 Ditto.
13	Vol. I. No. 7. Pages 32. July 1908. [18th September 1908.] 8°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto	...	250	1777 Ditto.
14	Vol. I. No. 8. Pages 40. 8th August 1908. [10th September 1908.] Litho. 8°. 1st edition. Price, Rs. 2 yearly.	Ditto	...	250	1778 Ditto.
	VII.—URDU PERIODICALS—POETRY.				
15	خَزَائِنُ سُكَّان [Khazina-i-Sukhan. The Store of Words. Vol. I. No. I. A monthly magazine containing miscellaneous poems.] Edited by Shaik Abdus Subhān "Āqil". Pages 64. Published by the editor, 42, Dharmatalā Lane, Calcutta. January 1908. [17th August 1908.] 8°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, 12 annas.	Ditto	...	280	1766 The editor, 42, Dharmatalā Lane, Calcutta.
16	Vol. I. No. 2. Pages 64. February 1908. [17th August 1908.] 8°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, 12 annas.	Ditto	...	280	1767 Ditto.
17	Vol. I. No. 3. Pages 76. March 1908. [17th August 1908.] 8°. Litho. 1st edition. Price, 12 annas.	Ditto	...	280	1768 Ditto.

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VII.—URDU PERIODICALS—RELIGION.					
18	<p>مخزن تحقیق معروف [Makhzan-i-Tahqiq, Maruf ba Tuhfa-i-Hanafia. The Store of Inquiry better known as a present to the Hanafis. Vol XII. No. 2. A monthly magazine containing religious discourses according to the Hanafite School.] Edited by Maulvi Zia Uddin. Pages 44. Published by Qazi Wahid-ud-din, Lodi Katra, Patna City. Saphar 1366 A. H. or March 1908. [24th June 1908.] 8°. Latho. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, Rs. 2 yearly.</p> <p>[Previous number noticed in entry No. 5 at page 98 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]</p>	Qazi Wahid-ud-din, Hanafia Press, Lodi Katra, Patna.	500	26	The publisher, Lodi Katra, Patna City.
19	<p>Vol. XII. No. 3. Pages 44. Rabiul Awal 1326 A. H. or April 1908. [24th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, Rs. 2 yearly.</p>	Ditto	...	500	Ditto.
BI-LINGUAL PERIODICALS.					
I—BENGALI AND ENGLISH PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS.					
8	<p>Bangavasi College Magazine.—Vol. VI. No. 4. [A monthly journal conducted by the students of the Bangabasi College, containing matters of general interest.] Edited by G. C. Basu. Pages 24. Published by the editor, 25, Scott's Lane, Calcutta June 1908. [29th June 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, Re. 1 yearly.</p> <p>[Previous number noticed in entry No. at page of the Catalogue for the quarter ending .]</p>	M. C. Chakravarti, 117 1, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	150	1282	The editor, 138, Upper Circular Road, Calcutta.
9	<p>Vol. VI. No. 5. Pages 16. July 1908. [1st August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, Re. 1 yearly.</p>	Ditto	...	250	Ditto.
10	<p>Vol. VI. No. 6. Pages 18. August 1908. [1st September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, Re. 1 yearly.</p>	Ditto	...	250	Ditto.
11	<p>Vol. VI. No. 7. Pages 12. September 1908. [22nd September 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, Re. 1 yearly.</p>	Ditto	...	50	Ditto.
II—BENGALI AND SANSKRIT PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS.					
15	<p>কায়স্থ সংহিতা। [Kayastha Samhita.—Part 2. Compilation of the Kayastha caste. Dealing with Kayastha caste matters.] Edited by Panchapada Pal Barua Ray Chaudhuri. Pages 34. Published by Upendra Chandra Mura, Sasiri, 32, Bowbazar Street Calcutta. Jyaishta 1315 sál or 1908-09. A.D. [5th August 1908] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p align="center">Price, 2 annas yearly.</p>	Panchu Gopal Ash, 2, Goolagan Street, Calcutta,	1,000	1612	The editor.

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	BENGALI AND SANSKRIT PERIODICALS—RELIGION.				
16	<p>হিন্দু পত্রিকা । [Hindu Patrika.—The Hindu Magazine. Vol. XIV. Nos. 10, 11, 12 (together). A monthly paper devoted to religion.] Edited by Rāi Yādhu Nath Majumdar Fāhādūr. Pages 116. Published by Kali Prasanna Chattopādhyāy, Jessore 1:29. [28th July 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p>Price, 9 annas.</p> <p>[Previous number noticed in entry No. 8 at page 12 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1908.]</p>	Kālī Prasanna Chattopādhyāy, Hindu Patrikā Press, Jessore.	1,400	2	The editor, Jessore.
17	<p>ঈশ্বরতত্ত্ব সমালোচনা পত্রিকা । [Isvartattva Samalochana Patrika. Review on the truths about God. No. 2. A monthly paper dealing with religious matters.] Edited by Yādhu Nath Vidāratna. Pages 18. Published by the editor, 23, Mitra's Lane, Calcutta. Jyāishtha 1315 Sāl or May-June, 1908. [15th June 1908.] 12°. 1st edition.</p> <p>Price, 1 anna.</p> <p>[1st number noticed in entry No. 10 at page 99 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]</p>	S. C. Chakravarti, 17, Nanda Kumār Chaudhuri's 2nd Lane, Calcutta.	1,000	1235	Ditto.
18	<p>—No. 3. Pages 20. Ashār 1315 Sāl or 1908-09. [25th July 1908.] 12°. 1st edition.</p> <p>Price, 1 anna</p>	Ditto	1,000	1583	Ditto.
19	<p>—No. 4. Pages 20. Srāvan 1315 Sāl or July-August 1908. [5th September 1908.] 12°. 1st edition.</p> <p>Price, 1 anna.</p>	Ditto	1,000	1783	Ditto.
20	<p>শ্রীশ্রীবৈষ্ণব সঙ্গিনী । [Sri Sri Vaishnavasangini.—Companion of Vaishnavas. Vol. III. Nos. 10 and 11 (together). A monthly journal dealing with subjects related to the Vaishnava religion.] Edited by Madhu Sādan Dās Adhikārī. Pages 40. Published by the editor, Elāti, Hughli. Baisākhi-Jyāishtha 1315 Sāl. [16th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p>Price, 2 annas.</p> <p>[Previous number noticed in entry No. 13 at page 99 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June 1908.]</p>	Madhu Sādan Dās Adhikārī, Elāti, Hughli.	500	1501	The editor, Elāti, Hughli.
21	<p>—Vol. IV. No. 1. Pages 24. Srāvan 1315. [28th August 1908.] 8°. 1st edition.</p> <p>Price, 1 anna.</p>	Panchānan Chakravarti, 104, Cornwall's Street, Calcutta.	500	1672	Ditto.
	POLYGLOT PERIODICALS.				
	BENGALI, GUJRATHI, HINDI, MARATHI, NEPALI, URDU AND URIYA PERIODICALS—MISCELLANEOUS.				
7	<p>देव नागर । [Devanagar.—(A name). 1st year. No. 12. A monthly organ of the Ekalipi Viśthār Pārishat, whose object is to introduce the system of writing all Indian languages in one character, namely Devanāgar.] Edited by Yāśodā Nandan Akhauri. Pages 44. Published by Bankey Lāl, 62, Cotton Street, Calcutta. Kalyānda 5009 or 1907-08 A.D. [10th July 1908.] 4°. 1st edition.</p> <p>Price, Rs. 3-8 yearly.</p> <p>[Previous number noticed in entry No. 6 at page 100 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending June, 1908.]</p>	Rāmdayāl, Adl ya, 62, Cotton Street, Calcutta.	1,000	1198	The Secretary, Ekalipivistār Pārishat, 85, Grey Street, Calcutta.
	ERRATUM.				
	<p>For the reference at the bottom of entry No. 11 at page 68 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending March 1908, read—</p> <p>"[1st edition noticed in entry No. 6 at page 55 of the Catalogue for the quarter ending December, 1907.]"</p>				

Additional List of copyright of Books which, having been previously received, could not be embodied in the accompanying Catalogue.

2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Register number.	The title of the book and the contents of the title-page, with a translation into English of such title or contents when the same are not in the English language.	Name of author.	Catalogue No.	Quarter.	Page.	Date of registration of copyright.	The name and residence of the proprietor of the copyright or any portion of such copyright.
88	Sukharanjan Vyavahārik Jñānit. O Parimiti Practical Geometry and Mensuration for the Entertainment of Boys.	Sukharanjan Basu	496	2nd, 1906	20	1908. 22nd July	Sukharanjan Basu, Head Master, Kurseong M. E. School, Kurseong.

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No.	LANGUAGE.	Books.		Total.
		Non-educational.	Educational.	
UNI-LINGUALS.				
1	Arabic	...	1	1
2	Assamese	13	5	18
3	Bengali	228	40	268
4	English	79	25	104
5	Hindi	55	11	66
6	Nepalese	4	...	4
7	Persian	1	1	2
8	Sanskrit	28	1	29
9	Sema-Naga	...	1	1
10	Tibetan	1	...	1
11	Urdu	6	3	9
12	Uriya	63	6	69
Total Uni-linguals		478	94	572
BI-LINGUALS.				
1	Arabic and Bengali	1	...	1
2	Arabic and Urdu	...	1	1
3	Assamese and English	1	...	1
4	Bengali and English	7	5	12
5	Bengali and Sanskrit	37	4	41
6	English and Hindi	...	2	2
7	English and Latin	1	...	1
8	English and Nepalese	...	1	1
9	English and Sanskrit	10	1	11
10	Hindi and Sanskrit	4	...	4
11	Persian and Urdu	...	2	2
12	Sanskrit and Uriya	14	...	14
Total Bi-linguals		75	16	91
TRI-LINGUALS.				
1	Bengali, English and Sanskrit	...	6	6
2	Bengali, Hindi and Manipuri	1	...	1
3	Bengali, Hindi and Urdu	1	...	1
Total Tri-linguals		2	6	8
POLYGLOT.				
1	Arabic, English, Pali, Persian and Sanskrit.	1	...	1
2	Arabic, English, French, Latin, Persian, Sanskrit and Urdu.	1	...	1
3	Arabic, Assamese, Bengali, Burmese, English, Hindi, Latin, &c.	1	...	1
Total Polyglot		3	...	3
UNI-LINGUAL PERIODICALS.				
1	Assamese Periodicals	4	...	4
2	Bengali Periodicals	153	...	153
3	English Periodicals	105	...	105
4	Garó Periodicals	5	...	5
5	Hindi Periodicals	14	...	14
6	Sanskrit Periodicals	1	...	1
7	Urdu Periodicals	14	...	14
Total Uni-lingual Periodicals		296	...	296
Carried over		854	116	970

No.	LANGUAGE.	Books.		TOTAL.
		Non-educational.	Educational.	
	Brought forward ...	854	116	970
	BI-LINGUAL PERIODICALS.			
1	Bengali and English Periodicals ...	4	...	4
2	Bengali and Sanskrit Periodicals ...	7	...	7
	Total Bi-lingual Periodicals ...	11	...	11
	POLYGLOT PERIODICALS.			
1	Bengali, Gujrati, Hindi, Marathi, Nepali, Urdu and Uriya Periodical.	1	...	1
	Total Polyglot Periodicals ...	1	...	1
	GRAND TOTAL OF BOOKS, &c. ...	866	116	982

CALCUTTA,
The 3rd March 1909.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 27th February 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

NATURE OF CARGO.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 27TH FEBRUARY 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 20TH FEBRUARY 1908.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	1,048	2,15,165	3,708	877	1,66,715	2,882
Jute	120	57,933*	757	208	85,385†	1,103
Firewood	31	33,600	513	66	39,710	599
Other articles	821	2,54,501	3,019	739	2,26,319	2,905
Total	2,020	5,61,199	7,997	1,390	5,18,129	7,489

* Weight by canal measurement, 65,400 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 97,975 ..

CALCUTTA,
The 2nd March 1909.

G. G. DEY,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 1st March 1909.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8½	9	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Raniganj 0·10 inch. Pressing of sugarcane and gathering of potatoes continuing. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	0·05	9	9	Rainfall at Rampurhat nil. Threshing of paddy nearly finished. Fodder and water sufficient. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of scarcity.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE ..	0·09	10	10	Weather seasonable. Sowing of <i>rabi til</i> and planting of sugarcane going on. Sowing of summer rice continuing in the Ghatal subdivision. Prospects of sugarcane fair except in the Contai subdivision and of tobacco good except in the Ghatal subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Midnapore, Binpur, Khargapur, Narayangarh and Keshiari. Common rice selling at 11 seers per rupee at Contai, 8½ seers at Tamluk and 10½ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops and potatoes fair. Threshing of winter paddy not yet finished. Prices of food-grains stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing well. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported.
7	24-PARGANAS	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Common rice selling at 7½ seers per rupee at Barasat, 10 seers at Basirhat, 9½ seers at Diamond Harbour and at 8½ seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	9½	9	Rainfall at Kushtia 0·02 inch and at other subdivisions nil. Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of tobacco and <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Pressing of sugarcane going on. Lands being prepared for <i>bhadoi</i> crops and jute. Prices of staple food-grains slightly fallen. Stocks of food-grains barely sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Meherpur and Gangani thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
9	MURSHIDABAD	Inches. Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Lalbagh 0·05, at Jangipur 0·05 and at Kandi nil. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Pressing of sugarcane continuing in the Kandi and Lalbagh subdivisions. Condition of agricultural stock fair in the Kandi subdivision and good in the Lalbagh subdivision. Sowing of <i>boro</i> paddy commenced in the Kandi and Lalbagh subdivisions. Its transplantation continuing in the Jangipur subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JESSORE ...	Nil	9½	9½	Rainfall at Narail 0·02 inch. Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops indifferent. More rain badly wanted for cultivation. Fodder and water generally sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Kalia and Ultadanga. Condition of agricultural stock good.
11	KHULNA ...	Nil	10	9½	Weather seasonable. Prices of staple food-crops almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops not favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	{ 9½ 15¼* }	{ 9 15½* }	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops in progress. Standing crops doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good.
13	GAYA ...	0·66	{ 10¾† 13¼* }	{ 10¾† 14½* }	Weather seasonable. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing well. Harvesting of pulses, linseed and mustard continuing. Thunder-storm with hail at Sadar on the 25th February. No damage reported. Prices of food-grains almost stationary. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Wazirganj.
14	SHAHABAD ...	0·04	{ 9½ 13* }	{ 9 13* }	Rainfall at Buxar 0·29, Bhabua 0·11 and at Sasaram 0·02 inch. Harvesting of peas and <i>masur</i> in progress. Sugarcane-pressing going on. Standing <i>rabi</i> crops doing well. Lancing of poppy going on. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	0·07	{ 10 15* }	{ 10½ 15* }	Rainfall at Siwan 0·16 inch. Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane, harvesting of mustard and rapeseed and sowing of indigo and sugarcane going on. <i>Rabi</i> crops ripening. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	0·12	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	Rainfall at Bettiah 0·10 inch. Weather getting warmer. Slight rainfall general. Sugarcane pressing and harvesting of oilseeds continuing. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water yet sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	0·11	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 10 \\ 14\frac{3}{4}^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{3}{4} \\ 15^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Rainfall at Sitamarhi 0·14 inch. Common rice and maize selling at 9 and 14 seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi, and at 7 $\frac{3}{4}$ and 14 $\frac{3}{4}$ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur. All <i>rabi</i> crops suffering from want of moisture. Harvesting of oilseeds in progress. Cattle-disease reported in thanas Pupri, Belsund and Muzaffarpur. Fodder sufficient at present. Water getting scarce. Distress existing in parts of the Sitamarhi subdivision. Number of persons on test-works on the 27th February—135 men, 97 women and 16 children—total 248. Poor-house opened at Pupri.
18	DARRHANGA ...	0·11	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather getting hot. Slight rain received during the week at places. Tanks and wells drying up, but people are being given land improvement loans freely and many tanks are being excavated in this manner. Tobacco being harvested. Reaping of mustard approaching completion. Cattle-disease reported in four villages. Fodder reported to be insufficient in the Warisnagar thana of the Samastipur subdivision. Food-stocks sufficient on account of heavy imports of food-grains. Number on relief-works on the 25th February—33,185; and gratuitously relieved in declared areas 6,053. Number of persons on test-works in observation areas on the 25th February—24,725, and gratuitously relieved 1,245. <i>Makai</i> selling at 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee at Sadar, but dearer in the interior.
19	MONGHYR ...	0·02	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather getting hot. Condition of standing <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops commenced at places. Planting of sugarcane going on. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Fodder and water scarce in some places of the Jamui subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from Gogri thana.
20	BRAGALPUR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{3}{4} \\ 13\frac{3}{4}^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{3}{4} \\ 13\frac{3}{4}^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops fair in the Banka subdivision and on irrigated lands, but bad elsewhere. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Considerable distress in the Supaul and Madhipura subdivisions. 139 men, 403 women and 394 children—total 936—gratuitously relieved in Madhipura, and 51 men, 81 women and 320 children—total 452—in Supaul. 1,742 men, 1,716 women and 586 children—total 4,044, on test-works in Madhipura, and 2,794 men, 2,198 women and 886 children—total 5,878 in Supaul.
21	PURNKA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 11\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9 \\ 11\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather occasionally cloudy with strong west winds. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing to be bad. Lands being ploughed for <i>dhadoi</i> crops and jute. <i>Musuri</i> and <i>khesari</i> being harvested. Planting of sugarcane going on in the Kishanganj subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from several thanas in the district. Fodder and water getting scarce in many places. Food-stocks sufficient. 17 men and 19 women—total 36—relieved gratuitously. 137 men, 5 women and 9 children—total 151 persons on test-works in Gopalpur and Amour on the 26th February. Common rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Araria and 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers at Kishanganj.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	DARJEELING ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 14^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 14^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Hills—Wheat and barley growing. Oilseeds being harvested in some places. Fields being prepared for the sowing of maize. Potatoes being sown. Terai—Harvesting of mustard and potatoes going on. Lands being prepared for jute and <i>bhadoi</i> crops. Prospects fair. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Prices stationary.
23	SONTAL PARAGANAS.	...	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 11^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 11\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	Rainfall at Deoghar 0·11, Godda 0·04, Jamtara 0·05, Pakour 0·09 and at Rajmahal 0·22 inch. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water not sufficient in the Godda, Pakour and Rajmahal subdivisions.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10½	10½	Tobacco and cotton growing. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	0·30	11½	11	Weather seasonable. Threshing of <i>saradh</i> paddy and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops finished. <i>Dalua</i> paddy thriving. Vegetables doing well. Fodder and water and food-stocks sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice selling at 13 seers per rupee at Bhadrak. Prices falling at Sadar and stationary at Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	15	15	Weather seasonable. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 12 seers per rupee at the Khondmals. Fodder and water available.
27	PURI ...	Nil	10½	9½	<i>Dalua</i> paddy in ear. <i>Kulthi</i> crop being harvested. Common rice selling at 10½ seers per rupee at Khurda. Men 36, women 116 and children 240—total 392—attending kitchens. Men 11, women 141 and children 5—total 157—receiving gratuitous relief.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	0·18	13	12	Weather occasionally cloudy. Rice and sugarcane fields being ploughed for the next harvest. Harvesting of field <i>pea</i> continuing and its outturn estimated at 12 annas. Condition of sugarcane and vegetables good. Stocks of foodgrains, fodder and water-supply sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Cattle disease reported. Rinderpest in the Bargarh Tahsil. Common rice selling at 15½ seers per rupee at Bargarh.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
29	HAZARIBAGH...	Inches. 0·02	{ 9 12*	8½ 12*	Weather seasonable. Ploughing of lands continuing. Condition of standing crops fair. Food-stocks, fodder and water sufficient.
30	RANCHI ...	0·05	9	9	Weather getting hot. Ploughing of lands continuing. Standing crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from five thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	9	9½	Weather seasonable. <i>Sarson</i> and <i>masuri</i> being harvested. Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops good. Sugar-cane being planted. Fodder and water available. Some cattle-disease. 150 persons on gratuitous relief from charitable funds in pargana Japla.
32	MANERHUM ...	0·12	11	11½	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Planting of sugarcane going on. <i>Mahua</i> flower slightly damaged owing to slight rain and cloud. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Nirsha. Condition of agricultural stock good. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Common rice selling at 9 seers per rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate.
33	SINGHERHUM ...	0·07	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Ploughing for early rice going on. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 10 and 12 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	0·05	8½	8	Weather seasonable. Preparation of lands for <i>bitri</i> paddy and jute continuing. Standing crops doing fairly well. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water sufficient.
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.†	.....	.....	.....	<p>Name of State. Rainfall in inch. Gangpur 0·10</p> <p>Weather seasonable. Ploughing of lands for the next season's crops commenced in Nilgiri and Keonjhar. Harvesting of <i>kulthi</i> in progress in Nayagarh, of mustard in Nayagarh, Dhenkanal and Baramba, of gram in Nayagarh, Kalahandi and Athmallik, of castor in Boad, Dhenkanal, Ranpur and Baramba, of <i>biri</i> in Dhenkanal and of <i>masur</i> in Kalahandi. Pressing of sugarcane continuing in Patna, Kalahandi, Baramba, Daspalla and Narsingpur. State of standing crops good in Boad, Daspalla and Hindol. Condition of agricultural stock fair in all States. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 9 seers in Keonjhar and 12 seers in Narsingpur and Mayurbhanj to 16½ seers in Sonpur and 18 seers in Talcher and Patna.</p>

• The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
 † The report is for the week ending the 20th February 1969.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—Slight rain fell in the districts of the Patna, Tirhut and Chota Nagpur Divisions (except in Patna and Palamau) and also in parts of Burdwan, Birbhum Midnapore, Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore, Monghyr, the Sonthal Parganas, Balasore, Sambalpur and Cooch Behar. Preparation of lands for the sowing of *bhadoi* crops and sugarcane is going on. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of pulses and oil-seeds are in progress. Lancing of poppy in Shahabad and sowing of Sumatran indigo in Saran have commenced. Slight damage has been caused to the *mahua* flower in Manbhum by the cloudy weather and rainfall during the week. Prospects of *rabi* crops are bad in the unirrigated tracts of North Bihar. There is considerable distress amongst the poorer classes in parts of Muzaffarpur and Bhagalpur. The price of common rice has risen in Burdwan, Jessore, Saran, Bhagalpur, Purnea, Palamau and Manbhum, and has fallen in Nadia, Khulna, Patna, Shahabad, Muzaffarpur, the Sonthal Parganas, Balasore, Puri, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh and Cooch Behar. Cattle-disease is reported from Midnapore, Nadia, Jessore, Gaya, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Purnea, Sambalpur Ranchi, Palamau and Manbhum. Fodder is reported to be insufficient in Darbhanga, Monghyr and the Sonthal Parganas. The water-supply is getting scarce in many parts of North Bihar. 35,046 persons were on test-works in Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Bhagalpur and Purnea. 8,872 persons were gratuitously relieved in Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Palamau and 549 in Puri. The number of persons on famine-relief works in Darbhanga was 33,185.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 2nd March 1909.

W. R. GOURLAY,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1908-09.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of January 1909.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.						RAINFALL, 1908-09.		RAINFALL, 1907-08.		REMARKS.	
								SEASON LEASES.						Grand Total.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.		Up to end of month.
								Long-term leases.	Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Not-weather.	Total.						
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.		
ODISHA	Cuttack	Taldanda system ..	1,342	27	20	75,424	74,673	74,043	427	18	33	3	481	..	89'23	1'11	71'15	Average rainfall of Kulai, Balia and Jagat-singpur.	
		Kendrapara do. ..	2,035	415	234	101,184	103,593	99,847	539	763	..	15	1,337	..	85'10	1'36	74'53	Average rainfall of Kendrapara, Marsabai, Nurtang and Ichapur.	
		High Level, Range I ..	608	115	33	27,679	27,862	27,663	3	754	5	..	762	..	83'03	0'88	63'34	Average rainfall of Cuttack and Jemapur.	
		Ditto, Range II ..	728	20	2	5,423	5,493	5,493	..	63	..	..	68	..	33'75	0'73	56'52	Average rainfall of Jemapur and Akhoyapada.
		Jajpur Canal ..	700	133	133	31,823	30,299	30,976	240	1,940	5	4	2,202	..	51'59	0'78	61'48	Jajpur.	
	Balasore	Dudhai Canal ..	200	200	149	45,699	45,685	45,198	..	1,535	..	..	1,535	..	..	..	..	Average rainfall of Cuttack and Jemapur.
		High Level, Range III ..	728	14	5	..	..	..	..	8	423	..	437	..	39'10	0'66	59'04	Akhoyapada.
		Total Orissa Canals ..	..	..	..	276,642	277,704	274,059	1,228*	5,106	465	29	6,329	..	..	..	..
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	..	..	..	..	..	283,266	4,986	9,733	611	15	15,344	..	..	..	..
SOUTH-WESTERN	Midnapore Howrah	Midnapore ..	1,411	50	..	88,030	87,021	88,335	..	..	..	..	..	1'50	89'50	0'80	53'16	
		Panchkura ..	522	31	..	5,068	5,016	5,253	..	..	..	..	..	1'02	47'93	1'23	46'73	
		Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II ..	..	..	..	..	45	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	63'94	1'27	53'08	
		Total Midnapore Canal ..	..	..	..	93,138	92,122	93,640	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
			Total of the corresponding period of last year.	55,798	8,911	8,911	
		Eden Canal ..	1,030	9	9	20,475	21,359	19,873	855	7	862	..	68'33	1'23	45'42		
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	20,246	1,130	11	1,141		

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• Of which 1,171 acres are 'Provisional lease.'

CALCUTTA,
The 2nd March 1909.

G. G. DEY,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. II.—KHARIF STATEMENT.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF FASL KHARIF, 1908-09.

Statement in acres of crops irrigated in Canal Districts.

NATURE OF CROPS.	Cuttack.	Balasure.	Midnapore.	Burdwan.	Hoochly.	Gaya.	Patna.	Shahabad.	Saran.	Champanan.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Garden and orchards	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sugarcane	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cereals—	47	492	...	...	...	1,833	3,868	21 20,434	...	58	30 26,732
Wheat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rice	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cheena	229,108	45,880	63,786	16,384	4,224	65,472	45,291	296,756	12,705	22	779,606
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	23
Pulses—	...	...	...	...	...	...	859	1,456	...	...	2,359
Gram, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fodder crops—Grass, lucerne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fibres—Cotton.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dyes—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indigo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	105	...	136	241
Turneric, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drugs—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Opium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tobacco, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oil-seeds—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mustard, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Castor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total kharif 1908-09*	229,155	46,381	63,786	16,384	4,224	67,305	50,018	318,772	...	12,965	808,990
Ditto 1907-08†	231,174	45,775	61,024	17,106	5,039	62,400	56,941	324,107	...	10,987	814,559
Average of 5 years ending 1907-08.†	195,432	42,940	74,877	19,032	5,653	55,189	48,643	310,678	354	4,835	757,633

* Approximate figures.
† Actual figures.

CALCUTTA,

The 1st March 1909.

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SUMMARY OF THE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN
BENGAL AND IN EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM FOR THE
MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1908.

WEATHER in the Bay was disturbed during the early part of the month and the low pressure area characteristic of the retreating monsoon developed into a depression off the Coromandel coast on the first. On the third the storm appeared to be moving in a northerly direction, afterwards curving to the north-east and diminishing rapidly in intensity, so that the only evidence of its existence finally was a burst of heavy rain on the Arakan coast on the 6th and 7th. On the ninth a second disturbance was shown to the south-west of Diamond Island. This proved to be a small, but rather intense cyclonic storm which moved initially in a north-westerly direction and then curved rapidly to the east passing over Akyab on the night of the eleventh, doing considerable damage to the town. Up to three hours before it struck the coast, there was no local indication of its approach, both the observer and the Captain of a ship in harbour reporting light north-easterly winds and a total absence of swell. During the remainder of the month weather was comparatively quiet over the whole Bay.

Over the two Provinces during the week ending November 5th a few falls of rain occurred in Assam and heavy rain fell at Chittagong and Cox's Bazar, but there was no rain in other parts of the Division. During the next week Cox's Bazar and Gauhati were the only stations that reported rain. Skies were clear or lightly clouded during these two weeks, while temperature was normal or in defect, the deficiency being shown at night and in the western districts of the division. During the week ending on the 19th weather was dry with the sky clear or lightly clouded up to the 18th, when rain commenced to fall in Eastern Bengal and heavy cloud spread over Assam and Deltaic Bengal. Skies, however, cleared again rapidly and the only stations that reported rain in the week ending on the 26th were Cox's Bazar, Chittagong and Barisal. During the last few days of the month weather remained dry and the skies free from cloud.

Summary of temperature.—Mean temperature was in defect everywhere except in Eastern Bengal, North, where it was in slight excess. In Orissa and Assam the defect was about $1\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ and in Chota Nagpur 1° . The highest temperature (92°) was reported from Buxar, and the lowest (46°) was reported from Daltonganj.

The following table gives the summary of the temperature of each of the seven meteorological divisions of the Provinces of Bengal and of Eastern Bengal and Assam for the month of November 1908:—

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISIONS.	TEMPERATURE.					
	Highest observed during month.	Lowest observed during month.	Average for month.			Average mean of month above or below normal mean of month.
			Of highest of each day.	Of lowest of each day.	Of mean for each day.	
Bengal	90.1	55.0	84.2	61.1	72.7	— 0.7
Eastern Bengal, North	88.6	49.0	83.3	60.3	71.8	+ 0.4
Eastern Bengal, South	87.5	55.6	82.1	63.1	73.1	— 0.6
Bihar	92.0	46.3	84.5	56.1	70.3	— 0.4
Orissa	89.6	53.1	84.5	60.5	72.5	— 1.6
Chota Nagpur*	89.5	46.0	81.0	54.5	67.8	— 1.1
Assam	88.3	50.1	80.5	59.5	70.0	— 1.3

* Purulia not included.

Summary of rainfall.—The rainfall work of the area under report has been handed over to the Director of Agriculture. A short table, however, is attached to this report, giving actual and normal rainfall recorded at the principal stations of each district.

No rain fell in Bihar, Chota Nagpur and Orissa and only light rain in Bengal. It was in general defect over the two Provinces. The rainfall recorded locally at Cox's Bazar and Chittagong was again in moderate excess.

Actual and average rainfall and departure from normal for the month of November 1908.

Meteorological Division.	District.	Station.	Actual.	Normal.	Departure from normal.
Bengal	{	Burdwan ...	0	0.64	— 0.64
		Raniganj ...	0	0.54	— 0.54
		Bankura ...	0	0.51	— 0.51
		Midnapore ...	0	0.56	— 0.56
		24 Parganas ...	0	1.31	— 1.31
		Calcutta ...	0.04	0.62	— 0.58
		Nadia ...	0	0.74	— 0.74
Eastern Bengal, North.	{	Murshidabad ...	0	0.40	— 0.40
		Jessore ...	0.09	1.18	— 1.09
		Rajshahi ...	0	0.31	— 0.31
		Malda ...	0	0.22	— 0.22
		Dinajpur ...	0.01	0.16	— 0.15
		Jalpaiguri ...	0	0.14	— 0.14
		Cooch Behar ...	0	0.14	— 0.14
Eastern Bengal, South.	{	Rangpur ...	0	0.24	— 0.24
		Bogra ...	0.03	0.82	— 0.79
		Pabna ...	0.08	0.65	— 0.47
		Narayanganj ...	0	1.27	— 1.27
		Mymensingh ...	0.09	0.76	— 0.67
		Faridpur ...	0.01	1.03	— 1.02
		Backergunge ...	0.09	1.02	— 0.93
Bihar	{	Tippera ...	0	1.19	— 1.19
		Nonkhali ...	0.18	1.61	— 1.43
		Chittagong ...	4.85	1.49	+ 3.36
		Cox's Bazar ...	10.27	1.97	+ 8.30
		Patna ...	0	0.20	— 0.20
		Gaya ...	0	0.27	— 0.27
		Dehri ...	0	0.28	— 0.28
Orissa	{	Shahabad ...	0	0.38	— 0.38
		Buxar ...	0	0.21	— 0.21
		Arrah ...	0	0.25	— 0.25
		Chupra ...	0	0.12	— 0.12
		Motihari ...	0	0.12	— 0.12
		Muzaffarpur ...	0	0.12	— 0.12
		Darbhanga ...	0	0.07	— 0.07
Chota Nagpur ...	{	Monghyr ...	0	0.20	— 0.20
		Bhagalpur ...	0	0.17	— 0.17
		Purnea ...	0	0.07	— 0.07
		Sonthal Parganas ...	0	0.31	— 0.31
		Darjeeling ...	0	0.24	— 0.24
		Sambalpur ...	0	0.42	— 0.42
		Angul ...	0	1.22	— 1.22
Chota Nagpur ...	{	Cuttack ...	0	1.36	— 1.36
		False Point ...	0	2.74	— 2.74
		Balasore ...	0	1.18	— 1.18
		Puri ...	0.01	2.68	— 2.67
		Hazaribagh ...	0	0.30	— 0.30
		Ranchi ...	0	0.31	— 0.31
		Singbhum ...	0	0.40	— 0.40
Chota Nagpur ...	{	Palamu ...	0	0.38	— 0.38
		Daltongunj ...	0	0.24	— 0.24
		Parulia ...	0	0.24	— 0.24

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 2nd March 1909.

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Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 21st to 27th February 1909.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fabr.	TEMPERATURE.				HYGROMETRY.				WIND.		Rains.	WEATHER.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1909.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches	°	%			Inches	
Feb.	21st	133.2	8.7	29.841	80.0	92.6	23.5	69.1	68.6	0.568	62.6	58	SW, WSW and SSW.	175	Nil	Partially cloudy, ☁.
"	22nd	133.7	4.3	.858	78.8	89.1	18.9	70.2	72.3	.718	69.3	74	SSW, SW and WSW.	135	Nil	Partially cloudy, ☁.
"	23rd	137.3	6.2	.885	81.6	91.4	19.0	72.4	72.8	.737	70.1	76	SSW, WSW and S.W by S.	85	Nil	Partially cloudy, ☁.
"	24th	142.6	9.3	.833	83.4	93.2	23.9	69.3	70.8	.633	65.7	63	SW by S, SW and S by W.	113	Nil	Chiefly clear, ☁.
"	25th	136.5	7.6	.857	79.0	91.7	23.7	68.0	71.5	.701	68.7	75	W by S, WSW and variable.	78	Nil	Partially cloudy, ☁, ☁.
"	26th	137.5	9.3	.911	78.7	88.0	25.8	65.2	69.0	.589	63.6	62	SSW, NW by N and WSW.	80	Nil	Chiefly clear, ☁.
"	27th	139.6	9.1	.9.9	78.9	92.3	25.1	67.2	66.8	.464	56.9	49	NW by N, N and calm.	90	Nil	Chiefly clear.

The mean pressure of the seven days	...	...	...	Inches.	29.874
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	...	...	...	...	29.915
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	...	...	...	Hours	54.5
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	...	...	...	...	80.8
The mean temperature of the seven days	...	...	...	...	79.5
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	...	...	...	...	75.8
The extreme variation of temperature	...	...	...	...	27.0
The maximum temperature	...	...	...	...	93.2
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	...	...	...	Miles,	15
The mean relative humidity	...	...	...	%	65
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	...	...	...	...	64
The total fall of rain from 21st to 27th February 1909	...	...	...	Inches	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	...	...	...	...	0.11
The total fall from 1st January to 27th February 1909	...	...	...	...	0.10
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	...	...	...	...	1.40

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Kundsens Barograph, and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

Δ, dew ; ≡ fog.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th February 1909 on 2,292.37 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	545,893	(a) 4,80,000 0 0	70,40,111 0	11,44,554 0 0	47,273 0 0	16,72,497 0 0	163,403	210,078	382,481
Or per mile of railway ...	238	209 10 10	3,02,31,865 0	47,90,334 0 0	20 10 0	729 9 5	709,071	897,340	1,606,411
For previous 52 weeks of half-year ...	2,143,342	20,70,678 0 0	3,02,31,865 0	47,90,334 0 0	2,10,322 0 0	70,71,834 0 0	709,071	897,340	1,606,411
Total for 5½ weeks ...	2,089,235	25,51,238 0 0	3,72,71,976 0	59,35,488 0 0	2,57,585 0 0	87,44,321 0 0	572,474	1,118,418	1,988,892
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	642,223	6,29,554 6 5	67,78,774 10	11,47,199 12 9	40,137 10 7	18,16,891 13 9	170,255	215,039	385,894
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	275	275 4 3	3,06,61,829 20	501 9 8	17 8 11	794 6 10	738	897	1,635
Total for corresponding 5½ weeks of previous year ...	2,909,518	28,10,407 2 10	3,96,61,829 20	63,69,316 5 1	2,21,192 13 9	91,06,916 6 8	909,587	1,214,035	2,123,622

(a) The decrease is due to "Aradhaya Joga" in the corresponding period of 1908.

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,292.37	First 6 days of Jan.	582,053	5,75,716	91,60,173	14,45,222	88,060	20,79,407	907	477,340	Rs. A. P.
2,792.37	Week ended 18th "	460,312	4,45,310	66,91,733	11,01,569	48,809	15,95,645	694	371,121	4 5 4
2,840.47	" " 23rd "	540,621	5,22,048	71,58,738	11,71,555	47,552	17,24,255	752	378,124	4 9 0
2,292.37	" " 30th "	624,856	5,27,544	71,31,221	10,89,641	55,912	16,72,927	730	371,013	4 6 3
2,292.37	" " 6th Feb.	545,893	4,80,000	70,40,111	11,44,554	47,273	16,72,497	730	382,481	4 6 0
	Totals up to date	2,089,235	25,51,238	3,72,71,976	59,35,488	2,57,585	87,44,321	722	1,988,892	4 6 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded.

1908.

	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,297.05	First 11 days of Jan.	685,522	6,34,349	1,08,19,017	18,49,635	66,133	25,54,157	1,117	593,113	Rs. A. P.
2,407.05	Week ended 18th "	453,317	4,10,731	75,48,603	10,74,557	37,151	15,90,439	667	378,073	4 0 11
2,407.05	" " 25th "	479,877	4,77,407	72,10,947	11,15,196	37,811	16,30,532	714	386,250	4 3 7
2,287.05	" " 1st Feb.	648,579	6,60,231	78,09,989	11,78,729	39,632	18,78,807	822	390,293	4 13 8
2,287.05	" " 8th "	642,223	6,29,554	67,78,774	11,47,199	40,138	18,16,891	794	393,893	4 11 4
	Totals up to date	2,909,518	28,10,407	3,96,61,829	63,69,316	2,21,193	91,06,916	738	2,123,622	4 6 10

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th February 1909 on 22.21 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	28,415	(a) 8,200 0 0	15,171 0	863 0 0	8 0 0	8,871 0 0	1,317	159	1,476
Or per mile of railway ...	369	369 3 3	68,170 0	29 13 8	0 5 9	399 6 8	5,709	685	6,394
For previous 52 weeks of half-year ...	99,860	21,873 0 0	68,170 0	3,448 0 0	28 0 0	25,349 0 0	7,036	844	7,880
Total for 5½ weeks ...	128,275	30,073 0 0	80,341 0	4,111 0 0	36 0 0	34,221 0 0	7,036	844	7,880
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	57,813	16,163 15 9	20,125 10	847 0 0	11 3 6	17,023 3 3	1,320	159	2,088
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	256	727 2 0	90,514 20	38 1 7	0 8 1	705 11 8	5,900	842	6,742
Total for corresponding 5½ weeks of previous year ...	174,916	44,305 6 3	1,05,514 20	4,103 14 0	41 1 9	48,350 6 0	8,400	842	9,242

(a) The decrease is due to "Aradhaya Joga" in the corresponding period of 1908.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—concluded.

1909. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22'31	First 9 days of January ...	27,859	6,543	12,906	607	8	7,158	323	1,986	3 10 3
22'31	Week ended 16th " ...	24,766	5,927	12,176	406	6	6,529	249	1,476	3 11 11
22'31	" " 23rd " ...	23,833	5,301	10,644	770	7	6,078	274	1,476	4 1 11
22'31	" " 30th " ...	23,843	5,002	24,644	1,375	7	6,584	298	1,476	4 7 4
22'31	" " 6th Feb. ...	28,415	8,200	15,171	683	8	8,871	399	1,476	0 2
	Totals up to date ...	128,275	30,073	80,341	4,111	36	34,230	291	7,870	4 5 7

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded.

1908

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
										Rs. A. P.
22'28	First 11 days of January ..	32,463	7,903	26,088	1,049	9	8,951	403	2,378	3 12 4
22'28	Week ended 16th " ...	21,907	4,606	18,262	379	10	4,984	225	1,498	3 5 4
22'28	" " 25th " ...	22,720	5,060	24,894	982	10	6,044	272	1,498	4 0 7
22'28	" " 1st Feb. ...	40,013	10,477	20,135	847	1	11,325	509	1,780	6 6 10
22'28	" " 8th " ...	57,813	6,164	20,135	847	11	17,022	766	2,088	8 2 6
Totals up to date ...		174,916	44,205	1,08,514	4,104	41	48,350	390	9,312	5 3 8

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 6th February 1909 on 162'36 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	23,550	Rs. A. P. 20,212 0 0	Mds. s. 2,56,976 0	Rs. A. P. 10,720 0 0	Rs. A. P. 31 0 0	Rs. A. P. 38,960 0 0	12,410	4,650	17,060
Or per mile of railway ...	124	7 10	15 8	102 15 8	0 3 4	237 10 10	...	...	...
For previous 47 weeks of half-year.	93,338	75,292 0 0	10,61,334 0	74,136 0 0	247 0 0	1,59,476 0 0	53,658	16,031	69,687
Total for 51 weeks	116,948	95,504 0 0	13,18,210 0	91,656 0 0	281 0 0	1,87,441 0 0	66,068	20,681	86,747
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	25,703	18,005 12 7	2,74,281 0	18,734 16 0	44 13 3	36,805 8 10	11,727	5,219	16,946
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	110 14 5	...	115 6 3	0 6 5	226 11 1	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 51 weeks of previous year	135,750	89,993 13 5	14,55,969 20	1,00,000 13 0	340 6 9	1,00,427 1 2	65,596	20,247	85,843

1909 Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
162'36	First 9 days of Jan. ..	23,730	15,550	3,03,743	21,090	90	36,730	226	21,179	1 11 9
162'36	Week ended 16th " ...	22,350	20,818	2,67,030	18,994	60	39,872	246	16,065	2 7 9
162'36	" " 23rd " ...	22,178	22,333	2,30,351	17,716	57	40,105	247	16,232	2 7 6
162'36	" " 30th " ...	19,134	16,592	2,69,201	17,136	50	33,778	208	16,301	2 1 4
162'36	" " 6th Feb. ...	23,550	20,212	2,56,976	16,720	34	36,966	228	17,080	2 2 8
	Totals up to date ...	116,948	95,504	13,18,210	91,656	281	1,87,441	218	86,747	2 2 7

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded.

1908.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
										Rs. A. P.
162'36	First 11 days of Jan. ...	34,141	23,390	3,54,576	26,451	104	48,944	301	25,451	1 14 9
162'36	Week ended 16th " ...	22,823	16,731	2,89,202	16,043	50	31,824	196	17,138	1 13 9
162'36	" " 25th " ...	22,839	16,809	2,30,212	16,832	61	36,792	237	18,300	2 0 4
162'36	" " 1st Feb. ...	26,193	16,669	2,47,690	19,030	60	36,950	223	17,108	2 1 9
162'36	" " 8th " ...	25,703	18,000	2,74,281	18,735	65	36,506	227	16,946	2 2 9
	Totals up to date ..	135,759	89,994	14,55,970	1,00,091	340	1,00,425	211	86,843	2 0 1

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th February 1909 on 2,202 37 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	534,137	5,31,039 0 0	74,20,715 0	11,69,116 0 0	47,266 0 0	17,47,421 0 0	165,597	219,843	385,440
Or per mile of railway ...		231 10 6		510 0 0	20 9 11	792 4 5			
For previous 52 weeks of half-year ...	2,689,235	25,51,338 0 0	3,72,71,976 0	59,35,468 0 0	2,77,595 0 0	87,44,321 0 0	872,474	1,116,418	1,988,892
Total for 62 weeks ...	3,223,372	30,82,277 0 0	4,46,92,691 0	71,04,604 0 0	3,04,861 0 0	1,04,91,742 0 0	1,039,071	1,336,261	2,374,332
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	522,967	5,29,704 1 7	72,60,787 10	12,52,101 7 8	46,759 1 8	16,19,564 10 11	161,281	232,341	393,622
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...		227 10 10		547 7 6	20 7 2	705 9 6			
Total for corresponding 62 weeks of previous year ...	3,432,505	33,37,111 4 5	4,69,22,626 30	76,21,417 12 9	2,67,951 15 5	1,12,26,481 0 7	1,070,908	1,446,276	2,517,244

(a) Decrease is chiefly in rice from Burma in the corresponding period of 1908.

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,292 37	First 9 days of Jan. ...	582,053	5,75,716	91,60,173	14,53,323	58,069	20,70,097	907	477,346	Rs. A. P.
2,292 37	Week ended 16th ..	400,312	4,45,370	66,91,733	11,01,586	48,809	16,95,645	606	371,129	4 5 8
2,292 37	" " 23rd ..	540,521	5,22,018	71,58,708	11,54,656	47,552	17,24,275	753	378,123	4 9 0
2,292 37	" " 30th ..	529,566	5,27,544	72,21,321	10,40,491	55,892	16,22,927	730	379,913	4 6 5
2,292 37	" " 6th Feb. ...	545,933	4,40,000	70,40,111	11,44,554	47,273	16,72,477	739	382,481	4 6 0
2,292 37	" " 13th ..	534,137	5,31,039	74,20,715	11,69,116	47,266	17,47,421	762	385,440	4 8 0
	Totals up to date ..	3,223,372	30,82,277	4,46,92,691	71,04,604	3,04,861	1,04,91,742	728	2,374,332	4 6 8

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—conold.

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		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,287 05	First 11 days of Jan. ...	495,528	6,93,389	1,08,16,017	18,19,838	66,133	25,51,157	1,117	490,113	Rs. A. P.
2,287 05	Week ended 18th ..	453,317	4,10,731	75,46,508	10,78,657	37,151	15,26,439	667	376,073	4 0 11
2,287 05	" " 25th ..	479,877	4,77,497	72,10,947	11,15,106	37,849	16,30,513	713	396,250	4 3 7
2,287 05	" " 1st Feb. ...	618,579	6,60,236	73,03,599	11,74,729	39,033	18,78,907	822	390,293	4 13 3
2,287 05	" " 8th ..	648,223	6,29,554	67,78,744	11,47,199	40,139	18,16,811	791	385,893	4 11 4
2,287 05	" " 15th ..	622,987	5,20,704	72,90,797	12,52,102	46,759	18,19,565	796	393,622	4 10 0
	Totals up to date ..	3,432,505	33,37,111	4,69,22,626	76,21,418	2,67,951	1,12,26,481	747	2,517,244	4 7 4

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th February 1909, on 32.21 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	MDS. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	27,697	6,431 0 0	18,394 0	751 0 0	0 0 0	7,191 0 0	1,317	159	1,476
Or per mile of railway ...		289 8 10		33 13 0	0 6 6	323 12 4			
For previous 52 weeks of half-year ...	123,375	30,073 0 0	89,341 0	4,111 0 0	36 0 0	34,220 0 0	7,026	814	7,870
Total for 62 weeks ...	156,972	36,504 0 0	108,735 0	4,862 0 0	45 0 0	41,411 0 0	8,343	1,003	9,346
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	25,779	6,057 8 6	39,018 20	973 15 0	0 0 0	7,037 7 6	1,342	154	1,496
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...		272 7 10		48 13 0	0 4 4	316 9 2			
Total for corresponding 62 weeks of previous year ...	200,698	60,362 14 9	1,47,533 0	5,077 13 0	47 1 0	55,387 18 6	9,742	996	10,738

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—concluded.

1909. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22'21	First 9 days of Jan. ...	27,659	6,543	12,906	607	8	7,159	332	1,800	3 10 3
22'21	Week ended 16th ..	24,766	5,027	12 176	498	6	5,529	249	1,470	3 11 11
22'21	" " 23rd ..	21,862	5,301	16 144	770	7	6,078	274	1,470	4 1 11
22'21	" " 30th ..	23,583	5,002	20 135	1,575	7	6,544	290	1,476	4 7 4
22'21	" " 6th Feb. ...	28,415	8,200	15,171	693	9	8,871	399	1,476	6 0 2
22'21	" " 13th ..	27,697	6,431	18,304	751	9	7,191	324	1,476	4 13 11
	Totals up to date	1,55,972	36,501	98,735	4,362	43	41,411	297	9,349	4 6 11

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded. 1908.

	Period.	No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22'28	First 11 days of Jan. ...	32,463	7,903	26,008	1,049	9	8,961	403	2,378	3 12 4
22'28	Week ended 18th ..	21,907	4,605	13,262	370	10	4,994	225	1,408	3 5 4
22'28	" " 25th ..	22,720	5,056	24,824	981	10	6,048	272	1,408	4 0 7
22'28	" " 1st Feb. ...	40,013	10,477	20 135	847	1	11,323	509	1,780	6 5 10
22'28	" " 8th ..	57,813	16,164	20 135	817	11	17,023	756	2,048	8 5 5
22'28	" " 15th ..	26,779	6,054	30,010	974	6	7,038	317	1,400	4 11 3
	Totals up to date	200,695	50,263	1,47,533	5,078	47	55,388	379	10,738	5 2 6

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th February 1909 on 162'36 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	26,107	19,134 0 0	2,60,488 0	19,038 0 0	40 0 0	38,216 0 0	12,355	4,048	17,003
Or per mile of railway	116,948	117 14 0	...	117 4 2	0 3 11	235 6 1	...	...	...
For previous 51 weeks of half-year	116,948	93,304 0 0	13,18,210 0	91,656 0 0	281 0 0	1,87,441 0 0	60,066	20,681	86,747
Total for 51 weeks	143,055	1,14,642 0 0	16,04,098 0	1,10,694 0 0	321 0 0	2,25,457 0 0	78,421	25,320	1,103,750
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	26,118	17,428 7 11	2,73,384 10	17,462 11 0	30 8 9	34,021 11 8	11,673	5,137	16,810
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	107 5 6	...	107 8 11	0 3 0	215 1 5	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 51 weeks of previous year.	161,877	1,07,422 5 4	17,31,353 30	1,17,558 8 0	370 15 6	225,346 12 10	77,269	34,394	111,663

1909 Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162'36	First 9 days of Jan. ...	28,730	15,550	3,63,743	21,000	80	36,730	226	21,179	1 14 9
162'36	Week ended 16th ..	22,366	20,818	2,67,939	18,994	60	39,872	246	16,005	2 7 9
162'36	" " 23rd ..	21,178	22,332	2,30,351	17,710	57	40,105	247	16,248	2 7 0
162'36	" " 30th ..	19,134	16,592	2,09,201	17,136	60	33,778	208	16,301	2 1 4
162'36	" " 6th Feb. ...	23,550	20,212	2,56,976	16,720	34	36,906	229	17,060	2 2 8
162'36	" " 13th ..	26,107	19,138	2,86,488	18,084	40	38,216	235	17,003	2 4 0
	Totals up to date	143,055	1,14,642	16,04,098	1,10,694	321	2,25,457	221	103,750	2 2 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—conclod. 1908.

	Period.	No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162'36	First 11 days of Jan. ...	36,141	22,589	3,54,576	24,451	104	48,944	301	25,461	1 14 9
162'36	Week ended 18th ..	22,365	15,731	2,49,302	16,043	50	31,824	196	17,138	1 13 0
162'36	" " 25th ..	23,509	16,899	2,80,312	19,838	61	39,799	227	18,900	2 0 4
162'36	" " 1st Feb. ...	25,193	16,969	1,47,090	19,030	60	36,059	212	17,105	2 1 0
162'36	" " 8th ..	26,703	18,000	2,74,981	18,735	65	36,800	227	18,946	2 2 0
162'36	" " 15th ..	26,118	17,428	2,75,384	17,463	31	34,924	215	16,810	2 1 3
	Totals up to date	101,877	1,07,422	17,31,354	1,17,554	371	2,25,347	211	111,658	2 0 4

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 13th February 1909 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and on additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-hoat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Waight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	69,000	47,500 0 0	338,000 0	42,000 0 0	5,000 0 0	94,500 0 0	14,650	18,366	32,996
Or per mile of railway ...	89'84	61'85	438'39	54'47	6'40	122'81	19'05	23'83	42'87
For previous 5 weeks of half-year ...	377,500	2,40,000 0 0	1,930,000 0	2,27,500 0 0	27,500 0 0	4,95,000 0 0	74,981	101,531	176,512
Total for 7 weeks ...	446,500	2,87,500 0 0	2,368,000 0	2,39,500 0 0	32,500 0 0	5,69,500 0 0	89,611	119,897	209,508
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	65,128	53,544 0 0	283,744 0	44,515 0 0	3,526 0 0	1,00,583 0 0	17,005	20,514	37,519
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	84'84	68'42	368'02	57'73	4'57	130'72	22'14	26'61	48'75
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	458,810	3,15,858 0 0	1,640,918 0	2,46,907 0 0	25,059 0 0	5,81,834 0 0	104,015	127,790	231,805

FINANCIAL YEAR.—Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 13TH FEBRUARY 1909			RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 15TH FEBRUARY 1908.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1908 TO 13TH FEBRUARY 1909.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1907 TO 15TH FEBRUARY 1908.			Total increase in 1909	Total decrease in 1908
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			Rs.
771	94,500	122'81	771	1,00,583	130'72	771	40,08,115	...	771	43,32,323	...	.....	1,64,208

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

					Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the period ending 20th February 1909	{	Coaching	...	5,626	0	0	15,663	0	0	
		Goods	...	9,988	0	0				
		Other earnings	...	49	0	0				
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1908	{	Coaching	...	6,241	0	0	13,686	0	0	
		Goods	...	7,399	0	0				
		Other earnings	...	46	0	0				
					Increase	...	1,977	0	0	
Receipts per mile for the period ending 20th February 1909	...	...	...	...	...	...	307	1	11
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908	...	...	...	...	...	...	268	5	8
					Increase	...	38	12	3	
Receipts from 1st January to 20th February 1909	1,03,099	0	0	
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908	94,304	0	0	
					Increase	...	8,795	0	0	



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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 1887A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—No. 1735A.—The 3rd March 1909.—Maulvi Bazl-ul-Karim, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Barrackpore, 24-Parganas, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district.

No. 1751A.—The 3rd March 1909.—Mr. H. D. deM. Carey, I.C.S., on furlough, is appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the first grade, with effect from the 31st December 1908.

No. 1811A.—The 8th March 1909.—Babu Pulin Bihari Aikat, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Musaffarpur district.

No. 1825A.—The 8th March 1909.—Mr. E. B. H. Panton, Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas and Hooghly, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. O. P. Beachcroft, or until

further orders.

No. 1827 A.—The 8th March 1909.—Mr. A. Goodeve, District and Sessions Judge, Burdwan, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas.

No. 1860 A.—The 9th March 1909.—Mr. J. C. K. Peterson, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, as District and Sessions Judge, Burdwan, *vice* Mr. A. Goodeve.

No. 1862 A.—The 9th March 1909.—Babu Nritya Lal Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Howrah district.

No. 1865 A.—The 9th March 1909.—Babu Gyanendra Chandra Brahma, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Puri district.

No. 1869 A.—The 9th March 1909.—Babu Radha Prasad Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Muzaffarpur, is transferred to the Sitamarhi subdivision of that district.

No. 1871 A.—The 9th March 1909.—Maulvi Saiyid Hasan Mirza, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Saran district.

VOLUNTEERS.—No. 1804 A.—The 8th March 1909.—Lieutenant H. M. Davidson, 36th Jacob's Horse, is appointed to act as Adjutant of the Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles, with effect from the 15th February 1909, during the absence, on leave, of Major C. H. Alexander, or until further orders.

POLICE.—No. 1788 A.—The 5th March 1909.—Mr. R. T. Dundas, Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Burdwan Range, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Inspector-General of Police, Bengal, *vice* Mr. L. F. Morshead.

EDUCATION.—No. 1814 A.—The 8th March 1909.—Miss Jessie Parsons, B.A., L.T., is appointed to be a member of the Indian Educational Service, and to be Principal of the Training College for women teachers at Bankipore, with effect from the 19th February 1909.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 1753 A.—The 3rd March 1909.—The following confirmations and appointment are sanctioned in the Indian Civil Service, with effect from the 31st December 1908 :—

Confirmed in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. J. A. Ezechiel, *vice* Mr. H. D. deM. Carey.

Confirmed in the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. A. Garrett, *vice* Mr. J. A. Ezechiel, but to continue to act in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors until further orders.

Appointed substantively pro tempore to the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. W. A. Marr, *vice* Mr. A. Garrett.

No. 1874 A.—The 9th March 1909.—The following appointments, promotions and confirmations are sanctioned in the grades of District and Sessions Judges :—

Appointed to act in the first grade.

Mr. W. H. H. Vincent, from the 5th November 1908 to the 8th November 1908, *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Carnduff, C.I.E., on deputation.

Promoted substantively pro tempore to the first grade.

Mr. W. H. H. Vincent from the 9th November 1908 to the 16th December 1908, *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Carnduff, C.I.E., appointed to act as a Judge of the High Court.

Promoted substantively to the first grade.

Mr. W. H. H. Vincent, with effect from the 17th December 1908, *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Carnduff, C.I.E., appointed to be a Judge of the High Court.

Promoted substantively pro tempore to the second grade.

Rai Jogendra Nath Ghosh Bahadur, from the 9th November 1908 to the 16th December 1908, *vice* Mr. W. H. H. Vincent.

Promoted substantively to the second grade.

Rai Jogendra Nath Ghosh Bahadur, with effect from the 17th December 1908, *vice* Mr. W. H. H. Vincent.

Appointed to act in the second grade.

Mr. W. N. Delevingne, from the 5th November 1908 to the 8th November 1908, *vice* Mr. W. H. H. Vincent, and again from the 9th November 1908 to the 21st December 1908, *vice* Rai Jogendra Nath Ghosh Bahadur.

Mr. Shashi Bhushan Chaudhuri, with effect from the 22nd December 1908, *vice* Rai Jogendra Nath Ghosh Bahadur.

Confirmed in the second grade.

Mr. W. N. Delevingne, with effect from the 22nd December 1908, *vice* Mr. Kedar Nath Ray, retired.

Confirmed in the third grade.

Mr. H. P. Duval, with effect from the 17th December 1908, *vice* Rai Jogendra Nath Ghosh Bahadur.

Appointed substantively pro tempore to the third grade.

Mr. Satyendra Chandra Mallik, with effect from the 9th November 1908.

„ S. S. Skinner, with effect from the 18th November 1908.

„ A. W. Cook, from the 1st December 1908 to the 22nd December 1908.

„ F. W. Ward, from the 21st December 1908 to the 31st January 1909.

„ A. W. Watson, from the 23rd December 1908 to the 30th January 1909.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—No. 1824A.—The 8th March 1909.—Mr. C. P. Beachcroft, Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas and Hooghly, is allowed combined leave from the 24th March 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, to the 29th October 1910, viz., privilege leave under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (b) of the Regulations.

No. 1830A.—The 8th March 1909.—Babu Hari Pada Bhattacharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khulna, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 17th March 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

VOLUNTEERS.—No. 1809A.—The 8th March 1909.—Lieutenant John Graves, Calcutta Light Horse, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for one year, with effect from the 1st March 1909.

No. 1832A.—The 8th March 1909.—Captain Alfred Arrikiel Agabeg, Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for ten months, with effect from the 1st March 1909.

No. 1833A.—The 8th March 1909.—Lieutenant Harley Cyril Vasey, Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for nine months, with effect from the 1st March 1909.

POLICE.—No. 1787A.—The 5th March 1909.—Mr. L. F. Morshhead, Officiating Inspector-General of Police, Bengal, is allowed combined leave for seven months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months with effect from the 18th March 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (b) of the Regulations.

ECCLIASTICAL.—No. 1757A.—The 4th March 1909.—The Rev. W. H. Drawbridge, a Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, is allowed combined leave for one year, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 593 of Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th March 1909, or on any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period under article 583 (a) of the Regulations.

RESIGNATION.

VOLUNTEERS.—No. 1741A.—The 3rd March 1909.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accept the resignation of his commission tendered by Captain John William Galbraith of the Volunteer Reserves attached to the St. Michael's School Cadet Corps, with effect from the 30th January 1909.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 3rd March 1909 :—

No. 730A.—The 1st March 1909.—Babu Jagan Mohan Sarkar, Additional Subordinate Judge of Pabna and Bogra, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd March 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 765A.—The 2nd March 1909.—The services of Babu Amrita Lal Mukharji, Munsif of Sandip, in the district of Noakhali, on leave, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1158.—The 2nd March 1909.—In lines 4 and 8 of the Declaration No. 478L.A., dated the 25th January 1909, published at page 110, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 3rd February 1909, for "new Seal's Lane" read "Seal's Lane."

Howrah.

No. 1159L.R.—The 4th March 1909.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of all lands comprised within the external boundaries of the undermentioned estates, in pargana Fatehsing, in thana Bharatpur, district Murshidabad, and that the boundaries of estates, tenures, mauzas and fields be demarcated on the lands so to be surveyed.

Murshidabad.

Name of estates			Tauzi No.
1.	Kismat Benodia	...	2698
2.	" Talibpur	...	2013
3.	" "	...	1984
4.	" Bharatpur	...	2068

No. 1210L.R.—The 8th March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (vii) of section 264 of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rules as to appeals from orders made by Revenue officers under section 61 of that Act :—

1. Appeals from orders of Revenue officers under section 61, sub-section (3), shall lie—
 - (a) if the Revenue officer is an Assistant Settlement Officer—to the Settlement Officer to whom the Assistant Settlement Officer is subordinate, and
 - (b) if the Revenue officer is the Settlement Officer—to the Commissioner.
2. When any such appeal has been heard by the Settlement Officer, a second appeal shall lie to the Commissioner.
3. The decision of the Commissioner on any appeal preferred under these rules shall be final.
4. Every appeal referred to in these rules must be presented within 30 days from the date on which the order appealed against was signed.
5. The provisions of sections 220 to 223 shall, as far as they may be applicable, apply to such appeals.

No. 1211L.R.—The 8th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) and clauses (xxii) and (xxiv) of section 264 of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rules as to the commutation of rent payable by occupancy-raiyats in any of the ways mentioned in sub-section (1) of section 61 of that Act:—

1. An application under section 61 for commutation of rent payable by an occupancy-raiyat must contain the following particulars:—

- (i) (a) when a record-of-rights has been prepared, the plot numbers, local names, quality, boundaries and area of each of the parcels of land constituting the holding, as entered in the record-of-rights;
- (b) when a record-of-rights has not been prepared, a statement of the parcels of land constituting the holding, the local name and boundaries of each parcel, the different qualities in each parcel, and the number of plots and the area of each different quality in each parcel.

Illustration to clause (b).—Name of tenant ... Birsingh Munda.

			Acres.	Decim ls.
1st parcel of land ; Name—Pundidiri Loyung.	North—Sanre Munda	5 plots—Winter rice	3	13
	South—Sanichar Uraon	4 plots—Autumn rice	1	49
	East—Bakast Malik			
	West—Thepa Munda	9 plots—Early rice	2	36

Explanation to clause (b).—The area must be given in acres and decimals when these are known; otherwise, in the measures locally prevalent.

- (ii) the existing rent (including, if they are legally renderable, *rakumats* and *begari*), and the proposed inclusive money-rent;
 - (iii) the rates of money-rent payable by tenants for land of a similar description and with similar advantages in the vicinity; and
 - (iv) the names and addresses of the rent-receivers of the holding.
2. (1) The officer who inquires into the application shall give notice to the opposite party of the date fixed for the hearing of the application and the date fixed for the local inquiry (if any).
- (2) A local inquiry shall be held, unless the application refers to an area for which a record-of-rights is under preparation or has recently been prepared, and unless such record-of-rights shows the classification of the land in sufficient detail for the purpose of commutation proceedings.
- (3) Where no record-of-rights exists, the said officer may require the lands to be measured and classified by competent agency.
- (4) After making the local inquiry (if any), and taking such evidence as may be tendered by the parties or as may be necessary for the disposal of the application, the said officer may determine the sum to be paid as money-rent.
3. (1) When several applications from one village are being inquired into simultaneously, it shall not suffice merely to fix general rates; but the incidence of such rates on each holding must be separately considered, and the rates must be modified, if necessary, according to the particular circumstances of each holding.
- (2) The rent fixed for each holding must be explained by the officer to both landlord and tenant.

4. When a record-of-rights is being made, any number of tenants, occupying land under the same landlord, whose interest is recorded in the same *khewat* entry in the same village, may, with the consent of the said officer, make a joint application for commutation of produce-rents, or may, with the like consent, be joined as defendants in the same proceedings on a similar application by the landlord:

Provided that, if at any time it appears to the said officer that the question between any two of the parties, one of whom is so joined with others, cannot conveniently be jointly inquired into, he may order a separate inquiry to be held as to that question, or he may pass such order, for the joint or separate disposal of the application, as he may think fit.

F. W. DUKE,

Offy. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1160L.A.—The 4th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road joining Ratan Babu's Road with Rustamjee Pargana's Road, in the village of Cossipore, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 cottahs 14 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Ratan Babu's Road and the

public lane; on the *east* by the remaining land of Sarat Chandra and Barada Prosad Maitra, N. Maitra, Kali Das Maitra, Kanai Lal Pramanik, Kailash Nandi, Hari Pada Beet, Dwejendra Nath Ray Chaudhury and Janki Nath Ray; on the *south* by Rastumjee Parsee's Road and the public lane, and on the *west* by the remaining lands of Dwejendra Nath Ray Chaudhury, Chandra Mohan Chatterjee, Braja Gopal Set, Hriday Kisore Nandi and Giridhar Nandi, is required within the aforesaid village of Cossipore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Commissioners of Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1161 L.A.—The 4th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for remodelling Station Yard at Jagati, in the villages of Jagati and Chinchooa, pargana Mahamudshye, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 39 bighas 1 cottah 3 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows, are required within the aforesaid villages of Jagati and Chinchooa:—

PLOT NO. I.

On the north by the remaining portion of land belonging to Tarini Sen; on the east and south by the Eastern Bengal State Railway's land; and on the west by the land belonging to Tarini Sen.

PLOT NO. II.

On the north and east by the Eastern Bengal State Railway's land; on the south by the land belonging to Fakir Mahajan, Poolin Biswas, Meher Mistry, Madhob Pal, Provash Chandra Mitter, Madhu Mistry, Nabin Sardar, Hazari Paramanick, Sadu Mondle, Panchoo Shekh; and on the west by the land belonging to Kunja Behari Sen.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Rajbari District, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1171 L.A.—The 6th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of an Inspection Bungalow in the village of Mundher, tahsil Sambalpur, zilla Sambalpur, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring 3 62 acres, bounded on the—

North, East and South—By Narain Bhoo's land No. 221, and
West—By the Redakhole road,

is required within the aforesaid village.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Sambalpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1172 L.A.—The 6th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Puri Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the road to the south of Jagannath Temple, in the village of Balisahi, town Puri, zilla Puri, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0.020 acre, bounded on the—

North—By the Jagannath Temple,

South—By the Municipal road;

East—Ditto ditto,

West—By the Southern gate of the Jagannath Temple,

is required within the aforesaid village of Balisahi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Puri.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1199 L.A.—The 5th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the Motihari Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the erection of a public latrine in the town of Motihari, mahala Khodanagar, pargana Majhawa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 1.6 acre, bounded—

On the North—By Jadoo Lal's bamboo clumps ;

On the South—By road ;

On the West—By Ram Chhattri Sahu's bamboo clumps, and

On the East—By Jadoo Lal's bamboo clumps ;

is required within the aforesaid town of Motihari, mahala Khodanagar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chairman of the Motihari Municipality.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1201 L.A.—The 8th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government, at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality, for a public purpose, viz., for a vaccine-station at the junction of Sukeas Street and Madan Mitter Lane, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, No. 35, Madan Mitter Lane in the town of Calcutta, district 24-Parganas, measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs 3 chitaks and 11 square feet are required. The boundaries of the land are as follows :—

North—Premises No. 35-1, Madan Mitter's Lane ;

South—Sukeas Street ;

East—Madan Mitter's Lane, and

West—the remaining portion of premises No. 36, Madan Mitter's Lane.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Corporation.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1209 L.A.—The 8th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the Motihari Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the erection of a public latrine in the town of Motihari, tola Banjaria, pargana Majhawa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, two pieces of land, measuring, more or less, 8 cottahs 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows :—

Boundaries of the Approach Road Land.

North—By Sadar road and drain.

South—

East— } By field of Sheonarain and Doma Mistri ;

West— }

Boundaries of the land required for Latrine.

North—By Sheonarain Chamar and Doma Mistri's field ;

South—By Nirsoo and Ramtahal Chamar's field ;

East—By Doma Mistri and Jhonjha's field ;

West—By Nirsoo, Jhonjha and Sheonarain's field.

are required within the aforesaid town of Motihari, tola Banjaria.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chairman of the Motihari Municipality.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1216 L.A.—The 9th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Burdwan Jail surroundings, in the village of Naricompa *alias* Mehedibagan, pargana Burdwan, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 13 cottaks and 11 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North and East—By the land of Raja Peary Mohan Mukharjee's Bungalow compound;

West—By the Jail land;

South—By the Jail,

is required within the aforesaid village of Naricompa *alias* Mehedibagan.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Burdwan.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the provisions of section 2 of Act VI of 1876, as amended by Act V of 1884, Babu Ramulal Varma, B.A., B.L., manager, Wards and Encumbered Estates, Circle A, Ranchi, is appointed to be the manager and the management is vested in him, of the under-mentioned immovable property of Babu Braja Kishore Singh Deo, in the district of Ranchi, and of any other immovable property to which the said holder is entitled in his own right, or which he is entitled to redeem, or which may be acquired by, or devolve on, him or his heirs during the continuance of such management.

Name of Estate

Name of Holder.

Baranda, comprising the following villages and lands:—

Babu Braja Kishore Singh Deo

Name of village.	Name of thana	Thana number.
1. Dulmi ...	Souahatu ..	13
2. Birgamdih ...	" ...	54
3. Baruhatu ..	" ...	60
4. Mahul ...	" ...	5
5. Somadiah ...	" ...	32
6. Birdibdih ...	" ...	34
7. Marohadiah ...	" ...	27
8. Marang ...	" ...	17
9. Mankidih ...	" ...	7
10. Pandadiah ...	" ...	11
11. Mahuldih ..	" ...	8
12. Nepra ...	" ...	12
13. Sandih (tola of chokahatu),	" ...	3 23
14. Jurunga ...	" ...	Thana numbers cannot be given, as these villages have not yet been surveyed and settled.
15. Oredaru ...	Silli ...	
16. Garihalma ...	" ...	
17. Sarudih ...	" ...	
18. Kuludih. ...	" ...	
19. Samnagar ...	" ...	
20. Pandrachuar ...	" ...	
21. Kujatoli ...	" ...	
22. Patches of lands in 31 villages	" ...	

H. J. MCINTOSH, Commissioner.

COMM'R.'S OFFICE, RANCHI, the 22nd February 1909.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1362.—The 3rd March 1909.—In modification of the notice given in paragraph 9 of Government Resolution No. 1028 T.G., dated 10th June 1907, that the first list of approved text-books prepared in accordance with the new syllabus for Lower Primary schools in Bengal would be published in July 1909, it is hereby notified that the 1st October 1909 has been finally fixed for the publication of the aforesaid list. Intending authors are accordingly invited to submit their books for examination and approval not later than the 10th June 1909.

No. 1380.—The 4th March 1909.—The following is published for general information :—

No. 2831—42.

Extract (paragraphs 1 and 2) from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Home Department (Public), under date Calcutta, the 8th December 1899.

RESOLUTION.

THE Secretary of State for India has brought to the notice of the Government of India that it not infrequently happens that natives of India, students or others, who have proceeded to England, desire to obtain passports to enable them to travel to foreign countries in which the possession of a passport is necessary or desirable, and that difficulty often arises from want of evidence to show that the applicant is a British subject, and therefore entitled to a passport. Appeals for assistance are also frequently addressed to His Lordship by destitute Indians who desire to return to their country and by students who, owing to embarrassed circumstances, are unable to complete their course of education.

2. In order to enable the Secretary of State to deal with such cases satisfactorily, the Governor-General in Council has decided that it is necessary to press upon Indian students and others visiting England the desirability of providing themselves, before their departure from India, with an authoritative certificate of identity, in the form appended to this Resolution, signed by the head of the district (in a Presidency town, the Commissioner of Police) in the case of residents of British India and by the Political Officer in that of residents of Native States. For a student the certificate should be signed by the head of his last school or college and countersigned by the District Officer (in a Presidency town, the Commissioner of Police) or Political Officer, as the case may be,

FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF IDENTITY.

1. Name of applicant_____
2. Father's name and caste_____
3. Residence_____
4. Age of applicant_____
5. Nationality* of applicant_____
6. Social and pecuniary status of father (or guardian)_____
7. Date of probable departure of applicant from India_____
8. Object of applicant's visit to England (Europe)_____

*Signature of District Officer (in a Presidency Town, the
Commissioner of Police), or Political Officer, or
Head of School or College.†*

*Dated*_____

* *i.e.*, whether a British subject by birth or by naturalization (or a subject of a Native State)
† Countersignature of the District or Political Officer should be obtained on certificates signed by Heads of Schools or Colleges.

No. 1001.—The 9th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890 (VI of 1890), and upon the application of Nawab Syed Mohummud Mahdi Hasun Khan, *alias* Nawab Syed Badshah Nawab, of Patna City, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order—

- (1) that the immoveable properties described in the first schedule hereto annexed, together with all rents due or in arrear in respect of the same on the sixth day of January, 1909 (except any rent in respect of which the said Nawab Syed Badshah Nawab has obtained a decree prior to the said day,) shall vest in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal, to be held by him and his successors subject to the provisions of the said Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, and the rules from time to time framed thereunder by the Governor-General in Council; upon trust to apply the said properties and the income thereof to the maintenance of a permanent endowment, to be called the "Badshah Nawab Endowment for Female Education in Bihar," in accordance with the provisions in that behalf contained in the scheme set forth in the second schedule hereto annexed; and
- (2) that the said scheme shall come into operation on the publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

J. G. CUMMING.
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The First Schedule

SCHEDULE

Serial No.	Tausi No.	Name of mauza.	Paigana.	District.	Government revenue (jama sadar).	Proprietary shares and shares held on lease in perpetuity.		
						Milkiat.	Mokurri.	Total.
1	3600	Mobarakpore Nawadah ...	Manjhee ...	Saran ...	Rs. A P. 352 8 10	1a. 8p. ...	1p. 1k. ...	1a. 9p. 1k. ...
2	2740	Bishunpore lat mahal Kam-pore Jaiti.	Gos ...	Do. ...	1,315 13 0	10p. ...	8k. 5m. ...	10p. 5k. 5m. ...
3	1788	Sara Mohammad ...	Poorub Bhee-vo.	Darbhanga ...	18 1 7	4a. ...	.....	4a. ...
4	3331	Haweli Darbhanga, Julkar, Bankur, Kherajst, Kaziast, Nezanast.	Haweli Dar-bhanga.	Ditto ...	858 3 5	13g. 1c. 1k. ...	.....	13g. 1c. 1k. ...
5	14891	Murhampore ...	Bherwara ...	Ditto ...	383 11 4	12a. 10g. ...	3g. 1½k. ...	12a. 3g. 1½k. ...
6	402	Syed Abdullapore ...	Balaguch ...	Ditto ...	3,244 9 3	1a. ...	.....	1a. ...
7	301	Nisf Taluka Dhamawn ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	780 12 10	4a. ...	.....	4a. ...
8	307	Matiaur ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1,737 5 3	.....	.....	.....
					S. A. I.—57 5 10	10g. 1c. 2k. 2d. 14r. 1p.	.....	.....
					S. A. V.—70 11 2	2g. 0c. 0k. 2d. 7r. 3p.	.....	15g. 2c. 2k. 0d. 4r. 5p.
					S. A. XXX.—4 4 4	2g. 0c. 0k. 2d. 7r. 3p.	.....	3½k.
		Ditto village Yusuffpore Monair.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Vide above	1g. 0c. 0k. 1d. 15r. 12p.	.....	.....
	14369	Dharampore Dakhii ...	Saraisa ...	Ditto ...	23 6 4	16a. ...	.....	16a. ...
	4578	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	8 11 2	.....	3a. ...	3a. ...
1	2330	Mauza Bairin, dakhli taluqa Bhitowli, Aurudh wo Mohidinagar Mutalka Bhitowli Aurudh.	Bisara ...	Muzaffarpur	337 5 9	1a. 8g. 1c. 1k. in three dakhli villages.	8g. 3c. 1kr. 1d. 10r. ...	1a. 17g. 0c. 2kr. 1d. 10r.
12	17001	Poonurwala ...	Murwah Khure.	Ditto ...	55 2 3	16a. ...	.....	16a. ...
13	4193	Bahadarpore ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	2 15 1	16a. ...	.....	16a. ...
14	4194	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	11 12 0	.....	1p. 1kr. old share ...	1p. 1k. old share ...
15	4195	Chuk Ghast ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1 4 0	16a. ...	.....	16a. ...
16	4186	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	5 4 0	.....	1p. 1k. old share ...	1p. 1k. old share ...
17	4426	Pateasa Jalab ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	7 5 6	1a. 13g. 1c. 2d. ...	1g. 2c. 1k. 2d. 6r. 15p.	1a. 14g. 3c. 2kr. 1d. 6r. 15p.
18	31155	Jagunnathpore ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1 6 0	16a. ...	.....	16a. ...
19	31156	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	.....	5k. 5m. old share ...	.....	5k. 5m. old share ...
20	30463	Kampore Jaipal ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1 8 3	16a. ...	.....	16a. ...
21	4323	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	12 0 10	.....	7p. 17k. 10m. ...	7p. 17k. 10m. ...
22	3541	Raghunathpore ...	Bisara ...	Ditto ...	2,145 4 3	2a. 1g. 1c. 1kr. ...	2g. 0c. 1k. 1d. 5r. 15p.	2a. 3g. 1c. 2k. 1d. 5r. 15p.
23	3486	Asadpore Sadpura ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	33 4 3	1a. 5g. ...	1g. 1c. 0k. 2d. 5r. ...	1a. 6g. 1c. 0k. 2d. 5r.
24	30615	Chuk Yakook Talooka Pan-then Har-tons.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	73 5 6	1a. 13g. 1c. 0k. 2d. ...	1g. 2c. 2k. 0d. 1r. 14p.	1a. 13g. 3c. 2k. 2d. 1r. 14p.
		Ranipore	Do. ...	Ditto ...		1a. 13g. 1c. 0k. 2d. ...	1g. 2c. 2k. 0d. 1r. 14p.	1a. 13g. 3c. 2k. 2d. 1r. 14p.
25	4441	Saleem Chuk ...	Murwah Khurd.	Ditto ...	1 4 2	1a. 10g. ...	.....	1a. 10g. ...
26	31740	Chupra Hussunpore ...	Tirani ...	Ditto ...	115 2 0	16a. ...	.....	16a. ...
27	31763	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	45 4 5	.....	1a. 11p. 5k. ...	1a. 11p. 5k. ...
28	11145	Saranyaganj Krasi, 4 bighas 7 cottahs.	Bisara ...	Ditto ...	13 5 6	.....	Mokurri and dar Mokurri— 1a. 6p. 1k. ...	1a. 6p. 1k. ...
29	11146	Ditto 4 bighas 6 cottahs	Do. ...	Ditto ...	10 13 6	.....	Mokurri and dar Mokurri— 1a. 6p. 1k. ...	1a. 6p. 1k. ...
30	1356	Kusha deoria motalka, Taluka, Badonaj.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	17,594 1 5	3p. 18k. ...	3k. 18m. 15d. ...	3p. 18k. 18m. 15d. ...

above referred to.

I.

Gross annual rental in respect of the shares referred to in the preceding column.				Deduction on account of Government revenue and road cess, &c.				Net income.	Remarks as to the rent payable to superior landlords.	REMARKS.
Rental.	Road cess.	Salami and revenue remuneration mentioned in the terms of lease.	Total.	Government revenue.	Road cess.	Embankment cess.	Total.			
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
132 0 0	.....	.....	132 0 0	{ 35 9 5 9 12 0	{ 9 11 7 1 5 3	{ 0 12 8 0 2 10	{ 61 5 9	70 10 3	Syed Badshah Nawab Rasvi has guaranteed in his petition to the Lieutenant-Governor that the rent on account of mukarriri tenures payable to superior landlords will be paid not by Government, but by himself and his heirs after his death.	This was leased to Bahu Gobardhan Das, Gomash-ta, Kothi Chakra, for a period commencing from 1306 to 1310 F., and is still in his management. No fresh deed has been executed.
50 0 0	.....	0 8 0	50 8 0	{ 4 8 5 26 0 0	{ 0 7 6	{	{ 40 15 11	9 8 1	.....	This is a mauza under direct management.
505 0 0	.....	5 0 0	510 0 0	{ 334 15 4 2 7 6	{ 34 9 2 14 0 6	{ 0 0 9	{ 369 8 6	140 7 6	Vide remarks against serial No. 1 above.	Ditto.
1,350 0 0	.....	.....	1,350 0 0	{ 195 3 3	{ 307 7 9	{ 2 3 3	{ 521 7 0	528 9 0	.....	Ditto.
100 0 0	13 9 4	2 0 0	115 9 4	{ I.—17 8 6 V.—5 11 3 XXX.—3 13 6	{ 6 0 0 2 2 0 1 5 0	{	{ 36 8 3	79 1 1	.....	Leased to Abdul Karim Khan alias Mian Khan from 1315 F. to 1321 F.S.
180 0 0	.....	2 0 0	182 0 0	{ 22 6 4 1 9 10	{ 11 0 0 0 9 0	{ 1 2 0	{ 36 11 2	145 4 10	Vide remarks against serial No. 1 above.	Leased to Ram Luchun Rai and Mirat Misra from 1313 to 1318 F.S.
				{ 30 7 11	{ 6 1 0	{ 0 4 6	{ .....	.....	Ditto.	
				{ 55 2 3 2 15 1	{ 10 1 2 3 14 5	{ ..... .....	{ .....	.....	.....	Leased to Dirgopal Singh and Sangeewar Singh for a period from 1311 F.S. to 1317 F.S.
				{ 0 2 6 1 4 0 0 1 3	{ 0 2 10 8 5 3 0 6 9	{ ..... ..... .....	{ .....	.....	Vide remarks against serial No. 1 above.	
480 0 0	.....	14 0 0	494 0 0	{ 2 3 1 1 6 0 0 12 1 8 3 0 1 3 6 4 5 2 2 8 11 13 7	{ 0 9 11 0 8 3 0 0 6 0 13 0 0 0 6 2 10 9 1 7 0 4 7 2	{ 0 15 0 1 0 5 0 0 10 3 8 0 0 3 0 0 5 5 0 4 3	{ 160 15 4	333 0 8	Ditto.	
9 8 0	.....	.....	9 8 0	{ 0 1 11	{ 0 5 0	{	{ 0 6 11	9 1 1	.....	This is a mauza under direct management.
900 0 0	.....	.....	900 0 0	{ 115 2 0 6 10 8	{ 55 15 0 2 8 0	{	{ 179 3 6	720 12 6	Vide remarks against serial No. 1 above.	Ditto.
25 0 0	.....	.....	25 0 0	{ 1 3 4 1 0 3	{	{	{ 2 3 7	22 12 5	Ditto	Ditto.
171 4 3	5 1 9	.....	176 6 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	176 6 0	Ditto	This mauza was leased to the Manager of Doria Indigo Factory from 1890, and is still under his management. No fresh path has been executed.

Serial No.	Tausi No.	Name of mauza.	Pargana.	District.	Government revenue (jama sadar).	Proprietary shares and shares held on lease in perpetuity.		
						Milkia.	Mokurri.	Total.
31	21633	Yusufpur Mir of Nanhoochak	Bisara	Muzaffarpur	Rs. A. P. 15 4 9	16a. ... ..	.....	16a.
32	111636	Ditto	Do.	Ditto	...	.....	3p.	3p.
33	10921	Radhanagar Moosabri	Do.	Ditto	20 11 7	16a. ... ..	.....	16a.
34	1286	Talka Badura; asli main dakhli wo Erasi Soondar Serai.	Do.	Ditto	17,504 1 8	3p. 15k.	3k. 18m. 15d.	3p. 15k. 18m. 15d.
35	20087	Bejli khas wo Akhtiarpor putta Bain.	Do.	Ditto	77 12 4	16a. ... ..	.....	16a.
36	20092	Ditto	Do.	Ditto	21 11 8	.....	3a.	3a.
37	21280	Dharanpore Hurkha Mansahi, asli main dakhli.	Murwah kalan	Ditto	629 0 10	16a. ... ..	.....	16a.
38	21283	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	185 0 5	.....	3a.	3a.
39	21749	Hussanpore Balundpore	Tiryan	Ditto	115 2 0	16a. ... ..	.....	16a.
40	21763	Ditto	Do.	Ditto	43 4 5	.....	1a. 11p. 5k.	1a. 11p. 5k.
41	8949	Paharpore, Hamidpur Lohmaka.	Do.	Ditto	.....	Old share— 1a. 10g. 2k. 1d. 10r. ... New share by Butwara— 2a. 19g. 1c. 1k. 11p. 11k. 3g. 2c. 1k. 0d. 15r. ...	Old share— 1g. 4c. 3k. 2d. 0r. 11p. 134k. New share— 3a. 2g. 3c. 2k. 0d. 15r. 11p. 11k. ...	Old share— 1a. 12g. 1c. 2k. 0d. 10r. 11p. 134k. New share— 1a. 9p. 1k.
42	21280	Ali Newra Majhowli dakhli mahal Dharanpore, Hurkha Mansahi.	Murwah kalan	Ditto	.....	1a. 8p.	1p. 1k.	1a. 9p. 1k.
43	1135	Nurha	Babra	Ditto	5 9 11 9	1a. 8p.	1p. 1k.	1a. 9p. 1k.
44	1136	Do.	Do.	Ditto	509 11 9	1a. 8p.	1p. 1k.	1a. 9p. 1k.
45	20790	Kohearsai	Do.	Ditto	.....	16a. ... ..	.....	16a.
46	20721	Ditto	Do.	Ditto	11 10 9	.....	3a.	3a.
47	21731	Shunkarpur Rendhi, Motalka Talooka Basidpur Dowlut.	Do.	Ditto	14 2 0	New share— 16a. Old share— 6g. 15c. 5d. 7r. 10p. ...	.....	New share— 16a. Old share— 6g. 15c. 5d. 7r. 10p. ...
48	921	Ditto	Do.	Ditto	.....	.....	Old share— 4k. 5m. 6d. 5b. ... New share— 16k.	Old share— 4k. 5m. 6d. 5b. ... New share— 16k.
49	240	Gawra	Tirsmath	Ditto	Lakhraj	1a. 19g. 2c. 1k. ... By Butwara Civil Court— 16a. ... ..	.....	1a. 19g. 2c. 1k. ... By Butwara Civil Court— 16a.
50	21280	Rampur Gangowli dakhli, mahal Dharanpore, Hurkha Mansahi.	Murwah kalan	Ditto	629 0 10	16a. ... ..	.....	16a.
51	21283	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	185 0 5	.....	3a.	3a.
52	583	Bhitgharwa	Mohsi	Motihari	60 5 4	1a. 8p.	1p. 1k.	1a. 9p. 1k.
53	20496	Wallipore Siruchia	Tiryan	Muzaffarpur	138 10 7	16a. ... ..	.....	16a.
54	20503	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	38 13 1	.....	2a. 17g. 3c.	2a. 17g. 3c.
55	992	Pakri	Babra	Ditto	29 12 11	2a. 3p. 10k.	1p. 9k. 1m. 5d.	2a. 4p. 10k. 1m. 5d.
56	4588	Billabluochi	Murwah kalan	Ditto	40 7 8	New share— 1a. 13g. 1c. 1k. ... Old share— 1a. 8p.	New share— 1a. 3c. 2k. 1d. 17r. 17r. 8p. ... Old share— 1p. 1k.	New share— 1a. 15g. 1c. 0k. 1d. 17r. 8p. ... Old share— 1a. 9p. 1k.
57	46	Kudwa	Mohsi	Motihari	260 10 8	1a. 8p.	1p. 1k.	1a. 9p. 1k.
58	1195	Pipra Karimdad	Do.	Ditto	131 9 7	1a. 9p. 1k. ... ..	.....	1a. 9p. 1k.
59	955	Bira Chupra	Bubra	Muzaffarpur	68 0 0	Old share— 1a. 8p.	Old share— 1p. 1k.	Old share— 1a. 9p. 1k.
60	12L	Zur mokurri Bakhtiarpor	Ghyaspore	Patna	.....	10dan. 12c. 10bar. ...	.....	10d. 12c. 10b.
61	175	Zur mokurri Aima ehk Buzurg, appertaining to Bakhtiarpor.	Ditto	Do.	2 7 0 0	1a. 8p. ... ..	.....	1a. 8p.

Gross annual rental in respect of the shares referred to in the preceding column.				Deduction on account of Government revenue and road cess, etc.				Net income.	Remarks as to the rent payable to superior landlords.	REMARKS.
Rental.	Road cess.	Salami and revenue remuneration mentioned in the terms of lease.	Total.	Government revenue.	Road cess.	Embankment cess.	Total.			
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
213 0 0	8 4 0	4 6 0	225 10 0	15 4 9	9 13 0	3 11 0	29 4 10	104 5 2	Vide remarks against serial No. 1 above.	Leased to the Proprietor of the Dandapore Indigo Factory from 1311 F.S. to 1317 F.S.
				0 12 6	0 8 0	0 3 0				
				20 11 7	5 7 0	2 14 0				
				361 12 4	140 2 6	47 15 0				
				77 12 4	11 0 0	15 4 0			Ditto	
				4 0 0	0 9 5	1 0 0				
3,069 7 5	51 1 0	.....	3,100 8 5	629 0 10	86 12 0	139 0 0	1,578 4 11	1,582 3 6	Ditto.	These manzars were leased to the Manager of the Kanti Indigo Factory and are still under his management.
				34 8 0	4 5 0	7 0 0				
				With Chupra Hossanpore serial Nos. 26 and 27.						
				Ditto.	Ditto.	Ditto.	.....	.....	Ditto.	
				9 7 3	10 0 3	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.	
833 5 0	.....	.....	833 5 0	With Dharanpore			.....	833 5 0	Ditto	Leased to Mr. Charles Richardson, Manager of the Bhickanpore Indigo Factory.
				55 15 0	36 4 3	.....	.....	.....	Ditto	Leased to Munshi Singh, Lall Behary Singh and Kameshar Singh from 1315 F.S. to 1321 F.S.
				53 15 0	36 4 3	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.	
				55 10 8	7 8 8	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.	
550 0 0	.....	15 8 0	545 8 0	.....	.....	.....	271 3 10	274 4 2	Ditto.	
				15 0 0	8 10 5	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.	
				.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.	
414 14 0	.....	11 4 0	426 2 0	.....	28 14 8	.....	28 14 8	397 3 4	.....	Leased to Sheikh Basharat Ali from 1310 F.S. to 1316 F.S.
360 0 0	.....	11 0 0	361 0 0	With Dharanpore Hukhar Manzahi			361 0 0	Vide remarks against serial No. 1 above.	Leased to Burhumdeo Singh, resident of Kam-pore, Gargowli, from 1313 F.S. to 1319 F.S.	
60 0	.....	1 0 0	60 0 0	7 7 1	4 2 11	.....	13 4 0	56 12 0	Ditto	Leased to Nakhed Saw from 1313 F.S. to 1317 F.S.
				138 10 7	14 0 0	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.	Leased to Mooshar Saw and Babu Lal Saw from 1311 to 1317 F.S.
				4 15 6	0 10 11	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.	
536 0	.....	14 12 0	539 12 0	5 15 5	3 13 3	.....	226 15 4	313 12 8	Ditto.	
				8 0 7	9 10 4	5 1 0	.....	.....	Ditto.	
				29 2 9	11 10 0	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.	
				14 8 7	2 10 0	.....	.....	.....	Ditto.	Leased to Shree Bakesh Pandey and Mathura Pandey of Beera Chupra from 1311 F.S. to 1317 F.S.
112 0 0	.....	5 0 0	117 0 0	3 6 7	0 1 8	.....	26 5 10	90 10 2	Ditto.	
61 4 0	1 14 0	.....	63 2 6	.....	3 8 6	.....	3 8 6	59 10 0	.....	This manza is leased in perpetuity.
33 12 0	.....	.....	32 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	32 12 0	Ditto.	

Serial No.	Tausi No.	Name of mauza.	Pargana.	District.	Government revenue (jama adar).	Proprietary shares and shares held on lease in perpetuity.		
						Milkist.	Mokurri.	Total.
63	548	Rasoolpore Bindhi Utkarabad.	Behar	Patna	R. A. P. 330 7 6	1a. 8p. ...	1p. 1k. ...	1a. 9p. 1k. ...
64	337	Chock Bokhumuddin	Ghyaspore	Do.	12 8 0	1a. 8p. ...	1p. 1k. ...	1a. 9p. 1k. ...
64	484	Indauli Khoord	Ditto	Do.	168 2 0	6p. 13k. 12d. 10bis.	7k. 6m. 16d. 17b.	7p. 7m. 2d. 7b.
						According to Collector's report, which is equal to 11d. 2c. 4b. 7ph. 10r.		
65	136	Bihary Bigha	Ditto	Do.	81 12 0	4a. ...	...	4a. ...
66	360	Manpore Baria	Azimabad	Do.	461 14 3	2a. ...	...	2a. ...
67	360	Gaiwal Khundha, appertaining to Manpore Baira Bira, 16 bigha, share 16 annas.	Ditto	Do.	...	4a. ...	...	4a. ...
68	516	Shehhopore urf Khamni Chuk.	Ditto	Do.	37 0 5	16a. ...	...	16a. ...
69	607	Ditto	Ditto	Do.	8 7 4	...	2a. ...	2a. ...
70	513	Jogepore	Ditto	Do.	10 15 7	16a. ...	...	16a. ...
71	506	Ditto	Ditto	Do.	7 8 8	...	2a. ...	2a. ...
72	306	Sangrampore	Ditto	Do.	329 0 8	1a. 8p. ...	1p. 1k. ...	1a. 9p. 1k. ...
73	159L	Santokh Chak	Ditto	Do.	...	2a. ...	...	2a. ...
74	365	Shahabuddinopore Pakowli, appertaining to Khodabekshpore.	Ditto	Do.	3,386 0 7	17d. 15c. 11b. 11ph.	...	17d. 15c. 11b. 11ph.
75	1158	Arab khas	Monair	Do.	107 0 0	4a. ...	...	4a. ...
76	376	Amahra Birbhuder	Do.	Do.	105 9 8	2a. ...	...	2a. ...
76 S.A.	2,3,4							
77	290	Addulpore Gondpore	Do.	Do.	336 1 9	17d. 12c.	18c. 7abun	18dan 6c. 7b. 10ph.
78	428	Akhowri Khundun	Telbara	Do.	320 10 0	1a. 8p. ...	1p. 1k. ...	1a. 9p. 1k. ...
79	37	Doomri	Azurabad	Do.	402 3 7	2a. ...	...	2a. ...
80	175 to 206	Arasi Burdo Janli Railway from Methapore to Sakhtepore.	Ghyaspore	Do.	...	4a. ...	...	4a. ...
81	207	Atma Kali urf Kalyanpore	Bhimpore	Do.	6 4 6	8a. ...	...	8a. ...
82	.....	Erasi Pagul Khana	Azimabad	Do.	.....	1a. 8p. ...	1p. 1k. ...	1a. 9p. 1k. ...
83	120	Brazi Kharaj jama Mohiuddinopore Kumhror.	Ditto	Do.	.....	1a. 8p. ...	1p. 1k. ...	1a. 9p. 1k. ...
84	123	Zakuryapore	Ditto	Do.	.....	2b. 6c. 7dh. 10dh.	.....	2b. 6c. 7dh. 10d.
85	227	Brazi kharaj jama Nirendurpore Kharawnian urf Pancha Pahari.	Ditto	Do.	.....	1b. 10dh.	.....	1b. 10dh.
		GRAND TOTAL	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Gross annual rental in respect of the shares referred to in the preceding column.				Deduction on account of Government revenue and road cess, &c.				Net income.	Remarks as to the rent payable to superior landlords.	REMARKS.
Rental.	Road cess.	Salami and revenue remuneration mentioned in the terms of lease.	Total.	Government revenue.	Road cess.	Embarkment cess.	Total.			
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
				38 5 0	18 7 0	.....			Vide remarks against serial No. 1 above. Ditto.	Leased to Nunhoon Mahto from 1310 to 1316 F.S.
				1 6 6	4 2 9	.....			
420 0 0	.....	12 8 0	432 8 0	5 8 2	3 8 0	.....	96 12 5	335 11 7	Ditto.	
				30 7 6	6 15 6	.....			
				58 0 0	16 4 3	.....			
							
307 8 0	.....	6 8 0	314 0 0	37 0 5	8 11 9	.....	135 3 11	178 12 1	Ditto.	These manors are under direct management.
				1 9 0	0 6 3	.....			
				10 15 9	2 4 6	.....			Ditto.	
							
71 10 0	.....	2 4 0	73 14 0	37 7 6	5 11 6	.....	43 3 0	30 11 0	Ditto	This manor is under direct management.
24 0 0	.....	1 0 0	25 0 0	1 10 0	.....	.....	1 10 0	23 6 0	.....	Ditto.
15 10 0	.....	.....	16 10 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	15 10 0	.....	Ditto.
75 0 0	.....	2 4 0	77 4 0	26 11 2	4 12 6	.....	31 7 8	45 13 4	.....	Ditto.
37 8 0	.....	0 8 0	38 0 0	15 4 0	4 6 0	.....	19 10 6	18 5 6	.....	Ditto.
69 0 0	.....	.....	69 0 0	18 7 7	5 8 0	.....	23 15 7	45 0 5	Vide remarks against serial No. 1 above. Ditto.	Ditto.
200 0 0	6 2 0	6 10 0	212 12 0	36 6 1	13 0 6	.....	49 6 7	163 5 5	.....	Ditto.
200 0 0	.....	0 10 0	206 10 0	57 15 0	14 3 6	.....	74 2 6	129 7 6	.....	Ditto.
250 0 0	.....	.....	250 0 0	.....	22 10 0	.....	22 10 0	227 6 0	.....	Ditto.
52 0 0	.....	1 0 0	53 0 0	3 2 3	2 5 6	.....	5 7 9	47 6 3	Vide remarks against serial No. 1 above. Ditto.	Ditto.
20 3 11	.....	.....	20 3 11	.....	.....	.....	.....	20 3 11	.....	Ditto.
55 0 0	.....	2 11 6	57 11 6	.....	1 6 0	.....	1 6 0	56 5 0		Leased to Bhoop Narain alias Kallay Prashad from 1313 to 1319 F.S.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,046 0 11		

The Second Schedule above referred to.

1. The endowment hereby created (hereinafter called the said endowment) shall be called the "Badshah Nawab Endowment for Female Education in Bihar."

2. The trustee to be appointed under section 5 (1) of the Charitable Endowments Act VI, 1890, to administer the property for the time being representing the said endowment shall be the Commissioner for the time being of the Patna Division or other the officer for the time being exercising the functions of such office (hereinafter referred to as "the said Commissioner").

3. The Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal (hereinafter referred to as "the said Treasurer") shall stand possessed of the properties of which the particulars are contained in the first schedule above written and any other property for the time being representing or forming part of the said endowment, other than securities for money (all of which said properties are hereinafter included in the expression "the said properties") upon trust (subject to any special order which he may receive from the Government of Bengal) to permit the said Commissioner to have the possession, management and control of the said properties and the application of the income thereof, as if the said properties had been vested in the said Commissioner. Should the said properties or any of them or any part thereof be sold or otherwise disposed of in accordance with the said Charitable Endowments Act, the said Treasurer shall pay the net income of any property that may be invested in securities for money in accordance with the said Act to the said Commissioner by whom the same shall be applied towards the same objects as are hereinafter specified in the case of the net income from the said properties. Provided always and it is hereby declared that the arrear rents vested in the said Treasurer by the above notification shall if and when recovered be treated as income arising from the immoveable properties specified in the preceding schedule and be applied by the said Commissioner in the manner and towards the objects hereinafter specified in respect of the income of the said properties and provided also that neither the said Treasurer or the said Commissioner shall be bound to take or continue any proceedings for the recovery of such arrear rents or any part thereof in the event of the said Commissioner being for any reason of opinion that it would not be for the benefit of the endowment to institute or continue proceedings for the recovery thereof.

4. The said Commissioner shall have full power to let the said properties, or any part thereof, from time to time, for such period, and on such terms and conditions, and to make any allowance to, or arrangements with, tenants, as he shall think fit, with liberty to accept surrenders of tenancies, and generally to do all acts and things necessary in connection with the management and development of the said properties as he in his discretion shall deem advisable and as if he were the absolute owner thereof, without being responsible for any loss or damage that may happen thereby, and, subject to any orders or rules of Government, with power to delegate either expressly or by implication, during such period or periods and upon such terms as he shall think fit, the exercise of all or any of the powers herein contained to any District Collector, Subdivisional Officer, Deputy Collector, or other officers in the service of Government, without being responsible for any loss occasioned thereby. The several powers hereinbefore contained may be exercised either in relation to any undivided shares of and in the said properties solely or in conjunction with the person or persons entitled to or having power in that behalf over the other undivided parts or shares of and in the said properties or in relation to the entirety of the said properties and so that in the latter case any rents, expenses, outgoings or other moneys may be apportioned in such manner as the said Commissioner shall think fit.

5. The said Commissioner shall out of the rents, income and profits of the said properties pay, or cause to be paid, all costs and expenses of and incidental to the collection of the same and the management of the said properties, the Government revenue, cesses, taxes and other outgoings payable in respect of the said properties, and any other costs and expenses duly incurred by him or the said treasurer in carrying out the trusts hereby declared, and any fees for the time being payable to Government under section 13 (b) of the Charitable Endowments Act, and shall apply the residue of such rents, income and profits as hereinafter mentioned.

6. The said Commissioner shall apply the said residue of the rents, income and profits of the said properties towards the advancement of female education in Bihar in manner hereinafter mentioned, or in such other way as the Local Government having territorial jurisdiction over Bihar (hereinafter called the "Local Government") shall in its discretion from time to time direct, subject to the condition that the name of the said Nawab Syed Muhammad Mahdi Hasun Khan, *alias* Syed Badshah Nawab, shall be sufficiently identified with such scheme as may from time to time be selected by the Local Government, and provided that no Christian Missionary shall at any time be permitted to be in any way concerned with any institution that may at any time be deriving any benefit under this endowment.

7. The said Commissioner shall, until the Local Government shall otherwise direct, apply the said residue of the rents, income and profits of the said properties in or towards meeting the expense of establishing, maintaining and carrying on a training college for women teachers to be named the "Badshah Nawab Training College for Women Teachers," and intended to be established at or in the neighbourhood of Bankipore and of any practising school or schools that may from time to time be attached to such training college, and in particular in establishing and maintaining scholarship of the total value of Rs. 50 per mensem to be awarded to Shiah female students attending the said training college and the said practising school or schools attached thereto, provided that should there at any time be any such practising school or schools as aforesaid, out of the said sum of Rs. 50 per mensem Rs. 30 per mensem shall be allotted to scholarships for Shiah female students at the said training college and Rs. 20 per mensem shall be allotted to scholarships for Shiah female students at the said practising school or schools.

8. The scholarships, respectively, shall (subject to what is hereinbefore contained) be awarded for such amounts at such intervals and as the result of such examinations and in such manner and shall be held and enjoyed for such period and upon and subject to such terms and conditions as shall from time to time be prescribed by regulations approved by the said Commissioner and made by a committee to be nominated by the said Commissioner for the purpose or in default of such regulations, then as the said Commissioner shall determine and any committee from time to time nominated as aforesaid may at any time, with the approval of the said Commissioner, revoke or alter any regulations made under this clause and with such approval as aforesaid make new regulations in place thereof.

9. Should the said monthly sum of Rs. 50 or any part thereof, at any time or times not be required for the purpose of the said scholarships, or any of them, for want of eligible students or any other reason, the same or the unrequired portion, as the case may be, shall be applied towards the cost of maintaining and carrying on the said training college, ^{and} _{or} the said practising school or schools or for the purposes of any other scheme for the advancement of female education in Bihar that may at any time be substituted by the Local Government for the one hereinbefore specified.

10. Should the Local Government at any time direct that the net income of the said endowment shall be devoted to some institution for the advancement of female education in Bengal other than the Training College aforesaid, scholarship for Shiah female students attending such institution shall be maintained out of the said income to the extent and in the manner and according to the provisions hereinbefore specified or as near thereto as circumstances shall permit.

11. The said Commissioner shall be at liberty, if he so thinks fit, to take all such steps as may be necessary to have his name substituted in the place of that of the said Nawab. Syed Badshah Nawab in the Mutation Register and other records of any Collectorate in which the properties specified in the preceding schedule, or any part thereof are or is situated

12. The said Commissioner shall, in books to be kept by him regularly, enter, or cause to be entered, full and true accounts of all moneys received and paid by him as such trustee and shall submit, to such public servant, in such form and at such times as the Local Government may from time to time appoint and prescribe, an abstract of such accounts, and such returns in regard to any matters connected with the administration of the trust as the Local Government may require.

J. G. CUMMING,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 1424.—*The 8th March 1909.*—Babu Singheswar Prasad Singh, fifth grade Sub-Registrar, Bankipore, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Mokamah, in the district of Patna, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

J. G. CUMMING,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 188-O.—The 3rd March 1909.—Mr. A. Burt, Assistant Opium Agent, now performing the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Patna, is granted combined leave for one year, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 338 of the Regulations, with effect from the 15th March 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 198-O.—The 5th March 1909.—Babu Mahima Nath Bhattacharji, Assistant Bihar Agency. Opium Agent, is transferred from the Bihar to the Benares Benares „ Agency.

No. 201-O.—The 5th March 1909.—Mr. W. English, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Agency, is granted combined leave for nine months, viz., privilege leave for two months and twenty-six days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 336 of the Regulations, with effect from the 23rd February 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 207-O.—The 8th March 1909.—Mr. J. O. D. Murray, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Mainpuri, is granted, under article 316 of the Civil Service Regulations, special leave on urgent private affairs from the 1st to the 22nd April 1909, both days inclusive.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 525 Medl.—The 4th March 1909.—Honorary Lieutenant D. Waller, I.S.M.D., Medical Officer, Kanchrapara, Eastern Bengal State Railway, is allowed privilege leave combined with furlough for one year, viz., privilege leave for three months, under articles 233, 250, 260 and 606 of the Civil Service Regulations, and furlough for the remaining period under paragraph 435 (b) of the Army Regulations, India, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 561 Medl.—The 9th March 1909.—Honorary Captain M. E. Mungavin, I.S.M.D., Civil Surgeon, Singhbhum, is allowed combined leave for one year, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations and furlough for the remaining period, under articles 435 and 436 of the Army Regulations, India, with effect from the 15th April 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 570 Medl.—The 9th March 1909.—Under section II, Act XXXVI of 1858, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Rev. Mr. J. Ireland Hasler, Baptist Mission, Bankipore, to be a visitor of the Patna Lunatic Asylum, *vice* the Rev. Mr. G. J. Danu, on leave.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1888A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 1643A.—The 1st March 1909.—Babu Amrita Lal Mukharji, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Magura, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1839, within the local limits of the Magura Munsifi.

No. 1848 A.—The 9th March 1909.—Babu Kunja Bihari Biswas, Munsif of Madhipura, Bhagalpur. in the district of Bhagalpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Birbhum, to be ordinarily stationed at Dubrajpur, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Dubrajpur Munsifi.

No. 1850 A.—The 9th March 1909.—Babu Paresh Chandra Banarji, Munsif of Dubrajpur, in the district of Birbhum, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Bhagalpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Madhipura, but for the present to be on deputation to Monghyr, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Monghyr Munsifi. He is also vested with powers, under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the district of Monghyr.

LEAVE.

No. 1852 A.—The 2nd March 1909.—Babu Ashutosh Mukharji, Munsif of Diamond Harbour, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for 24-Parganas. two days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 21st December 1908.

POWERS.

No. 1792 A.—The 5th March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Babu Gyanada Prasad Ghose, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Patna, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

No. 1839 A.—The 8th March 1909.—Babu Gyanendra Nath Mukharji, Munsif, Hooghly. Hooghly, is vested with powers under section 19, sub-section (2) of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the district of Hooghly.

No. 1846 A.—The 9th March 1909.—Maulvi Abdul Jubbar, Munsif of Darbhanga, is vested with powers, under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the district of Darbhanga.

No. 1852 A.—The 9th March 1909.—Babu Rohini Kanta Mitra, Additional Munsif of Bhagalpur. Madhipura and Begusarai, in the district of Bhagalpur, now on deputation to Madhipura, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Madhipura Munsifi.

No. 1867 A.—The 9th March 1909.—Babu Sudam Charan Naik, Deputy Magistrate, Puri. Puri, is vested with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and also with the powers to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code.

F. W. DUKK,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1129 J.—The 4th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Babu Ganga Charan Pal to be a Magistrate for a period of three years from the

date of this Notification and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Jajpur Independent Bench, in the district of Cuttack. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class and authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Jajpur subdivision of that district and is also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

RESIGNATIONS

No. 1131J.—The 4th March 1909.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. J. F. Morris of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Jamalpur Independent Bench, in the district of Monghyr.

No. 1133J.—The 4th March 1909.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Mahim Chandra Ghosh of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Madhupur Independent Bench, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas.

J. G. CUMMING,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1234P.—The 4th March 1909.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Munshi Moktader Rahman Khan, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. IX—Nagoreghata in thana Magura, in the district of Khulna, *vice* Munshi Abdu Sattar Khan, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Munshi Moktader Rahman Khan for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 1265P.—The 8th March 1909.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Jamini Kanta Banarji, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. 1—Champapukur in thana Basihat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Babu Nani Gopal Mukharji, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Jamini Kanta Banarji for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 1266P.—The 8th March 1909.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Hara Gobinda Mandal, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. V—Hasnabad, in thana Hasnabad, in the district of the 24-Parganas, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Hara Gobinda Mandal for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 1273P.—The 8th March 1909.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Shiva Narayan Ghoshal, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. II—Nabagram of the Saktipore outpost in the district of Murshidabad, *vice* Munshi Eshan Shaikh, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Shiva Narayan Ghoshal for the period, not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of Panchayat.

No. 1302P.—The 8th March 1909.—It is hereby notified that the proclamation No. 4643P, dated the 22nd December 1908, published at page 2069 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, regarding the quartering of an additional police force in diara 935 Shazadpur and the villages of Kasimchak, Panapur and Chakdalip, within the jurisdiction of the Dinapore police-station, in the district of Patna, will take effect from the 1st February 1909, the date on which the additional force was entertained.

No. 1309P.—The 9th March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause 1 (s) of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following amendment in Notification No. 2355J.D., dated the 24th June 1905, which was published at pages 1162 and 1163 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th idem, namely:—
In the first column of the said Notification, for “Santragachi” substitute “Jagacha.”

No. 1312P.—The 9th March 1909.—It is hereby notified that the Proclamation No. 1029P., dated the 22nd February 1909, published at page 259 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, regarding the quartering of an additional police force in the area therein specified, in the district of the 24-Parganas, will take effect from the 22nd February 1909, the date on which the additional police force was entertained.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 8th March 1909.

No. 35.—Mr. E. Arundel-Smith, Executive Engineer, Chota Nagpur Division, is granted privilege leave for three months, combined with furlough for five months and ten days, under articles 260, 308 (b) and 233 (i) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th April 1909, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 36.—Mr. H. Wardle, Executive Engineer, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Third Calcutta to the Chota Nagpur Division, *vice* Mr. E. Arundel-Smith, granted leave, or until further orders.

A. S. THOMSON,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 9th March 1909.

No. 37.—Mr. H. A. Joscelyno, Assistant Engineer, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Eastern Sone to the Arrah Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 24th February 1909.

T. BUTLER,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 8th March 1909.

No. 14R.—With reference to clause 19 of this Department Notification No. 112, dated 26th March 1895, published at pages 280–293, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th March 1895, and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of Act III of 1883 (Bengal Tramways Act), this Government is pleased to sanction an increase in the speed of trains on the Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railway to 13 miles an hour by day and 10 miles an hour by night. The latter is subject to the condition that every engine carries between sunset and sunrise a large parabolic head-light similar to those at present in use.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 3rd March 1909.

No. 14 Marine.—Mr. E. P. Bryant, Senior Master Pilot, is granted privilege leave for three months, under article 676 (a) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 25th March 1909, or any subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 8th March 1909.

No. 15 Marine.—It is hereby notified that, under section 16 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, Mr. R. P. Ashton, of the firm of Messrs. Killburn & Co, has been elected by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to be a Commissioner of the Port of Calcutta, *vice* Dr. Dan Currie, resigned.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 8th March 1909.

No. 16 Marine.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 16 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, Mr. W. K. Dowling, of the firm of Messrs. Turner, Morrison & Co., has been elected by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to be a Commissioner of the Port of Calcutta, *vice* Mr. H. Bateson, resigned.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 1889A.

No. 1778A.—*The 4th March 1909.*—Babu Narendra Kumar Bose, Sub-Deputy Collector, Purnea, was employed in the Kishanganj subdivision of that district from the 19th October 1908 to the 10th December 1908, both days inclusive.

No. 1780A.—*The 5th March 1909.*—Babu Banshidhar Naik, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Sambalpur district.

No. 1834A.—*The 8th March 1909.*—Babu Nagendra Lal Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on medical certificate for three months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 3rd December 1908.

No. 1836A.—*The 8th March 1909.*—Babu Nagendra Lal Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Chota Nagpur Division.

No. 1854A.—The 9th March 1909.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Bankim Bihari Mitra, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Champaran, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

No. 1857A.—The 9th March 1909.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Maulvi Saiyid Khalil-ur-Rahman, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Bihar, Patna, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2695, dated Calcutta, the 4th March 1909.—Assistant Surgeon Babu Satish Chandra De attached to the Motihari Dispensary, Champaran district, is promoted to the 1st grade with effect from the 4th September 1908 and not from the 5th September 1908 as published in this Department Notification No. 608, dated Calcutta, the 19th January 1909.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,

Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Temple Medical School, Patna.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medl., dated 19th September 1907, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will be held at 10 A.M. on Wednesday, the 7th April 1909, at the Temple Medical School, Bankipore.

2. Every candidate must produce certificates of training, ago and previous education as required by Rules 9 and 11 of Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medl., dated 19th September 1907, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th September 1907, except in those cases provided for in Rule 10.

3. These certificates must comply with the conditions laid down in Rule 10 of the above resolution.

4. Male candidates must register their names and submit their certificates, together with a fee of Rs. 5, at least one week before the 7th April 1909, at the office of the undersigned.

Female candidates will be examined free of charge.

(Exception.—The students belonging to the Compounder class of a Vernacular Medical School will be exempted from paying this fee on producing a certificate from the Superintendent that they have already paid the school entrance fee.)

5. Should any candidate fail to pass the required examination, he will forfeit his fee.

6. No candidate for the Compounders' examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

B. C. OLDHAM, MAJOR, I.M.S.,

The 2nd March 1909.

Superintendent, Temple Medical School, Patna

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNGOVERNMENTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MAULVI HASHMAT HUSSAIN, who has been placed in charge of the Saran Treasury with effect from the 1st September 1908, is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

R. T. GREER, *Commissioner.*

TREASURY COMMRS.'S OFFICE, CAMP MADHUBANI, the 25th February 1909.

HIGH COURT NOTICE

THE following Rule amending the Rules as to the qualification, &c., of Pleaders and Mukhtars, reproduced in Chapter XI of the General Rules and Circular Orders, Civil, having been framed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in the exercise of the powers vested in it by section 6 of Act XVIII of 1879, is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT,

The 4th March 1909.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Registrar.

1. *Cancel* Rule 4, Chapter XI, pages 252, *et seq.*, of the High Court's General Rules and Circular Orders, Civil, and *substitute* therefor the following:—

The subjects mentioned in clause (b) of Rule 3 shall, until further order by the Court, be as follows. The citation of every Act or Regulation, included in the list below is to be understood to mean that Act or Regulation, with all amendments made in it up to the end of the calendar year immediately preceding that in which the examination is held.

Subjects.	Enactments and Text-books.
I. The Law of Property current in Bengal:—	
(a) The Law relating—	
to the Permanent Settlement of Revenue.	Regulation (Bengal) I of 1793—(Bengal Permanent Settlement).
to lands exempt from payment of Revenue.	Regulation (Bengal) VIII of 1793—(Bengal Decennial Settlement).
to sales for arrears of Revenue ..	Regulation (Bengal) XIX of 1793—(Non-badshahi Lakhiraj grants).
	Act XI of 1859—(Sales of land for arrears of Revenue).
(b) The Law relating to Under-tenures and the mode in which the same can be brought to sale for arrears of rent.	Regulation (Bengal) VIII of 1819—(Patni Taluqs).
	Act VIII (B.C.) of 1865—(Sale of Under-tenures).
	Act VIII of 1835—(Bengal Tenancy).
	[<i>Except in the case of—</i>
	(a) <i>Candidates to practise in Orissa, exclusive of Sambalpur, who will be required to pass in—</i>
	Act X of 1859—(Recovery of Rent).
	(b) <i>Candidates to practise in the Sambalpur district, who will be required to pass in—</i>
	The local laws of the Central Provinces as contained in the Central Provinces Code and the rules framed there under which have the force of law, with the exception of the Central Provinces Courts Act, II of 1904.
	(c) <i>Candidates to practise in the Assam Valley Districts who will be required to pass in—</i>
	Regulation I of 1886—(Assam Land and Revenue).
	and (d) <i>Candidates to practise in Chota Nagpur, who will be required to pass in—</i>
	Act II (B. C.) of 1869—(Chota Nagpur Tenures).]
	Act VI (B. C.) of 1908—(Chota Nagpur Tenancy).]
(c) The Law of Landlord and Tenant ...	Act VIII of 1885—(Bengal Tenancy).

Subjects.	Enactment and text-books.
1. The Law of Property current in Bengal — <i>condid.</i>	
(d) The Law relating to Transfer of Property and Registration of Assurances.	<p>[<i>Except as above</i>]</p> <p>Act IV of 1882—(Transfer of Property). Act III of 1877—(Indian Registration). Mayne's Hindu Law and Usage, Chapter XII, Religious and Charitable Endowments. Ameer Ali's Student's Hand-book of Mahomedan Law, Part III, Chapters I, II, IV, and V (Gifts, Waqfs, Pre-emption and Sale).</p>
(e) The Law of Succession, Probate, Administration, Majority and Guardianship.	<p>Act X of 1865 (Indian Succession), with the exception of Parts III, IV, V, XXX, XXXI and XXXV to XL. Act XXI of 1870—(Hindu Wills). Act V of 1881—(Probate and Administration). Act VII of 1889—(Succession Certificate). Act IX of 1875—(Indian Majority). Act VIII of 1890—(Guardians and Wards). Act IX (B. C.) of 1879—(Court of Wards, Parts I, II and III). Mayne's Hindu Law and Usage, Chapter X (Wills). Ameer Ali's Student's Hand-book of Mahomedan Law, Part III, Chapter III (Wills).</p>
II. The Hindu Law ...	<p>Dayabhaga and Mitakshara. Dattaka Chandrika. Mayne's Hindu Law and Usage. Jogendra Nath Bhattacharjee's Commentaries on Hindu Law, 2nd Edition, Part II.</p>
III. The Mahomedan Law ...	<p>Ameer Ali's Student's Hand-book of Mahomedan Law.</p>
IV. The Law of Contracts and Torts ...	<p>Act IX of 1872—(Indian Contract). Act I of 1877—(Specific Relief). Pollock's Law of Torts, Chapters 1 to 5, 7, 10 and 11.</p>
V. The Law of Insolvency ...	<p>Act III of 1907—(The Provincial Insolvency Act.)</p>
VI. Civil Procedure ...	<p>Act V of 1908—(Code of Civil Procedure). Act IX of 1887—(Provincial Small Cause Courts).</p>
VII. The Law of Evidence ...	<p>Act VI of 1888—(Debtors). Act I of 1872—(Indian Evidence).</p>
VIII. The Law relating to Stamps, Court-fees and Valuation of suits.	<p>Act II of 1899—(Stamps), omitting the Schedules. Act VII of 1870—(Court-fees), omitting the Schedules.</p>
IX. The Law of Limitation ...	<p>Act VII of 1887—(Suits Valuation). Act IX of 1908—(Limitation), omitting the Schedules, with the exception of Articles 3, 10 to 12, 35, 37, 44, 47, 59, 65, 75, 91, 95, 115, 116, 118 to 121, 125, 126, 132, 134, 141, 144, 147 to 149, 181 and 182 of the first Schedule.</p>
X. Criminal Law and Procedure ...	<p>Act XIV of 1860—(Indian Penal Code). Act V of 1898—(Code of Criminal Procedure).</p>
XI. The Law relating to the Constitution of Civil Courts, Legal Practitioners and the Interpretation of Acts.	<p>Act XII of 1887—(Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts). Act XVIII of 1879—(Legal Practitioners). Act X of 1897—(General Clauses). Act I (B. C.) of 1899—(Bengal General Clauses).</p>

2. In Rule 6, clause (c), in the same Chapter, page 264, *ibid*, in the last line of group (2) *cancel* the figure "VII" and *substitute* therefor, the figure "VIII."

Insert the words "The Law of Insolvency," in group (6) before the words "Civil Procedure."

In the penultimate line of group (6) at page 265, *cancel* the words and figures "Sections V, VI, VIII and X" and *substitute* therefor the words and figures "Sections V, VI, VII, IX and XI."

In the second line of group (7), *cancel* the figure "IX" and *substitute* therefor the figure "X."

3. *Cancel* Rule 9 in the same Chapter, pages 267 *et seq*, *ibid*, and *substitute* therefor the following:—

9. The subjects mentioned in clause (b) of Rule 7 shall, until further notice, be as follows. The citation of every Act or Regulation included in the list below is to be understood to mean that Act or Regulation, with all amendments made in it up to the end of the calendar year immediately preceding that in which the examination is held.

Subjects.	Enactments and Text-books.
I. The Law of Property current in Bengal—	
(a) The Law relating—	
to the Permanent Settlement of Revenue.	Regulation (Bengal) I of 1793—(Bengal Permanent Settlement).
to lands exempt from payment of Revenue.	Regulation (Bengal) VIII of 1793—(Bengal Decennial Settlement).
to sales for arrears of Revenue.	Regulation (Bengal) XIX of 1793—Non-badshahi Lakhiraj grants.
	Act XI of 1859—(Sales of land for arrears of Revenue).
(b) The Law relating to Under-tenures and the mode in which the same can be brought to sale for arrears of rent.	Regulation (Bengal) VIII of 1819—(Patn Taluqs).
	Act VIII (B. C.) of 1865—(Sale of Under-tenures).
	Act VIII of 1885—(Bengal Tenancy).
	[<i>Except in the case of—</i>
	(a) <i>Candidates to practise in Orissa, exclusive of Sumbulpur, who will be required to pass in—</i>
	Act X of 1859—Recovery of Rent).
	(b) <i>Candidates to practise in the Assam Valley Districts, who will be required to pass in—</i>
	Regulation I of 1886—(Assam Land and Revenue).
	And (c) <i>Candidates to practise in Ohota Nagpur, who will be required to pass in—</i>
	Act II (B. C.) of 1869—(Ohota Nagpur Tenures).
	Act VI (B. C.) of 1908—(Ohota Nagpur Tenancy)].
(c) The Law of Landlord and Tenant. ...	Act VIII of 1885—(Bengal Tenancy).
	[<i>Except as above</i>].
(d) The Law relating to Registration of Assurances.	Act III of 1877—(Indian Registration).
(e) The Law of Succession, Probate and Administration.	Act X of 1865—(Indian Succession), with the exception of Parts III, IV, V, XXX, XXXI, and XXXV to XL.
	Act XXI of 1870—(Hindu Wills).
	Act V of 1881—(Probate and Administration).
II. The Hindu Law ...	Gopal Chandra Sarkar's Hindu Law.
III. The Mahomedan Law ...	Ameer Ali's Student's Hand-book of Mahomedan Law.
IV. The Law of Contracts ...	Act IX of 1872—(Indian Contract).
	Act I of 1877—(Specific Relief).
V. The Law of Insolvency ...	Act III of 1907—The Provincial Insolvency Act.

Subjects.	Enactments and Text-books.
VI. Civil Procedure ...	Act V of 1908—(Code of Civil Procedure). Act VI of 1888—(Debtors).
VII. The Law of Evidence ...	Act I of 1872—(Indian Evidence).
VIII. The Law relating to Stamps and Court-fees.	Act II of 1899—(Stamps), omitting the Schedules. Act VII of 1870—(Court-fees), omitting the Schedules.
IX. The Law of Limitation ...	Act IX of 1908—(Limitation), omitting the Schedules, with the exception of Articles 3, 10 to 12, 35, 37, 44, 47, 59, 65, 75, 91, 95, 115, 116, 118 to 121, 125, 126, 132, 134, 141, 144, 147 to 149, 181 and 182 of the first Schedule.
X. Criminal Law and Procedure ...	Act XLV of 1860—(Indian Penal Code). Act V of 1893—(Code of Criminal Procedure).
XI. The Law relating to the Constitution of Civil Courts, and relating to Legal Practitioners.	Act XII of 1887—Bengal, North-Western Provinces, and Assam Civil Courts). Act XVIII of 1879—(Legal Practitioners).

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 1st March 1909.—Babu Sarat Chandra Datta, B.A., is confirmed in his probationary appointment as a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Midnapore, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 13th July 1908, but he will continue to act as Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction until further orders.

The 3rd March 1909.—Babu Satindra Nath Sarkar, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of 24-Parganas (class VIII), was allowed leave of absence, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month from 29th January 1909.

Babu Sures Chandra Sarkar, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Manbhum (class V), is allowed leave under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month from the 10th January 1909.

Babu Pramatha Nath Mukerji, Education Clerk, District Board's Office, Manbhum, is appointed to act, from 10th January 1909, as a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Manbhum and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service *vice* Babu Sures Chandra Sarkar, on leave.

Babu Biswajiban Bhattacharyya, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Bhagabanpur Circle, in the district of Midnapore (class VIII), was on leave for 27 days more, *viz.*, 9 days under article 260 and 18 days under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of that already granted to him under the orders of the 30th September 1908.

Babu Mahendra Nath Roy, Assistant Sub-Inspector of Schools, Midnapore (class III of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), acted as Sub-Inspector of Schools, Bhagabanpur Circle in the same district, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Biswajiban Bhattacharyya, on leave.

The 4th March 1909.—Babu Satya Narayan Pande, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Arrah Zilla School (class VIII), was on leave, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month in extension of the leave granted to him in this office orders of the 25th November 1908.

Babu Jit Bandhan Lal is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Darbhanga, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 28th January 1908.

Maulvi Syed Abu Muhammad, B.A., is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Champaran and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 17th January 1908.

Babu Surendra Nath Banerjee, Clerk, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong (class IV), was absent on leave, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 16th September 1908 to the 28th February 1909, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 21st October 1908.

Babu Joy Narayan Pradhan continued to act as Clerk of the Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong, on a salary of Rs. 50 a month in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Surendra Nath Banerjee.

The 5th March 1909.—In partial modification of the orders of the 15th January 1909, Babu Ramgoti Banerjee, B.A., is appointed to act as Head Clerk in the office of the Inspector of European Schools, Bengal, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service from 6th February 1909, *vice* Mr. T. A. Gregory, under suspension.

The 6th March 1909.—Babu Upendra Nath Banerji, Assistant Head Master, Uttarpara Government School, having returned to duty on the 1st December 1908, the unexpired portion of the combined leave for six months granted to him under the orders of the 8th September 1908 is cancelled. The privilege leave under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations for one month and 28 days granted under the orders referred to is accordingly commuted into leave under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Babu Sures Chandra Gupta, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack (class IV), is allowed leave under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months from 8th February 1909, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Babu Abinash Chandra Mallick, an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction, Bengal (class VI), is allowed leave under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and three days from the 4th March 1909, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

He is also permitted to affix the Easter holidays to his leave under article 220 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Babu Jatindra Mohan Bose, an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction (class II of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service during the absence, on leave, of Babu Abinash Chandra Mallick.

The 8th March 1909.—Babu Raj Krishna Basu, Head Assistant, office of Director of Public Instruction, Bengal (class II), is allowed furlough, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and 15 days in extension of the leave granted to him under this office notification, dated the 28th November 1908.

Babu Tribhuban Nath Trivedi, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Sonthal Parganas (class VIII), is appointed to be a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Bhagalpur, *vice* Babu Aurang Behari Sahai, retired.

G. W. KUHLER,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that the first half-yearly Departmental Examination during 1909 of Assistant and Deputy Magistrates and Sub-Deputy Collectors and of officers of the Police, Medical, Forest and Public Works Departments in the districts of the Chota Nagpur Division will be held at Ranchi in the Chota Nagpur Commissioner's Office on Wednesday, the 28th April 1909, and the two following days.

2. The examination will begin at 11 A.M. on each day.

H. J. McINTOSH, *Commissioner.*

COMM'R.'S OFFICE, CHOTA NAGPUR, the 3rd February 1909.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1315B.

An examination of the Patna and Benares Provision Opium of season 1907-08 will be held at the new Opium-godowns No. 14, Strand Road, on Monday, the 5th April 1909, at 10-45 A.M. Merchants, dealers and others interested in opium are invited to attend.

Samples of the opium examined will be given to merchants and dealers only, in small tins, which must be placed on the table *labelled with the names* of the persons requiring the sample.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI,
Secretary.

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE DEPT., OPIUM SALE, CALCUTTA, the 9th March 1909.

No. 1069B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S. I.

Dated Calcutta, the 26th February 1909.

IN exercise of the power conferred by section 100 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, prescribe the following rules:—

II. Notification, dated the 7th April, 1896, which was published on pages 381 and 382 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem, is hereby cancelled.

RULES.

OPERATIONS ON GOODS IN A WAREHOUSE.

1. Before any operation referred to in section 100 is performed in a warehouse, an application, stating the exact nature of the proposed operation, must be made to the Collector of Customs.

2. The officer of Customs deputed by the Collector in this behalf shall, prior to the operation, compare the marks in the application with those on the goods and ascertain the actual quantity of the goods and record such quantity.

3. When the operation is completed, the officer shall ascertain the quantities, and record and sign the new account of the goods.

RACKING AND VATTING.

4. Racking from cask to cask may be performed in a warehouse, and casks in bad condition may have their contents racked out into sound casks.

5. Before any empty spirit cask is delivered from the Custom House or bonded premises, it shall be properly drained and thoroughly rinsed out with such quantity of water as the Customs officer may deem sufficient, water being allowed to stand in the cask for not less than twenty-four hours before delivery, during which period the cask shall be rolled over several times. The rinsings shall be poured away in the presence of an officer.

6. The operation of putting wines or spirits together in a vat may only be performed in a compartment of a warehouse fitted and used for that purpose only, unless the vat is a close-covered vessel, which has been accurately gauged, and of which the hatch and discharge cock can be secured by locks, the keys of which shall remain with the Bonding Department.

7. Vats must be distinctly marked with their numbers and capacity in gallons. The strength of spirits taken from a vat is to be ascertained by a sample from each cask.

8. After any spirits have been racked from a vat, the remainder must be drawn off before any more spirits are put into the vat.

RULES FOR THE BLENDING OF SPIRITS OR WINES IN BOND OR FOR THE REDUCTION OF STRENGTH OF SPIRITS BY WATER OR FOR THE FLAVOURING OF SPIRITS.

9. Applications for permission to blend spirits or wines in bond, or to reduce the strength of such spirits, or to flavour them, must be presented to the Collector of Customs.

10. Each application must contain a full description of the spirits or wines to be mixed, reduced, or flavoured, and must be accompanied by a fee at the rate of Rs. 4 per diem, to cover the pay of an officer of Customs, to be deputed by the Collector, in whose presence the blending, reduction or flavouring must be effected.

11. Spirits in casks may be reduced with water. When water is to be added, so much spirit may be drawn off from each cask as is required to make room for the purpose. The overdrawings, if more than 9 gallons, may be re-warehoused; and, if less than the quantity specified, they must either be used in another operation or cleared on payment of duty.

12. The amount of liquor drawn from each cask for the purpose of blending or reducing the strength, must be shown as cleared or exported on the original bond. If any deficiency be found on emptying a cask, duty thereon must at once be levied, subject to the provisions of sections 116 and 117 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878.

13. The blend, when effected, shall be re-tested and re-gauged, and a fresh bond shall be made out for the duty found leviable thereon.

14. For the purpose of calculating the period of three years under section 103 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878, and the allowances for ullage and wastage under section 116 of that Act, the date of the new bond shall be taken to be the date on which the earliest of the bonds, relating to any of the spirits in the operation, was executed.

15. The spirits or wines blended must be the produce and manufacture of the same country.

16. Spirits in bond may be blended, or reduced by water, or flavoured only in a bonded warehouse specially approved for the purpose, and in the presence of an officer deputed by the Collector of Customs.

17. Spirits so compounded or reduced shall be assessed to duty before any obscuring matter is added, and after the addition of such matter no allowance for ullage or wastage shall be made.

18. Samples of the spirit which it is intended to compound, and of the flavouring materials to be used, shall be sent, whenever the Collector of Customs deems it desirable, to the Chemical Examiner to be examined as to their freedom from objectionable substances.

19. Flavouring materials shall be added only in such proportion as may be fixed by the Government of India.

20. The words "blend" or "reduced by water" or "reduced and flavoured" must be cut into or indelibly marked on the vat or casks containing the blended spirits or wines, or the spirits reduced in strength and flavoured. Original marks and brands must be removed unless all the spirits and wines be of the same mark.

BOTTLING.

21. Wines and spirits may only be bottled from casks in a *bottling warehouse*. No other operation may be performed in such warehouse at the same time.

22. Wines and spirits intended for bottling must be removed from the warehouse to a bottling warehouse in presence of a Customs Officer.

23. Bottles must be packed immediately after filling. Each package must contain a dozen, or a multiple of a dozen, of quarts or pints, and the bottles in each package must be of uniform size.

24. The officer deputed must record in his bottling book the number of bottles filled before they are packed; the bottles must then be packed without unnecessary delay. The officer must satisfy himself that the proper number of bottles are placed in each case, and must see that packed cases are at once closed and fastened.

25. The bonding officer shall keep the key of the door of the bottling warehouse.

26. The officer must see that in the labeling and corking of bottles, the provisions of the Indian Merchandise Marks Act, 1889, are observed.

27. Wines and spirits in bottle may, if it be necessary, be started into casks.

MISCELLANEOUS.

28. Wines and spirits imported in cases may, if it be necessary, be adjusted and repacked, but not more than once while in bond. Labels and capsules may be renewed, but not changed for others not identical in terms.

29. Samples may, with the previous sanction of the Collector, be drawn from any case or cask, whether in the bonded warehouse or in the warehouse for operations on wet goods in bond, a note being kept on the bond or Customs documents denoting the quantity so drawn.

30. Spirits may be methylated in a warehouse. The spirits are to be gauged and the strength ascertained prior to the operation; and any deficiency not exceeding the legal allowance may be written off.

31. After methylation, a sample must be drawn off and sent for the usual report to the Chemical Examiner.

N. B.—All applications under the above rules must, under Schedule II (1) (a) of the Court Fees Act, bear a stamp of one anna.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI,
Secretary.

No. 1127B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I., I.C.S.,

Member in charge.

Dated Calcutta, the 1st March 1909.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 101 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), and in supersession of all previous orders on the subject, the Board of Revenue hereby fixes the rate of rent for bonding salt at the Kidderpore and Sulkea public sale golas at Rs. 4 per 1,000 maunds of salt per month with effect from the 1st April 1909.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI,
Secretary.

No. 923B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Thursday, the 1st April 1909, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,600 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	1,800
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	1,800
		—
Total	...	3,600
		—

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 27th November 1908, and published in the *Government and Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 16th April 1909, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 8th April 1909, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Friday, the 16th April 1909.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 4th May 1909 ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday, 1st June „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday, 6th July „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday, 3rd August „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday, 8th September „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Monday, 4th October „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday, 3rd November „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday, 1st December „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
Total ...	14,400	14,400	28,800

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, the 23rd February 1909.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.

EXCISE NOTIFICATION.

HOLDERS of licenses for :—

- (1) The wholesale vend of imported spirituous and fermented liquors,
- (2) Retail vend of imported spirituous and fermented liquors by the bottle only not to be drunk on the premises,
- (3) Both wholesale and retail vend of the above liquors combined in a single license,
- (4) Hotels, Restaurants and their Subsidiary bars and late-closing licenses,
- (5) The retail vend of imported spirituous and fermented liquors on board steamers, dining-cars, D&K Bungalows and Railway Refreshment-rooms,
- (6) The sale of imported medicated wines by chemists and druggists (to be sold by the bottle only, not to be drunk on the premises),
- (7) The sale or use or store of spirits rendered effectually and permanently unfit for human consumption,
- (8) The sale of Cocaine, Novocaine or Poppy-heads and its preparation by chemists and druggists,
- (9) The sale of opium, morphia and its preparation under "Druggist's permit" by chemists and druggists,
- (10) The sale of the preparation of Siddhi, for *bona-fide* medical purposes, by chemists and druggists under "Druggist's permit,"
- (11) Pachwai for home consumption,
- (12) The possession of more than 60 grains of cocaine by managers of hospitals and charitable dispensaries not under Government supervision,
- (13) The manufacture of spirits after the English method and Beer in a private distillery,
- (14) The storage of Ganja and Siddhi in Government Golas in Kapalitola Lane.
- (15) Working of Stills in a public distillery at Russa,

are hereby required to apply by the second week of March 1909 for the renewal of their licenses for the ensuing official year 1909-10.

The application for renewal in each case should bear a "Court-fee" stamp of one anna.

All current licenses must be returned on the 31st March 1909. New licenses of the descriptions mentioned under heads (2), (3) and (4) can be issued only on production of the usual certificates from the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, in respect of the town of Calcutta and its suburbs to the effect that the renewal is free from objection.

Those who do not intend to renew their licenses for the ensuing year must notify their intention in that respect to the undersigned in writing before the 15th March 1909. If such notice be not given and the license be not recalled by the undersigned, the license held, and engagement entered into, by each such person shall remain in force for such time as the undersigned may think fit, as if the said license and engagement had been formally renewed.

J. T. BABONEAU,

Superintendent of Excise Revenue, Calcutta.

Calcutta Collectorate, the 18th February 1909.

Statement showing the quantity of salt (private property) in bonded warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 28th day of February 1909, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 28th February 1909.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN CALCUTTA.				Quantity afloat.	Grand Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 16TH TO THE 28TH FEBRUARY 1909, INCLUSIVE.			
	In private golas.	In Sulkea Government golas.	In Kidderpore Dock Government golas.	Total.			Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
United Kingdom—		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool and other	6,09,375	5,19,099	12,19,273	84,808	13,04,051	99,140	2,77,039	17,600	71,951
Panga salt.										
Other European countries—										
Spanish salt	7,00,635	92,630	7,93,265	.....	7,93,265	77,343	64,273	38,805	38,211
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	79,962	.....	79,962	.....	79,962	32,468	0,720	1,500	31,250
Hamburg rock	106
Aden and Red Sea—										
Port Said salt	84,075	.....	84,075	.....	84,075	10,110	33,410	.....	11,360
Aden salt	22,054	.....	22,054	.....	22,054	41,126	.....	.....	47,402
Salif salt	6,06,379	34,700	6,41,079	92,054	7,33,133	76,078	3,73,698	10,945	69,314
Do. rock salt	1,000	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....	.....	.....	200
Kawayah salt
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.
Ditto ditto rock salt
British India—										
Bombay salt	1,34,834	10,233	1,45,067	.....	1,45,067	21,600*	.....	.....	30,092
Madras salt
Coconada salt
Vizagapatam salt
Other places—										
Phocce salt	25,134	.....	25,134	.....	25,134	536	.....	.....	536
Total	23,54,308	6,57,567	30,11,869	1,76,862	31,88,731	3,59,001	7,48,140	98,910	3,00,412

Written off during the half-month—

Wastage in private golas	.....	Mds.
Ditto in Sulkea golas	.....	3,614
Ditto in Kidderpore Dock golas	.....	1,150
Abandoned and destroyed	.....	206

In transit—

Liverpool and other Panga salt	.....	7,430
Salif salt	.....	33,611

* This quantity includes 21,500 maunds Bombay karkach salt on which duty was paid in Bombay.

P. R. CADELL,
Collector of Customs.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 8th March 1909.

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20(b) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Dispensary at Darauli, in the district of Saran :—

1. Subdivisional Officer, Sowar, *President*.
2. Babu Debi Dutt Awasthi, *Vice-President*.
3. Civil Surgeon of Saran.
4. Babu Kishun Sahai.
5. „ Dubri Ojha.
6. Mahant Ram-Pratap Gir.
7. Babu Jagat Pati Dube.
8. „ Basist Naraen Singh.
9. „ Inderdeo Lall.

S. AHMAD ALI KHAN, *P. A. to Commissioner,*
for Commissioner, on tour.

TIRHUT COMM'R'S OFFICE, MUZAFFARPUR, the 24th February 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that, under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act as amended by Bengal Act V of 1908, Babu Deo Nath Sahay has been duly elected by the Sewan Local Board to be a member of the Saran District Board, *vice* Mr. L. Reed, resigned.

S. AHMAD ALI KHAN, *Personal Assistant to Commissioner,*
for Commissioner.

TIRHUT COMM'R.'S OFFICE, MUZAFFARPUR, the 1st March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that a general election of the Commissioners of the Kurseong Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act (III B.C. of 1884 as amended subsequently, will be held on Tuesday, the 23rd March 1909.

E. H. WALSH, *Commissioner.*

COMM'R.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, the 3rd March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that Monday, the 19th July 1909, is fixed as the date for holding the 9th general election of Commissioners of the Jangipur Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, in the place of those, who, having been elected at the eighth general election held on the 14th July 1906 or subsequently thereto, in the place of Commissioners so elected, complete their term of office under sections 21 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, as amended.

M. N. GHOSH, *Persl. Asst., for Commissioner.*

COMM'R.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, the 8th March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the powers delegated to Commissioners of Divisions under the Bengal Government Notification No. 1095T.M., dated the 14th June 1903, the exclusion of the road round the Bankipur Race Course, 7,200 feet in length, including also the main road, 3,600 feet in length, from the Backerganj bridge to the corner near the Gola where the Public Works Department Road (Bankipur-Dinapur) commences, which lie within the limits of the Patna Municipality in the district of Patna, from the operation of section 30 of the Bengal Municipal Act, so far as it relates to the repair, maintenance, construction and improvement of the roads, is sanctioned.

2. The transfer of the said roads to the charge of the District Board of Patna is also authorized.

SAHEBZADA WAJLI MOHAMMAD SHAH,
for Commissioner of Patna.

PATNA COMM'R.'S OFFICE, BANKIPUR, the 5th March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers delegated to me under Government Notification No. 3403 L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I take possession, under section 6, clause (b) of the Bengal Ferries Act I of 1885, of the private ferry at Baruly over the river Kabadak in the district of Khulna and declare it to be a public ferry.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred on me under Government Notification No. 217 L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, I also direct, under section 35 of the Act, that the aforesaid ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Khulna and that all the proceeds of the ferry, the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the District Fund with effect from the date of this Notification.

E. W. COLLIN, *Commissioner.*

COMM'R.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, the 4th March 1909.



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PART I A.

[Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 27th February 1909.]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

EXAMINATIONS.

Calcutta, the 26th February 1909.

No. 68.—The following list shows the names of the selected candidates and the marks obtained by them in each subject in the recent examination for clerkships in the lower division of the Secretariat offices of the Government of India and the departments directly attached thereto and in the offices subordinate to the Government of Bengal:—

No.	Names of candidates in order of merit.	Date of birth.	Date on which the candidate will attain the age of 25 years.	English composition (essay-writing and drafting.)	Precis-writing.	History (English and Indian.	Geography.	Elementary mathematics.	Short-hand writing (optional.)	Total.	Government under which the candidate is eligible for appointment.	Office in which the candidate elects to serve.
				100	100	50	50	50	75			
1	Ashu Tosh Ghosh	16th Jan. 1887.	16th Jan. 1912.	75	70	41	17	42	70	320	Government of India.	Any Secretariat office.
2	Bishan Das, G. S.	7th April 1886.	7th April 1911.	65	45	43	31	16	64	264	Ditto.	...
3	Suresh Chandra Gupta.	9th Mar. 1887.	9th Mar. 1912.	59	27	44	30	38	57	255	Ditto.	..
4	Raj Bahadur ...	25th July 1887.	25th July 1912.	50	51	31	30	32	27	221	Ditto.	Department of Commerce and Industry or any other Secretariat Office.
5	Binod Lal Sarkar	8th Augt. 1886.	8th Augt. 1911.	63	25	37	...	19	62	206	Government of Bengal.	Any Secretariat Office.
6	Bejay Panchanan Ghose.	18th Oct. 1885.	18th Oct. 1910.	49	26	49	39	39	...	202	Ditto.	Ditto.
7 & 8	Akshoy Kumar Das.	13th May 1887.	13th May 1912.	40	29	30	11	27	54	191	Ditto.	Ditto.
	Charu Chandra Mitra.	16th Jan. 1888.	16th Jan. 1913.	58	28	41	32	32	...	191	Ditto.	Ditto.
9	Surendra Nath Bhattacharyya.	20th Mar. 1886.	20th Mar. 1911.	63	30	28	27	31	...	177	Ditto.	Ditto.

H. A. STUART,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 6th March 1909.]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

JUDICIAL.

Calcutta, the 5th March 1909.

No. 345.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to place the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Coxe, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, on deputation, with effect from the 6th March 1909, to inspect and report to the High Court on such of the Civil Courts subject to its appellate jurisdiction as it may direct.

No. 346.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Coxe having been placed on deputation to inspect and report to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on such of the Civil Courts subject to its appellate jurisdiction as it may direct, the Governor-General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of the Indian High Courts Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict. C. 104), section 7, to appoint Mr. T. W. Richardson, I.C.S., Barrister-at-Law, to act as a Judge of the High Court, during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Coxe, or until further orders.

No. 348.—The Hon'ble the Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal has appointed Mr. A. W. Watson, of the Indian Civil Service, to officiate as Registrar on the Appellate Side of the Court, with effect from the afternoon of the 17th March 1909, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. P. Muddiman, or until further orders.

H. A. STUART,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Fort William, the 5th March 1909.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Behar Light Horse.

No. 217.—The Hon'ble Sir Edward Norman Baker, K.C.S.I., Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, to be Honorary Colonel, *vice* Sir Andrew Henderson Leith Fraser, K.C.S.I., resigned. Dated 1st December 1908.

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART I B.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 419 L.S.-G.—The 5th March 1909.—It is hereby notified that, under section 112 of the Bengal Cess Act of 1880 (Bengal Act IX of 1880), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. J. Calvert to be a member of the District Road Committee, Darjeeling *vice* Mr. C. P. Andrews, resigned.

No. 421 M.—The 8th March 1909.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in exercise of the power vested in him by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in compliance with an application made under that section by the Commissioners of the Chapra Municipality, in the district of Saran, to extend the provisions of Part IX of the said Act to Wards Nos. I, III and IV of the said Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

No. 431 M.—The 8th March 1909.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. J. J. Mayer to be a Commissioner of the Burdwan Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, *vice* Mr. A. F. Eves, resigned.

No. 438 M.—The 9th March 1909.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Baroda Kumar Datta to be a Commissioner of the Roserah Municipality, in the district of Darbhanga, *vice* Babu Aghore Nath Ghosal, resigned.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.



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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Commercial Course Final and Special Examinations, 1909, will be held at 303, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta, on the dates and at the hours noted below :—

Final Examination—The 3rd, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 14th, and 16th April 1909, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4-30 P.M.

Special Examinations.

Shorthand	...	15th April 1909	...	11—1-30
Typewriting	...	17th " "	...	11—1-30
Book-keeping	...	19th " "	...	11—1-30
Banking and Currency	...	19th " "	...	2—4-30
Modern English	...	20th " "	...	11—1-30
Commercial Correspondence and Précis-writing.	...	20th " "	...	2—4-30
Insurance	...	21st " "	...	11—1-30
Mercantile Law	...	21st " "	...	2—4-30
Political Economy	...	22nd " "	...	11—1-30

The 8th March 1909.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

DOW HILL TRAINING CLASS FOR EUROPEANS, KURSEONG.

THE following junior students have passed the 1st year examination held in November 1908, and are allowed to proceed to the second year of the course:—

- (1) Miss Ruth Boddington Smart.
- (2) „ Grace Augusta Warry.
- (3) { „ Ernestine Grange.
- „ Ethel Alice Gardner.
- (5) „ Helen Constance Beveridge.
- (6) „ Alice Gertrude Konwen.
- (7) „ Beatrice Singleton.
- (8) „ Amelia Parry Wheeler.
- (9) „ Daisy Seeley.

The names of the candidates are arranged in order of merit.

The 10th March 1909.

JOHN RICHARD CUNNINGHAM,
Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

DOW HILL TRAINING CLASS FOR EUROPEANS, KURSEONG.

The following senior students have passed the Final Examination held in November 1908:—

- (1) Miss Lily Muir.
- (2) „ Millicent Gilder.
- (3) „ Priscilla Wells.
- (4) „ Olive Warry.
- (5) „ Cecilia Harriet Cooper.

The names of the candidates are arranged in order of merit.

The 10th March 1909.

JOHN RICHARD CUNNINGHAM,
Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

IN addition to the books excluded under this office Notification, dated the 21st September 1908, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, the books detailed below have, on re-examination, been found unsuitable for retention on the list of approved books.

CALCUTTA,

The 1st March 1909.

G. W. KÜCHLER,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

No.	Name of book.	Author.	Publisher.
<i>Bengali.</i>			
1	Sahitya Parijat ...	Narayan Chandra Vid- yaratna..	Siddheswar Press Depo- sitory.
2	Sahitya Siksha, Part I ...	Bireswar Pande ..	Bengal Medical Library.
3	Bhasha Siksha, Part I ...	Charusila Devi ...	Ditto.
4	Sahitya Path, Part I ...	.....	Guru Das Chatterji.
5	Sahitya Ratna (revised) ...	Sakti Prasanna Sen Gupta.	Sanskrit Press Deposi- tory.
6	Nutan Sisu Path ...	Isan Chandra Ghose ...	.....
7	Patiganit, Part II ...	Hari Ballav Mandal ...	Sanyal & Co.; K. C. Sett & Co.
8	Patiganit and Suvankari (old edition).	P. Ghosh ...	.....
9	Patiganit, U. P. (old edition)	P. Ghose.—Adapted by E. P. Ghosh.	.....
10	Practical Geometry and Men- suration for Standard VI (old edition).	Ditto ditto	.....
11	Practical Geometry and Men- suration for Standards IV and V (old edition).	Ditto ditto	.....
12	Primary Pariksha ...	Ganga Das Saha ...	.....
13	Euclid's Geometry, Book I ...	Kedar Nath Dutt ...	A. K. Ray & Co.
14	The Lower Primary Science Reader.	.....	Longmans, Green & Co.
15	Bharat Samrajyer Itihas ...	.....	Chatterji & Co.
<i>Hindi.</i>			
1	Sahitya Bhushan ...	Ram Din Sinha ...	Khadga Vilas Press.
2	Hindi Kitab, No. I (Nagri and Kaithi).	Munshi Radha Lal ...	Ditto.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

NOTICE.

AN examination in English Idiom and Pronunciation of the Teachers of High and Middle English Schools who have to teach English or other subjects through the medium of English will be held at the office of the Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division, on Tuesday, the 31st March 1909. Only those candidates who have passed the Entrance or one of the higher examinations of an Indian University will be eligible to appear at it.

2. The intending candidates should apply to this office on or before the 27th March 1909, and state in their applications the following particulars :—

- (a) Name.
- (b) Father's name.
- (c) Residence (village, thana and district).
- (d) Academical qualifications.
- (e) Name of school in which he at present serves.

3. The candidates should bring with them the certificates of having passed the University Examinations specified in their applications.

BHAGALPUR,

The 26th February 1909. }

M. PROTHERO,

Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.



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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the “Gazette” cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the East Indian Railway, Chord Line, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at noon on Thursday, the 15th March 1909, corresponding with the 2nd Chaitra 1916 B.S., at Mankar Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

- 1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the Railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than 3 feet from its foundation.
- 2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.
- 4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.
- 5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Burdwan	Pargana Gope Bhum, mauza Mankar.	Mile No. 90.	North side of the Railway.	0 14 0	0 0 37.02	.....	.....	Commences from chainage 250.55 and terminates at chainage 256.15.	Bounded on the south and east by the East Indian Railway Company's land, on the west by the East Level Crossing of Mankar station, and on the north by the bank of Nutan Pukur tank belonging to Satish Pal and Dwija Pada Pal and the cultivated lands of Mohot Ghose, Mahindi Barua, Gosta Pal and Bakhal Mondol.
2	Ditto	Ditto ...	Ditto	South side of the Railway.	5 2 9.77	1 2 51.37	.....	.....	Commences from chainage 250.55 and terminates at chainage 259.05.	Bounded on the north and east by the East Indian Railway Company's land, west by the West Level Crossing of Mankar station, and south by the cultivated lands of Mahindi Barua, Gosta Pal, Behari Barua, Gosta Barua and Mohendra Barua; part lands of Gosta Barua, Dutta and Behari Dutta, two village roads, homestead lands of Kedari Mawari, Gokul Kundu and Narendra Kundoo; Kowrah Pukur tank and khas patit land.

Land Acquisition Office, Hooghly, the 12th January 1909.

RASIK LAL SEN, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Patna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
227 Jmal.	Nirandarpur Kharonia Vogairah, pargana Asimabad.	Rs. A. P. 5,809 13 0	.....	Simli Murarpur 8 Moslehnpur 16 Janarjanpur 16 Sultampur Ghordaur 16 Lodipur Sakat 8 Hazratpur Akharia 16 Himatpur Deora 16 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mosamat Makhduman, Vogairah. Manvi Abdul Latif, Vogairah, Mahanth Gayani Das, Vogairah. Siva Sankar Chowdhri himself and guardian of Ram Narain Chowdhri, Dip Narsin Chowdhri, minors, Vogairah. Nabab Lal. Jang Bahadur Singh, Vogairah. Rup Lal Mahto, Vogairah.	Rs. A. P. 1,973 13 10	.....	Rs. A. P. 1,270 5 8
227 1	Ditto	5,809 13 0	.....	Manpur Bairiya 8 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mohip Narsin Singh	756 15 0	.....	424 10 6
227 2	Ditto	5,809 13 0	.....	Nirandarpur Kharonia 4 Kalyanpur 8 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Babu Hira Singh Ditto.	779 5 0	.....	448 9 6
227 3	Ditto	5,809 13 0	.....	Nirandarpur Kharonia 8 8 Manpur Bairiya 8 0 Simli Murarpur 8 8 Sadikpur Jogi 8 0 Kalyanpur 8 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Audhesh Kumar Singh Ditto. Ditto. Ditto. Ditto.	1,631 4 8	.....	937 14 11
228 Jmal.	Ditto	1,816 11 0	.....	Himatpur Deora 16 0 0 Simli Murarpur 16 0 0 Moslehnpur 16 0 0 Sadikpur Jogi 16 4 10 Janarjanpur 16 0 0 Hazratpur Akharia 16 0 0 Sultampur Ghordaur 16 0 0 Kalyanpur 16 0 0 Sakalpur Lodi 16 0 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mosamat Kanis Fatema, Vogairah. Shaukh Nurul Haq, Vogairah. Haji Ahmad Basir, Mohamad Basir, Vogairah. Balzobud Singh, Vogairah. Bukishun Mahto, Vogairah. Dayal Singh, Harihar Singh, Vogairah. Kuldip Singh, Vogairah. Ramdhan Lal. Babu Kumod Nath Sen Gupta, Vogairah.	883 4 2	.....	125 9 4
229 Jmal.	Ditto	1,185 0 0	.....	Nirandarpur Kharonia 8 0 Moslehnpur 16 0 Sadikpur Jogi 16 0 Janarjanpur 16 0 Hazratpur Akharia 16 0 Sitranandpur 16 0 Sakalpur Lodi 6 8 Himatpur Deora 16 0 Kalyanpur 8 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mosamat Bechan Kuer, Vogairah. Ramkriehna Lal Sahu, Vogairah. Iwar Sahai, Vogairah. Muhanth Gayani Das, Vogairah. Dayal Singh, Vogairah. Mohamad Sarfraj Hosain, under guardianship of Mosamat Saliman Nani. Amdiluhari Prasad Singh. Gowain Ram Lalji Maharaj, Vogairah. Mohat Lal, Vogairah.	935 0 0	.....	29 13 1
4808 105	Behra Nini pargana Masaudha.	1,320 0 10	Entire	.....	Babu Siva Nandan Prasad Singh.	.....	39 5 11	.....
11059 136	Pawada Mundarje, tauzi Panwara, pargana Pillich.	672 13 1	Do.	.....	Mosamat Jainwant Kuer, wife of Ram Hari Lal, Vogairah.	.....	217 15 1	.....

The 2nd March 1909,

SIVA SANKAR SINGH, for Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of this district on the 15th March 1909 at 12 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

Tausi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.		Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.		If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.		If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.		REMARKS.
		Rent.	Coss.				Rent.	Coss.	Rent.	Coss.	Rent.	Coss.	
1	Killash Marichpur, pargana Marichpur.	Rs. A. P.			11a. 8p 13gr. 6p.	Hemendra Nath Roy, manager, and others.	Rs. A.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
147	Ma. Harakrishna-pur, pargana Rohang.	2,148 0 0			4 annas	Godadhar Ramanuj Das.	535 12				267 12 0	22 7 0	
148	Ma. Harakrishna-pur, pargana Rohang.	2,148 0 0			4 "	Madhusudan Mohanty.	535 12				267 12 0	22 7 0	

Puri, the 9th February 1909.

N. GHOSH, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Saran will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909 at noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
394	Bennut, pargana Bal.	Rs. A. P. 883 15 8	Nil	<p>Ijmal--</p> <p>Kainpure 10 8</p> <p>Bennut 8 0</p> <p>Mashen Tola 8 0</p> <p>Birtimshdar Bhadour ... 8 0</p> <p>All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.</p>	Musammatt Jainti Kuer.	Rs. A. P. 510 8 8	Rs. A. P. Nil	Rs. A. P. 67 8 9

Saran Collectorate, the 25th February 1909.

J. M. CHRISTIAN, Deputy Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue 13th February 1909.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3531	Durga, pargana Boro.	Rs. A. P. 550 8 5	Entire	Nil	Dasanta Lal Chetry	Rs. A. P. Nil	Rs. A. P. 197 15 11	Nil
3541	Kharsarai, pargana Boro.	1,311 10 6	Nil	8 annas share of the estate	Bhawanati Charo no and another.	635 13 0	Nil	53 13 6

The 13th February 1909.

B. Das, Collector, Hooghly.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 18, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Cuttack will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd March 1909 at 12 noon, or arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
13	Killa Bishunpur ...	.....	.....	Kt. 5a. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 11a.	Laksmidhar Das and others.	579 15 4	.....	268 10 10
17	Killa Chhedra ...	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 2p. 3kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 9p. 12kt.	Babu Jogendra Nath Bose and others.	2,004 7 4	.....	10 0 3
26	Kt. ta. Sundarpur, ph. Jajpur.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 1p. 7kt. 5b. 6g. 2kd. 3bd. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 10p. 12kt. 8b. 13g. 1kd. 1bd.	Suna Dei, wife of Kripasindhu Jhampania Singh and others.	1,031 14 9	.....	1,386 2 1
33	Ta. Korkora, ph. ditto.	801 0 0	Whole ..	.....	Chowdhury Narasingh Charan Mahapatra.	.....	369 12 7	.....
58	Kt. ta. Naharpur, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 5a. 3p. 10kt. 13b. 15g. 3bd. of the mahal excluding 10a. 8p. 3kt. 2b. 4g. 8kd. 1bd. represented by 12a. of ma. Hanna, 8a. of ma. Kapasipatna, 1a. of ma. Bidyadharpur samil ma. Kapasi, 16a. of ma. Kapasi, 9a. of ma. Digrajsamil Khalkaria, 16a. of ma. Kapilewar and Kapilewar samil Banua, 1a. of ma. Badyarejpur samil Bidyadharpur, 13a. 3p. 10kt. 8b. of ma. Balipuri, 12a. 8p. 12kt. of ma. Sridharpur and Tipura, 1a. of ma. Sohada, 15a. 7p. 4kt. of ma. Itra, 16a. of ma. Ranpur, Badyarejpur, Sirapur, Bepari Brahmapur, Trilochanpur, Chandewar, Khalkaria, comprising area 17'36 Barbati, Khank, Jalpur, Chainpur, Sukdeity, Bhatsahi, Turamadan and Naharpur, 5a. 9p. of ma. Balipada, Arjoonpur, Sailo, Dovabil, Samundarpur, 8a. 4p. 10kt. of ma. Salmalapur, 10a. 9p. 12kt. of ma. Hirapur comprising area 10'37, 6a. 4p. 16kt. of ma. Gopalchurn, 10a. of ma. Uteipur, Kotahli, Nayagohindpur, Nakupali, Badhaipli, Gaidia, 12a. of ma. Kukharudih, 9a. of ma. Audatola, 6a. of ma. Ranbajpur, 1'8a. 8p. of ma. Solaparhi, 9a. 7p. 4kt. of ma. Sarisudha, 9a. 16kt. of ma. Ranigoda, comprising area 54'50, 5a. 9kt. of ma. Ranigoda comprising area 54'5, 12a. 4p. 17kt. 12b. 16g. of ma. Kodandpur, 13a. 9kt. of ma. Indas Nos 1 and 2, 11a. 6p. 11kt. of ma. Debidwar comprising area 2'54, Khalkaria comprising area 7'20, 11a. 10p. 5kt. 6b. of ma. Ranigar, 12a. 4p. of ma. Bidyadharpur comprising area 20'50, 12a. of ma. Solampur, 5a. of ma. Bidyadharpur comprising area 47, 8a. of ma. Trilochanpur No. 1 and 2, Jalhara comprising area 74'35, 3a. 2p. 8kt. of ma. Hirapur comprising area 15'4, 6a. 4p. 16kt. of ma. Balikhumbi, Basudobpur and Bokhanpur, 1a. 6p. 18kt. of ma. Indas samil Khalkaria and Indas samil Debidwar, and 3a. 2p. 8kt. of ma. Tipura samil Bidyadharpur.	Choudhuri Parsuram Das and others.	1,933 3 0	.....	2,727 3 8
58 40	Kt. ta. ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 2a. 6p. 12kt. 0b. 1kd. 3bd. comprising mas. Ranpur, Badyarejpur, Sirapur, Bepari Brahmapur, Trilochanpur, Chandewar, Khalkaria, Barbati, Khank, Jalpur, Chainpur, Sukdeity entire, 3a. 2p. 8kt. of ma. Kodandpur, excluding 13a. 5p. 7kt. 6b. 10g. 2kd. 1bd. which represents 16a. of all other mauzas and remaining share of the above mauzas.	Nalu Panda and others.	913 1 0	.....	194 4 7
59	Kt. ta. Kalimegha, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 6p. 15kt. 1b. 12g. 2kd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate, excluding 3a. 5p. 4kt. 14b. 7g. 2kd., represented by 1a. of ma. Panasa, 7a. of ma. Bhatsahi, 1a. 3p. 15kt. of ma. Iebhapur and 2a. 10p. of ma. Sathibati.	Ram Krishna Bose and others.	1,251 1 0	.....	639 12 9
341	Ta. Gobindpur, ph. Sultaanabad.	.....	.....	Kt. 5a. 3p. 12kt. 11b. 10g. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate, excluding 10a. 3p. 7kt. 4b. 10g. represented by 10a. of ma. Kalakhand, Kimbhiripal, Baneria, Sarangpur, Bhurugan, Erada, Bhanura, Roda, Badpal, Sarhara, Kumbhaka, Bitna, Naranpur, Hari, Krushn-nagar, Sherpur, Kenkarada, Anvasipur, Allahabad, Chandanpur, Dharpur, Nathapur, 10a. of ma. Rampa, Arual, Noulia, Katlang, Bari and holding Nos. $\frac{434}{1}, \frac{435}{2}, \frac{436}{3}, \frac{437}{4}, \frac{438}{1}, \frac{439}{1}$, entire of ma. Haldibasant and 4a. of ma. Baringi.	Bhobani Jena and others.	506 0 0	.....	562 6 0

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
341 7	Ta. Gobindpur, ph. Sultanabad.	Rs. A. P. .....	.....	Kt. 10a, comprised in 16a. of ma. Kalakhand, Kinbhilaspur, Banerria, Sarangpur, Bhuragan, Badi, Bhanura, Boda, Balpal, Sarbara, Kubbhanka, Bitra, Naranpur, Bari, Kreschnagar, Shergur, Kenkarda, Anyaspur, Aumbad Chandanpur, Dharrur, Nathapur, 10a. of ma. Bampa, Arul, Neula, Batlang, Bari and holding Nos. 431, 433, 436, 437, 439, 440, 441, 2, 3, 4, 1, 1, 1, and 1, out of ma. Haktibasant, excluding all other mauzas and remaining share of above mauzas which represents 6a. of the mahal.	Ch. Brajamohan Mahapatra.	Rs. A. P. 833 1 0	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 833 1 0
344	Ta. Gobindpur, ph. Hatimanda.	3,814 9 0	Whole ...	.....	Chandra Kumar Bose and others.	.....	5,129 8 2	.....
345	Ma. Argal, ph. ditto	1,861 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Bhaskar Nalik and others.	.....	1,048 5 4	.....
349	Ta. Radhasyam, ph. ditto.	1,168 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Kanungo Madhnasun Pattanai and others.	.....	1,034 0 0	.....
363	A. J. B. ma. Manpur, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 8p. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 4d.	Chingabon Chandra Pandia.	858 3 0	.....	42 10 0
367	Kt. in Daultara, ph. Bara.	516 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Bhaskar Nalik	.....	493 15 1	.....
369	Kt. ma. Kaupur, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 7p. 17kt. 1b. 15g., comprised in all the mauzas of the estate, excluding 3a. 2kt. 14b. 5g. represented by 16a. of ma. Katimabad.	Talochan Narendra Mahapatra and others.	669 2 0	.....	695 11 7
741	Kt. ma. Odasingh, ph. Sunghara.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 1p. 18kt. 2b.	Hemendra Nath Rai, common manager of Chowdhury Keertibas Das and others.	524 7 0	.....	282 7 0
747	Kt. ma. ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 14b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 1p. 18kt. 2b.	Hemendra Nath Rai, common manager of Chowdhury Desai and others.	518 15 0	.....	274 15 0
755	Pt. Kramnagar, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 10p. 3kt. 12b. 17g. 2kd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate, excluding 2a. 1p. 10kt. 3b. 2kd. represented by 1a. of ma. Bangura and Kumbada, 7a. 1p. 4kt. of ma. Jankoti and Marapur, 2a. of ma. Baisala, Buhalo, Chamanigol, Nuhia, Bannara, Banpati, Patpur, Jaganpur, Kolia, Kharogon, Matkatpur, Mahajanpur, Nichinkila, Boupoti and Biso.	Lala Radha Mohan Das and others.	824 6 0	.....	53 3 6
807	A. D. ma. Madhy-cutchh, etc., ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 1kt. 11b. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 1p. 18kt. 2b.	Chowdhury Haribar Das and others.	1,321 2 0	.....	653 8 10
813 5	Tappe Sahajabanpur, ph. Alti.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 4kt. 6b. 7g. 3kd. 3bd. comprised in ma. Alarpur, Arabal comprising area 426.03, Banjang, Bandereswa, Bandgobindpur, Nahanagar, Jaisinchura, Bankura, Bhagbanpur, comprising area 175.56, namungol, Asia, Janak, Hamaspur, Katipur, Matkotpur, Mangalpur, Morapur, Nahanangwa Bora, Nahanangwa Sana, Patney Nahanangwa, Arabal, comprising area 36.98, Bhagbanpur, comprising area 4.46, Palat, Gopalpur, Patarajpur, Raipara Barn, Raipara Sana, Tigra, Gargah, Haripur, Nalipur and Arangabad, entire, excluding 3a. 11p. 15kt. 9b. 12g. 1bd which represents all other mauzas of the mahal.	Babu Balaram Bhramarbar Rai and others through their common manager Babu Suresh Chandra Chakravarti.	8,004 2 0	.....	4,947 1 0
814	Tippe Gopalpur, ph. Alti.	9,363 0 0	Whole	.....	Sarwant Laksmi Narayan Jagdeb.	.....	4,081 0 0	.....
815	Kt. Thaney Alamgiri, ph. Alti.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 7p. 19kt. 9b. 8g. 1bd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 4p. 6a. 11g. 3kd. 3bd. represented by 2a. 1p. 5kt. of ma. Daktinkul.	Sumati Mani Das, mother and guardian of Kartick Chandra Pal, minor and others.	5,070 15 0	.....	188 4 0
816	Mt. ma. Sauria, ph. Alti.	1,020 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Babu Laksmi Narayan Jagdeb.	.....	510 0 0	.....
817	Kt. ma. ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 10p. 10kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 1. 0kt.	Ajoo Kar and others.	910 7 0	.....	501 13 0
847	Thaney Mahamada-bad, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 8p. 14kt. 10b. 17g. 3kd. of the mahal comprised in all the mauzas, excluding 3a. 5kt. 6b. 2g. 1kd. represented by ma. Mahipur Gargah and Haripur entire.	Babu Balram Bhramarbar Rai and others through their common manager Babu Suresh Chandra Chakravarti.	3,530 12 0	.....	1,760 0 0
993	Kt. ma. Kani etc., ph. Kakakhand.	656 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Tapani Ganeshwar Bhattacharya.	.....	318 0 0	.....
1085	Ta. Sridharpur, ph. Anureshwar.	3,183 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Chandara Moni De, grandmother and guardian of Basdeb Churan Kanungo, minor, and others.	.....	128 6 0	.....
1102	Ta. Gopalpur, ph. ditto.	5,461 0 0	Do.	.....	Chandhuay Haribar Das and others, agent of Sri Gopinath Jew Flockur through their common manager Boro Hemendra Nath Rai.	.....	2,231 0 0	.....
1116	Ta. Rajendrapur, ph. Olas.	.....	.....	Kt. 6a. 2p. 12kt. 8b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 8a. 9p. 7kt. 8b.	Bhoomi Sahu and others.	1,493 1 0	.....	796 13 1
1116 1	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto	.....	.....	Kt. 2a. 9p. 12kt. 8b. in each of the estate excluding 8a. 2p. 7kt. 8b.	Bihari Lal Pandit	1,473 3 0	.....	1,569 11 2
1252	Kt. ta. Pura, ph. Karimul.	7.0 14 7	Whole ...	.....	Chowdhury Parsuram Das and others.	.....	375 11 9	.....
1283	Ma. Rubcutchh, ph. ditto.	Kt. 11a. 4p. 19kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 4a. 7p. 1kt.	Hemendr Nath Rai, common manager, on behalf of Chowdhury Keertibas Das and others.	973 13 0	486 1 0

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1813	Ta. Bhaban, ph. Faruan	Rs. A. P. 2,514 0 0	Whole	Rhaban Sahu	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 2,509 12 6	Rs. A. P.
1814	Kt. ta. Keshpur, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 4a. 3p. 8kt. 18g. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 11a. 7p. 11kt. 15b. 2g.	Gajendra Mahapatra	579 2 0	.....	289 3 6
1816	Ma. Gopinathpur, etc., ph. Baruan.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 7kt., 9b. 6g. 3kd. comp. ised in all the mauzas of the mahal, excluding 1a. 11p. 12kt. 6b. 13g. 1kd., represented by 12a. of ma. Sahipur, Nov. 1, 2 and 3, Malikapur, Chitahata and Abdulpur.	Dilawar Khan	1,101 0 0	.....	1,275 8 0
1822	Ma. Endaroi, etc., ph. ditto.	802 0 0	Whole	.....	Rashunath Pattanaiik	.....	1,115 12 0	.....
1828	Ta. Sadakpur, ph. Kalimatis.	805 0 0	Do	.....	Sarat Kumar Ghose and others.	.....	1,032 15 0	.....
1458	Ta. Muraripur, ph. Abartak.	804 0 0	Do	.....	Srimati Pahari Dei, wife of Balistab Chhara Santra and others.	.....	477 0 0	.....
1470	Ta. Bichana, ph. Palua.	1,092 0 0	Do	.....	Ditto	.....	546 0 0	.....
1474	Ta. Radhuprosad, ph. Chankulal.	2,747 10 4	Do	.....	Choudhury Keertibha Das and others through their common manager Babu Hemondra Nath Rai.	.....	1,372 15 0	.....
1476	Ta. Gobindprosad, ph. ditto.	7,517 0 0	Do	.....	Balram Bhramarbar Rai and others through their common manager Babu Suresh Chandra Chakrabarti.	.....	3,758 0 0	.....
1480	Ta. Narasinghprosad, ph. Tikhan.	3,244 0 0	Do	.....	Babu Suresh Chandra Chakrabarti, common manager of Syam Sundar Narendra and others, Sedit of Sri Radhugobind Das.	.....	1,682 0 0	.....
1512	Ta. Gobindprosad, ph. Jodhi.	6,043 1 0	Do	.....	Babu Balram Bhramarbar Rai and others through their common manager Suresh Chandra Chakrabarti.	.....	3,311 0 0	.....
1516	Kt. Ta. Badko, ph. Kaima.	784 0 0	Do	.....	Radhamadhab Rai alias Radhamadhab Patkua.	.....	1,176 0 0	.....
1646	Ta. Ratangiri, ph. Mayan.	7,325 0 0	Do	.....	Nani Mohan Banerjee	.....	7,375 0 0	.....
1666	Ta. Jublo, ph. Sargara.	728 7 6	Do	.....	Choudhury Nurshing Chhara Mahapatra.	.....	728 3 10	.....
1664	Ta. Dhaneswar, ph. Sargara.	.....	.....	Kt. 1a. 10p. 5kt. 5b. 13g. 1kd. 1hd. comprised in all the mauzas except 15a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2kd. in ma. Gopalpur, Torand, Tanla alias Khatubania, Mathurapur, Makundpur, Khatubania, Padmaokhar, Utkalajoria, Birajahi, Tulipur, Pandipura, Saito, Bada, Adhaga, Birajuli, Dala, Kopai, Bhramanipuri, Chhatrapur, Janbhakana, Talagan, Batilanki, Dasagaria, Talari, Talinda, Torang, Ali alias Ailha, Ghikoli, Benapur, Santia, Sanpatoli, Chitpada, Kharij, Santia, Fuzilpur, Gobargali, N godh, Santia, Torand, Salkaan, Bramhanda, Ramapur alias Ramapur, Gobindpur, Kisan alias Gobindpur San, Khosarpur, Tanpur, Ochinda, Khajuria, Solari alias Solari, Adhabinia, Nanda alias Nanda and Johara 9a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2kd. in ma. Khatubakar, Osala, Hatpur, ph. Matkatabad, Hatpur, Beranpata alias Biranpata, K. duma, Salpata, Naniokhari, Khido, Dhanantir, Ranpal, Bhakuntari, Rangraza, Gobindpur, Baranapada Nos 1 and 2, 15a. 6p. 16kt. 10b. 5g. 2kd. in ma. Karda, 11a. 2p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2kd. in ma. Bartamona, 15a. 6p. 19kt. 10b. 5g. 2kd. in ma. Alada alias r and K nura, 15a. 8p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2kd. in ma. Jalanda, 15a. 5p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2kd. in ma. Brammapur, Kanti and Narendrabhog, 15a. 4p. 6kt. 10b. 5g. 2kd. in ma. Dhaneswar, total representing 11a. 1p. 14kt. 10b. 6g. 2kd. 8hd. of the mahal.	Sadhu Charan Mahanti and others.	1,015 3 0	.....	218 10 9
1768	Kt. Tappe Nalgiri, ph. Matkatnagar.	.....	.....	Kt. 14a. 11p. 6kt. 3b. 5g. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 1a. 13kt. 12b. 15g. which represents 15a. of ma. Oikana.	Gokhai Padhan and others.	924 14 0	.....	144 13 6
1778	Ta. Mahanga, ph. ditto.	928 0 0	Whole	.....	Janardan Prosad Rai and others.	.....	312 1 4	.....
1844	Ta. Gouindpur, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 9a. 7p. 12kt. 3b. 2g. 3kd. 2hd. of the mahal comprised in all the mauzas excluding 6a. 4p. 7kt. 12b. 17g. 2hd. represented by 6a. of ma. Bada and Bramhamantori, 5a. 9p. of ma. Bahampur makedani, Bilpur, makedani and Chhapuri, 4a. of ma. Jampara, Husbud, 2a. 8p. 10kt. 8b. of ma. Gobindpur and 2a. 10kt. 8b. of ma. Khandole and Rangoda.	Maulvi Abdul Gani alias Habibur Rahman and others.	880 8 0	.....	12 5 7
1846	Ma. Umar etc., ph. ditto.	663 0 0	Whole	.....	Srimati Sunamali Jema Dei and others.	.....	57 5 0	.....
1860	Kt. ta. Cuttack, ph. Cuttackibelli.	.....	.....	Kt. 9a. 4p. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 6a. 8p.	Choudhury Bijoyram Das and others.	542 9 0	.....	371 5 0
1771	Ta. Padmalaypur, ph. Dihirakhpur.	.....	.....	Kt. 5a. 9p. 8kt. 14b. 5g. 3kd. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 10a. 3p. 10kt. 1b. 11g. 1kd.	Srimant Lakami Narayan Jagdeb and others.	1,820 12 0	.....	910 9 0
1773	Ta. Rashunathpur, ph. Kodinda.	.....	.....	Kt. 4a. in each of the mas. of the estate excluding 12a.	Patibati Dei and others.	638 0 0	.....	23 3 0
1777	Ta. ditto ph. ditto	1,006 0 0	Whole	Narsingh Pabharaj and others.	592 13 8

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2071	Ta. Raghunath, ph. Saino.	Rs. A. P. 815 0 0	Whole	Raghunath Paria ..	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 815 0 0	Rs. A. P.
2180	Ta. Chitalpur, ph. ditto.	828 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Choudhury Dinakrista and others.	.....	806 2 0	.....
2175	Ta. Ganesb Prasad, ph. Hariharpur.	1,414 9 5	Do. ....	.....	Ganesb Prasad Bhagat.	.....	707 4 2	.....
2178	Pt. Madhyasasan, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 7a, 8a, 8kt, 1b, 1g, 1kd, in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 8a, 3p, 16kt, 14b, 18g, 3kd.	Choudhury Keertibas Das and others.	774 13 0	.....	383 12 0
2199	Kt. ma. Chikinia ...	.....	.....	Kt. 15a, 7p, 14kt, 7b, 8g, 3kd, comprised in all the mauzas except 6 pies in n.a. Chikinia, which represents 4p, 8kt, 8b, 11g, 1kd, of the mahal.	Baban Das and others	782 14 0	.....	38 2 2
2453 1	Ta. Puting, ph. Jhankar.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a, in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 8a.	Deokali Kuaur ...	1,148 0 0	.....	774 0 0
2401	Kt. L. B., ta. Janardanpur, ph. Barpala.	1,149 8 0	Whole ...	.....	Choudhury Keertibas Das and others.	.....	1,145 5 0	.....
2502	Kt. ta. Fagn, ph. Bakharabad.	.....	.....	Kt. 11a, 6p, 10kt, 1b, 14g, 1kd, comprised in all the mauzas except 13a, 4p, in ma. ayanpara, 6t, 8p, in mn. Poka which represents 4a, 2p, 14b, 5g, 3kd, of the mahal.	Srimatya Surjanmani Dibia, mother and guardian of Choudhury Loknath Acharye and others.	864 10 0	.....	859 10 0
2619	Ta. Jaganathpur, ph. Paida.	1,200 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Munshi Ahemad Bux	.....	1,006 0 0	.....
2623	Ta. Gajendra, ph. ditto.	557 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Choudhury Gajendra Ratha Mahapatra and others.	.....	557 0 0	.....
2671	Kt. ta. Niali, ph. Duogan.	.....	.....	Kt. 7a, 10p, 13kt, 11b, 3g, 3kd, in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 8a, 1p, 6kt, 4b, 16g, 1kd.	Choudhury Harihar Das and others.	803 9 0	.....	771 4 6
2673	Ma. Amarpara, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a, 8p, 2kt, 4b, 2g, 1bd, in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 2a, 3p, 17kt, 7b, 17g, 3kd, 3bd.	Nimal Charan Mitra and others.	982 3 0	...	34 9 6
2716 1	Ta. Singhpur, ph. Kaley.	...	...	Kt. 2a, in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 14a.	Choudhury Keertibas Das and others.	636 10 0	....	954 14 0
2716 2	Ta. Ditto ph. ditto	...	...	Kt. 2a, 6p, 10kt, 7b, 15g, in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 13a, 6p, 3kt 8b, 5g.	Choudhury Sham Churn Das and others.	701 2 0	...	791 2 0
2718	Ta. Madhab, ph. Kaley.	2,600 0 0	Whole	.....	Sri Gopinath Deb Thakur Sabut Choudhury Keertibas Das and others through their common manager Babu Hemendra Nath Das.	.....	2,600 0 0	.....
2721	Kt. ma. Suninda, etc., ph. ditto.	576 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Chaudhury Keertibas Das and others through their common manager Babu Hemendra Nath Das.	.....	576 0 0	.....
2741	Ta. Bhatpara, ph. ditto.	...	...	Kt. 15a, 7p, 13kt, 14b, in each of the mas. of the estate, excluding 4p, 4kt, 2b.	Banamatia Parida and others.	568 4 0	.....	228 0 0
2707	Kt. ta. Nada, ph. Benabar.	629 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Gobind Chandra Das and others.	...	313 14 3	.....
2708	Kt. ta. Dabi, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 9a, 1kt, 13b, 2g, 1kt, 2bd, in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 6a, 11p, 18kt, 2b, 17g, 3kd, 2bd.	Kavinath Kanongoi and others.	633 6 0	.....	321 25 0
2771	Ta. Narsinghpur, ph. ditto.	685 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Gobind Chandra Das and others.	.....	342 8 3	.....
2773	Kt. ta. Hanoo, ph. ditto.	1,162 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Pecorahi Kesh Mahapatra and others.	.....	1,100 14 6	.....
2782	Ma. Sangrampur, ph. ditto.	723 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Lakamihar Das	...	360 10 3	.....
2802	Kt. ta. Lakamudhar, ph. ditto.	2,362 5 11	Do. ...	.....	Ditto	.....	1,178 7 4	.....
2807	Ta. Achhutpur, ph. Kurain.	796 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Bhikishore Mahanti and others.	.....	371 14 0	.....
2816	Ta. Saibir, ph. Saibir	.....	.....	Kt. 3t, 8p, 6kt, 13b, 1g, 1kd, in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 12a, 3p, 13kt, 2b, 18g, 3kd.	Chaudhury Keertibas Das and others through their common manager Babu Hemendra Nath Das.	5,258 0 0	...	5,236 0 0
2816 1	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto	...	...	Kt. 1a, 11p, 18kt, 2b, in each of the mas. of the estate, excluding 14a, 1kt, 14b.	Choudhury Bijoyram Das through his common manager ditto.	2,836 10 0	.....	2,830 9 0
2816 2	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto	...	...	Kt. 1a, 4p, 18kt, 7b, in each of the mas. of the estate, excluding 14a, 7p, 1kt, 9b.	Chaudhury Harihar Das through his common manager ditto.	2,068 0 0	...	1,981 11 0
2816 3	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto	Kt. 11p, 4kt, 1b, 15g, 3kd, in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 15a, 10kt, 14b, 1g, 1kd.	Chaudhury Kulaman Das through his common manager ditto.	1,329 12 0	1,326 14 0

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2810 4	Ta. Saibir, ph. Saibir	Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Dasarathi Das through his common in uger Hemendra Nath Rai.	1,585 4 0	1,581 10 0
2816 7	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto ...	...	.....	Kt. 9p. 17kt. 12b. 1g. 1kd. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 15a. 2p. 3kt. 3b. 18g. 3kd.	Choudhury Meertan-joi Das through ditto.	1,173 5 0	.....	583 11 0
2816 8	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto ...	...	.....	Kt. 10p. 10kt. 15b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 15a. 1p. 9kt. 1b.	Choudhury Padmalay Das through ditto.	1,351 8 0	...	1,348 12 0
2816 9	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto ...	...	...	Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 19g. 3kd. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1kd.	Choudhury Narahari Das through ditto.	1,329 10 0	...	1,326 5 0
2816 10	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto ..	...	...	Kt. 1a. 1p. 7kt. 3b. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 14a. 10p. 12kt. 13b.	Choudhury Jairam Das through ditto.	1,585 3 0	...	1,581 8 0
2816 11	Ta. ditto, ph. ditto .	.....	...	Kt. 11p. 4kt. 1b. 19g. in each of the mas. of the estate, excluding 15a. 15kt. 14b. 1g. 1kd.	Choudhury, Gha-navam Das and others through ditto.	1,329 10 0	.....	1,326 5 0
2822	Kt. ta. Dalbad, ph. Sujanagar.	.....	...	Kt. 14a. 4p. 11kt. 8b. 7g. 2kd. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 1a. 7p. 8kt. 7b. 12g. 2kd.	Choudhury, Harihar Das and other.	580 14 0	.....	280 7 0
2823	Ta. Erunch, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 13a. 5p. 5kt. 11b. 14g. in each of the estate, excluding 2a. 6p. 14kt. 4b. 6g.	Ragunath Parija ...	923 6 0	.....	461 3 10
2824	Ta. Utaharna, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 10a. 5p. 6kt. 9b. 4g. 2kd. comprised in all the mauzas of the estate, excluding 5a. 6p. 10kt. 8b. 15g. 2kd. represented by 5a. 10p. 11kt. 5b. 14g. 1kd. 2bd. of ma. Damodarpur and 5a. 6p. 3kt. 11g. 1kd. 2bd. of all other mauzas of the estate.	Ditto ..	897 3 0	.....	443 9 0
2837	Ta. Gopinathpur, ph. Jainabad.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 11p. 15kt. 4b. 15g. 21bd. comprised in all the mauzas of the mahal, excluding 3a. 4kt. 11b. 4g. 3kd. 13bd. represented by ma. Protapnagar, Lokadi, Bharisole, Hirapur, Bagurhusudelpur, Nagpur, Purnasasan, Purnu Padhan, Panikola, Samlasasan, Kani, Bgunia, Titua, Nimpur, Talla, Kanpur, Bhagbanpur, Gaithpur, Hargan, Narilo, Kalia, Ogarnur, Anjira, Hajipur, Kantar, Susan, Sidhole, Tentol, Nunto Saljanga, Arnhole, Purnu, Salpalbank, Tihadi ph. Khundi, Sarmal, Alikanta, Thario, Gudpalle, Kantabulhabpur, Saluranga, Kanhapur, Ranpur, Alikana, Alabhar, Bakhrabad, Munpur, Ambasa, Badagar, Tertan, Botigan, Majhisora, Nanilo, Sampur, Haripa, Urali, Kethimahu, Upandara, Dando, Kadoopara, Jastalung, Amarsingh, Bodilo, Sarana, and Karada entire and 11a. 4p. 6kt. of ma. Sidhole.	Lala Purno Chandra Rai and others.	3,688 12 0	.....	2,797 4 8
2914	Kt. ma. Narsinghpur, ph. Benihar.	.....	.....	Kt. 15a. 9p. 4kt. 8b. comprised in all the mauzas excluding 2p. 16kt. 8b. of the mahal represented by ma. Kalu entire.	Basudeb Das and others.	695 3 0	.....	481 12 2
2920	Kt. ta. Debi, ph. ditto	738 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Krishna Chandra Das and others.	.....	368 11 5	.....
2919	Kt. ta. Sayedpur, ph. Sujabad.	629 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Babu Suresh Chandra Chakraborty, common Manager of Babu Halram Bhramar-ar Rai.	.....	314 0 0	.....
3020	Ta. Sitalo, ph. Deogan.	.....	...	Kt. 10a. 10p. 11kt. 4b. 5g. 4bd. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 6a. 1p. 8kt. 11b. 14g. 3kd. 34bd.	Choudhury, Keertibas Das and others.	597 10 0	.....	595 8 2
3071	Thaney Alanugiri, ph. Alti.	.....	.....	Kt. 9a. 10p. 14kt. 15b. 2g. 2kd., comprised in all the mauzas of the estate excluding 6a. 1p. 5kt. 17g. 2kd. represented by 6 aas. of n.a. Asia, comprising area 60'11, ma. Asia comprising area 372'12, Bhajipura, Charanangal, 8a. of ma. Nohi, 6a. of ma. Bhuluka, Mahadeipur, Jendapur, Raghunathpur, Kadharipur, Bahalibed, Bagasani, Nagan, Bhulapur, Bhulunka, Gappur, Khanduk, Patana, Harichandapur, Tikil-savil, Mughpur, 4a. of ma. Manduka, Kivnat ma. Manduka, Balchandrapur, Naganpur, Knapur, Niali and Suktipat, and 11a. of ma. Saika.	Darsani Sahu and others.	1,585 1 0	.....	1,079 0 0
3072	Kt. Thaney ditto ph. ditto.	4,216 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Surendra Nath Rai and others.	.....	1,560 13 6	.....
3128 4	Kt. 1a. Birtol, ph. Jhankar.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 8a.	Deokali Kumar ...	1,411 6 0	.....	705 11 0
3270	Ta. Kasba, ph. Alias	Kt. 6a. 1p. 1kt. in each of the mauzas of the estate, excluding 9a. 10p. 19kt.	Nilmadhab Parhi and others.	1,011 13 0	347 10 0

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3002	Ma. Jari, ph. Dolgram.	Kt. 18a. 6p. 9kt. 7g. 3kd. 3bd., comprised in all the mauzas, except 1a. 8p. 16kt. 8b. 3g. 1kd in ma. Champapal, Falpur, Hansanabad, Korai, Paharajpur, Nemra, and Tina, 2a. 8p. 1kt. 15b. 16g. 3kd. in ma. Chhotagari, and 3a. 7p. 19kt. 4b. 12g. 1kd. in ma. Jari, which represents 2a. 5p. 10kt. 15b. 12g. 1kd. 1bd. of the mahal.	Maistab Charan Samal and others.	3,320 14 0	2,028 1 7
3007	Ma. ditto, ph. ditto ...	897 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Parasram Samal and others.	.....	43 0 0	.....
3015	Ta. Alkand, ph. ditto	.....	.....	Kt. 9a. 5p. 18kt. 11b. 16g. 3kd. 2bd. of the mahal, comprised in all the mas., excluding 6a. 6p. 6kt. 4b. 3g. 2bd. represented by 10a. 3p. 16kt. 3b. 6g. of ma. Bitua, 7a. 9p. 9kt. of ma. Pursotampur, Balchandra-pur, Jhinkiri Bulpur, 6a. 1p. 9kt. of ma. Pritipur, Behari, Kutaltimbha, Sanudihi, Senanda, 7a. 3p. of ma. Huledidih and 3a. 6p. 9kt. of ma. Barpara.	Lakemidhar Panda and others.	702 0 0	.....	845 14 8
3070	Kt. ma. Sanudihi, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 8a. 4p. 1bd. in each of the mauzas of the estate excluding 7a. 7p. 19kt. 15b. 19g. 3kd. 3bd.	Babu Dayanidhi Panda and others.	509 4 0	.....	340 10 0
3081	Kt. ma. ditto, ph. ditto.	.....	.....	Kt. 12a. 9p. 10kt. 8b. 1g. comprised in all the mauzas of the mahal, excluding 3a. 2p. 9kt. 7b. 19g. represented by 16a. of ma. Katikata, Barpada, Nagpur, Ramchandrapur, Jhinkiri, Rina, Kapila, Raghunathpur, Kamal-pur, Dainodarpur, Similia and Narua, 1a. 6p. of ma. Sanudihi and 4a. of ma. Singhpur.	Gananath Panda and others.	611 0 0	.....	54 1 4
3091	Ta. Ijapur, ph. Katia	1,462 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Munshi Shaikh Akbul Raheman Ahmed and others.	.....	1,353 4 0	.....
3094	Ma. Kuana, ph. ditto	.....	.....	Kt. 16a. 11p. 2kt. 9b. 18g. 3kd. 1bd. of the mahal comprised in all the mauzas excluding 17kt. 4b. 1g. 1kd. 3bd. which represents 3p. 12kt. of ma. Tarang Sagarpur.	Sib Prosad Mahanti and others.	561 12 0	.....	79 11 0
4000	Ta. Gobindram, ph. Saraswati.	661 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Hari Prosad Boso and others.	.....	5 0 0	.....
4065	Ta. Iakhinarayanpur, ph. Padmapur.	887 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Nemai Charan De and others.	...	836 2 0	.....
4066	Ta. Brojasundar, ph. Painda.	556 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Oh. Brojasundar Pat-josi.	.....	276 12 0	.....
4326	Kt. ta. Narahari, ph. Menahar.	1,080 11 7	Do. ...	.....	Kreseta Chandra Das and others.	.....	514 2 6	.....

Cuttack Collectorate, the 13th February 1909.

BRAJA D. HAJARA, Senior Dy. Collector in charge,
for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 25th March 1909 at midday for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
936	Basahia Sheikh, pargana Nabra Chauran.	Rs. A. P. 1,082 10 8	Entire ...	.....	Mrs. Mary Christian.	...	Rs. A. P. 62 15 10	.....
3082	Jahangirpur Bham, pargana Hujipur.	568 10 11	Do. ...	.....	Museannat Sahago Kuar and others.	.....	4 2 5	.....

Muzaffarpur, the 13th February 1909.

H. C. WOODMAN, Collector.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, of Act XI of 1859 that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th March 1909 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 6, 8 and 10 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Consecutive No.	Tausi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1	2	Pargana Magura, kismet Kangonberia and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,323 3 0	Whole estate.	.....	Romanath Burn-on and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 881 15 0	Rs. A. P.
2	4-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Julpia.	3,450 1 0	.....	Excluding 10 annas share, remaining 6 annas share.	Srimati Chandra Bala Debi, mother and guardian on behalf Haradhan Ray Chowdhuri.	1,306 10 8½	.....	24 11 3
3	10	Pargana Magura, kismet Chetia and others.	809 7 0	Whole estate.	.....	Ditto ... ..	.....	113 3 2½	.....
4	15B.3.	Pargana Magura, kismet Khariberia and others.	4,078 3 0	.....	Excluding 3 annas share remaining 13 annas share.	Preonath Roy Chowdhuri and others.	3,312 3 3	.....	22 1 9
5	15-1	Ditto ...	4,078 3 0	.....	Excluding 13 annas share, remaining 3 annas share.	Kali Sohay Roy Chowdhuri	765 14 9	.....	19 10 3

Alipore, the 15th February 1909.

A MOOKERJI, for Collector, 24-Parganas.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3	Harnarainpur, pargana Pachrukhi.	Rs. A. P. 612 3 0	.....	1) small— Kita Dhab As. Harnarainpur 16 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Mohamad Rafiuddin and others.	Rs. A. P. 507 5 0	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 81 13 10

Gaya Collectorate, the 17th February 1909.

R. S. GREENSHIELDS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbham will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
627	Banawan	Rs. A. P. 3,572 6	.....	Residuary share— 13a. 18g. 1k. and 1kt. share, excepting separate account Nos. 1, 2 and 3. All other shares than that specified will be included from the sale.	Khendkar Mehdi Bossan and others.	Rs. A. P. 3,216 15 10	.....	Rs. A. P. 13 9 0

Birbham Collectorate, the 15th February 1909.

M. CHATTERJI, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bengal and North-Western Railway, in the district of Purnea, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 30th April 1909, corresponding with the 15th Baisakh 1316 B.S., at Purnea Sadar.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Purnea	Munadpoor, Kurula, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	West side	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ajodhya Singh. North—Railway land. South—Ajodhya Singh.
2	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
3	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
4	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
5	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
6	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
7	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
8	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
9	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
10	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
11	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
12	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
13	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
14	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	1 13 6	0 2 8	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Mukhabatkh. North—Ditto. South—Railway land.
15	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	East side	5 7 15	1 3 5	.....	.....	...	East—Porti. West—Do. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
16	Purnea	Muradpoor, Kur-sia, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	East side	4 4 13	1 1 24	.....	.....	...	East—Rankoo Gangaria. West—Mongan Gangaria. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
17	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 7	1 1 39	.....	.....	...	East—Raj parti. West—Kanchan. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
18	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	3 13 1	1 0 33	.....	.....	...	East—Raj parti. West—Ferungi Mandal and large ditch. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
19	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Large ditch. North—Rajmunder. South—Raj parti.
20	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rajmunder. South—Raj parti.
21	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal South—Raj parti.
22	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
23	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
24	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
25	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Meshoo Mandar. South—Raj parti.
26	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Meshoo Mandar. South—Raj parti.
27	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
28	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
29	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
30	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
31	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
32	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
33	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
34	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
35	Ditto	Mujdeea, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	Ditto	4 16 2	1 2 14	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Bateaur Mandal. South—Ditto.
36	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 3 5	1 2 33	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Bateaur Mandal. South—Ditto.
37	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 19 9	1 2 23	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Bateaur Mandal. South—Ditto.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. E. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
38	Purnea	Mujdeea, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	East side	2 17 15	9 3 33				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South— Ditto.
39	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	3 15 19	1 1 0				East—Railway land. West—Batesur Mandal. North—Railway land. South—Batesur Mandal.
40	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 5 3	1 1 25				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
41	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 6 5	1 1 28				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
42	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 6 5	1 1 29				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
43	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
44	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
45	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 11 15	1 2 0				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
46	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
47	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 14 5	1 2 9				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
48	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 15 7	1 2 12				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
49	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 17 10	1 2 19				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
50	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 18 14	1 2 21				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
51	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 0	1 2 24				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
52	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 3 6	1 2 33				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
53	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 5 10	1 2 39				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
54	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 13	1 3 2				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
55	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 10 0	1 3 11				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North— Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
56	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North—Ziraf of Debipoor Factory. South—Batesur Mandal.
57	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5				East—Railway land. West— Ditto. North—Ziraf of Debipoor Factory. South—Batesur Mandal.
58	Ditto	Muradpoor, Kuthia, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	Ditto	14 9 1	4 3 4				East—Railway land. West—Batesur Mandal. North—Ziraf of Debipoor Factory. South—Railway land.
59	Ditto	Mujdeea, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5				East—Chandhula land Batesur Mandal. West—Railway land. North—Ziraf of Debipoor Factory. South—Batesur Mandal.
Total					298 14 6	98 3 0				

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, in the district of Howrah, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Wednesday, the 21st April 1909, at the Howrah Collectorate.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the District Collectors of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Howrah	Pargana Mandal-ghat, mauza Nengabar.	230	South	40 12 10	13'43	.....	...	From between chains 191'385 to 192'385.	North.—By the boundaries of mauzas Godar Noapala (lat No. 5) and Noapala (lat No. 6). South and East.—By the private lands in mauza Nengabar. West.—By the private lands in mauza Nengabar and boundaries of lots Nos. 2, 3 and 6.
2	Do.	Pargana Mandal-ghat, mauza Godar, Noapala.	230	Do.	14 7 6	4'75	.....	...	From between 191'400 to 191'990.	North.—By the boundaries of lots Nos. 1 and 5 and Bengal-Nagpur Railway's acquired land. South.—By the boundary of lot No. 1. East.—By the boundaries of lots Nos. 1 and 5. West.—By the private lands in mauza Godar Noapala and Bengal-Nagpur Railway's acquired land.
3	Do.	Ditto	230	Do.	1 14 2	'50	.....	...	From between 191'885 to 192'185.	North and West.—By the boundary of lot No. 5. South and East.—By the boundary of lot No. 1.
4	Do.	Ditto	230	Do.	0 6 2	'10	.....	...	From between 192'282 to 192'385.	North and West.—By the Bengal Nagpur Railway's acquired land. South.—By the boundary of lot No. 5. East.—By the private lands in mauza Godar Noapala.
5	Do.	Pargana Mandal-ghat, mauza Noapala	230	Do.	19 17 14	6'52	.....	...	From between 191'635 to 192'385.	North.—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway's acquired land and boundary of lot No. 4. South.—By the boundaries of lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3. East.—By the private lands in Noapala. West.—By the boundary of lot No. 2.
6	Do.	Pargana Aisha, mauza Chandrapur.	237	North	65 0 0	21'64	.....	...	From between 228'100 to 229'400.	North.—By the private lands in mauza Chandrapur. East and West.—By ditto. South.—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway's land.
7	Do.	Ditto	237	South	0 19 1	'31	.....	...	From between 228'485 to 229'775.	North.—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway's land. South, East and West.—By the boundary of lot No. 8.
8	Do.	Pargana Khalore, mauza Mohadeb-pur.	237	Do.	45 16 0	16'14	.....	...	From between 225'250 to 229'210.	North.—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway's land and boundary of lot No. 7. South, East and West.—By the private lands in mauza Mohadeb-pur.
9	Do.	Pargana Mandal-ghat, mauza Madhabpur.	238	North	36 0 4	12'08	.....	...	From between 230'280 to 232'00.	North.—By the private lands in mauza Madhabpur. South.—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway's land. East.—By the Bengal-Nagpur-Railway's land and private lands in mauza Madhabpur. West.—By the river Damodar.

Howrah Collectorate, the 18th February 1909.

H. T. S. FOREST, Collector, Howrah.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, and the undermentioned estates situated in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate on the 26th March 1909, corresponding with 13th Chaitra B.S. 1315 :—

Conditions of Sale.

- 1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.
- 2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.
- 4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
		A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4814	Dadhia, pargana Manohar ...	1 0 5	1 9 0	
6414	Nigon, pargana Dhenia ...	3 2 6	20 9 3	
6413	Ditto ditto ...	4 1 2½	28 5 0	
6396	Ditto ditto ...	7 1 10½	46 12 6	
6397	Ditto ditto ...	6 0 34½	36 15 0	
6398	Ditto ditto ...	7 1 39	47 15 9	
5034	Kotal Ghosh, pargana Amatsahi ...	0 3 32½	6 12 0	
6419	Senpara, pargana Indrani ...	11 2 3	48 8 0	
6562	Nigon, pargana Dhenia ...	7 1 24	33 10 0	
6602	Ditto ditto ...	5 ½ 0	35 1 0	
6568	Khudrun, pargana Dhenia ...	2 1 20½	17 6 6	
4414	Gidhagrain, pargana Arsa ..	0 0 38	1 0 0	
6600	Karui, pargana Dhenia ...	3 3 28½	33 10 6	
121	Gangatikari, pargana Manaharsahi ...	0 0 38½	1 13 3	

Collector's Office, district Burdwan, the 12th February 1909.
17th

A. SAMAD, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Midnapore, will be put up to sale at the Midnapore Collectorate on Friday, the 26th March 1909, corresponding with Bengali 13th Chaitra 1315.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

- 1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to him subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.
- 2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.
- 4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
		Ac R. P. 8 annas share of—	Rs. A. P.	
186	Nabanibar Srirampur, pargana Barada	1 2 12	9 2 0	
2908	Jagannathpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	14 3 17½	14 0 0	
2982	Iwarpurbar, pargana Barada ...	9 0 33	46 10 0	
2986	Srirampur, pargana Barada ...	7 2 25½	38 14 3	
2990	Harirampur, pargana Chetua ...	6 2 33½	45 2 6	
2996	Syampur, pargana Chandrakona ...	13 3 24½	108 11 0	
2997	Masakpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	4 2 25½	30 6 0	
3004	Bhangadahe, pargana Barada ...	6 0 30	31 9 0	
3012	Kuran, pargana Barada ...	6 1 16½	36 15 3	
3013	Bhagirathpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	20 2 21	134 1 3	
3014	Dewanchak, pargana Chandrakona ...	1 1 30½	5 7 2	

Collector's Office, district Midnapore, the 16th February 1909.

A. T. DEB, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Toposi Extension, Nandi-Panuria section of the East Indian Railway, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, the 19th April 1909, corresponding to the 6th Baisakh B.S. 1316, Sitarampur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

- 1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than 3 feet from its foundation.
- 2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.
- 4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.
- 5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Burdwan	Mauza Ohu-rulia, pargana Shergarh.	7 & 8	Situated on the south side of the Railway	7 18 11	2 2 10'07	.....	.....	The Lot contains two rectangular plots measuring (125 x 280) and (400 x 21) and lying between chains 36'60 and 37'30.	Bounded on all sides the khas danga land.

Hooghly, the 19th February 1909.

RUSIK LAL SEN, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		Permanently-settled Estates			Rs. A. P.	
5218	Bisthazari Patti Moosmat Sarwar Jahan Begum, etc., pargana Bisthazari.	4,291 12 0	Whole ..	.....	Moosmat Sarwar Jahan and others.	....	337 14 0	
5223	Bisthazari Patti Beni-Singh, etc., pargana Bisthazari.	2,245 13 0	Do. ....	.....	Beni Singh and others	.....	5,019 4 0	

Monghyr Collectorate, the 20th February 1909.

H. C. LINDELL, Covtd. Deputy Collector in charge.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of January 1909 Kist of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
54	Habibpur, pargana Raibhati	1,085 4 9	.....	Residuary share=Rs. 1085. 14. 1kg., is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Charu Chandria Nandi and others.	645 10 9	.....	7 1 3

Burdwan Collectorate, the 22nd February 1909.

W. B. HAZCOCK, Collector of Burdwan.

Sale Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on Thursday, the 25th March 1909, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
616	Rampore diara, pargana Bahadgawan.	Rs. A. P. 1,015 0 0	Whole ..	....	Jaikumar Chand	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 2,521 3 7	....
1716	Itaripatti Harakhnath Patak, pargana Chausa.	676 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Udit Patak and others ...	Nil	380 4 3	....
1785	Kataria Jalnipur, pargana Chausa.	1,362 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Ram Kanan Ahir and others.	Nil	1,339 9 6	....
1786	Kathiar Nawabad, pargana Chausa.	1,824 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Shahdeo Rai and others ..	Nil	2,200 12 1	..
1798	Kusurpa, pargana Chausa	1,325 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Ram Soorah Pandey ..	Nil	160 15 6	..
1884	Mohanpore, pargana Chausa.	829 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Ramyad Rai and others ..	Nil	826 11 7	..
2021	Srinja, pargana Chausa ..	1,396 0 0	Do. ..	Nil	Ramtahal Rai and others	Nil	919 2 3	....
2022	Ditto ditto ..	774 0 0	Do. .	Nil	Ramawtar Rai and others	Nil	400 8 7	....
2025	Sikthi, pargana Chausa ..	634 6 4	Do. -	Nil	Sheodher Singh and others	Nil	39 9 9	....
2075	Amson, pargana Champore.	11,201 13 8	Do. ...	Nil	Nanack Chand and others	* Land revenue - 120 8 0 Road cess - 12 0 6 T. M. - 36 0 0 Pine - 10 0 0 Interest - 9 0 0	Nil	....
7880	Kanabri, pargana Chausa	355 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Basmati Kanar	Nil	970 7 8	....
9682	Panerpore, pargana Chausa.	661 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Mahadeo Tiwari	Nil	166 3 0	...

* These are the arrears due from Khatas 70 and 45 at September kist 1908 and the sale is held under section 14, Act XI of 1859.

Shahabad Collectorate, Arrah, the 24th February 1909.

W. A. MARR, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909, at 12 o' clock, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 6, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
242	Hijuli, pargana Manjouri.	Rs. A. P. 955 13 10	No ...	252-1 8 annas. Besides the above the remaining share, 8 annas, is excluded from the sale.	Nogendra Nath Pal Choudhuri and others.	Rs. A. P. 477 14 11	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 29 6 4
468	Shanka Chandra, pargana Shahajiel.	10,885 8 8	No ...	488-1 4 annas. Besides the above the remaining share, 12 annas, is excluded from the sale.	Pran Nath Chowdhuri and others.	1,324 1 3	....	6 7 8
591	Chur Ramnagar, pargana Rudranagar, pargana Begawan.	1,906 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Debendra Nath Singha Rai and others.	....	193 4 0	....
2310	Bilmadia, pargana Rajpur.	1,220 8 10	Do. ...	.....	Pranabada Gupta and others.	....	260 10 6	....
3194	Basudebpur, pargana Taragonia.	496 8 7	No ...	3194 1 6 annas. Besides the above the remaining share, 8 annas, is excluded from the sale.	Lalit Mohun Mukherji ...	208 4 4	....	60 7 6

Krishnagar, the 14th February 1909.

B. S. BHATTACHARYA, Deputy Collector in charge, Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 18, Act XI of 1859, read with Act VII (B.C.) of 1868 that the undermentioned tenure in the estate of Kothdesh district Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd March 1909, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by above laws are realizable as arrears of land revenue:—

No. of tenure.	Name of tenure, mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole tenure.		Whether the whole tenure is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Name of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.		If the whole tenure is to be sold, the arrear due from it.		If only a share is to be sold, the arrear due from it.		REMARKS.
		Rent.	Cess.				Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	
90 91	Ma. Biswanathpur, pargana Kothdesh, thana Pipili.	1,397	...	Whole ...	.....	Gadadhar Pain and others.	.....	...	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	.....	.....
283 231	Ma. Mahukhanda, pargana Kothdesh, thana Pipili.	520	...	Do. ...	.....	Mahanta Raghunandan Banauj Das.	.....	.....	48 10 0	2 10 7	.....	.....
315 335	Ma. Sarkana, pargana Kothdesh, thana Pipili.	1,337	...	Do. ...	.....	Parasuram Mohapatra and others.	.....	.....	29 4 10	1 14 8	.....	.....
291 299	Ma. Ratilo, pargana Kothdesh, thana Pipili.	921	...	Do. ...	.....	Gopiprasad Bhagat and others.	.....	.....	175 10 6	6 13 11	.....	.....

Puri Collectorate, the 16th₂₀ February 1909.

MURARI MISHRA, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate on the 5th April 1909, corresponding with 23rd Chaitra 1915 B.S. (Bengali, Fusli, or Unli, according to the era current in the district.)

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

The condition regarding the payment of a land revenue fixed in perpetuity are not applicable to estate in temporarily-settled districts in which the land revenue should be fixed for the term of the current settlement and be subject to periodical revision on expiry of each settlement. In the case of one estate, situated in a permanently-settled area and yielding an annual rental of less than Rs. 1 there should be no condition regarding payment of land revenue.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
445	Raghunathpur, pargana Halisahar	53 26	Rs. A. 65 9	

Collector's Office, District Nadia, the 24th February 1909.

R. S. BHATTACHARYA, Dy. Collector in charge.

the said Court in his sale-room in the Court House on Saturday, the 19th day of March 1909, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the undermentioned immovable property:—

All that upper-roomed brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house, together with the piece or parcel of land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected or built containing by admeasurement 10 cottahs 1 chittaak and 36 square feet be the same a little more or less situate, lying and being formerly No. 13, now No. 6, Mullick Street in the North Division of the town of Calcutta and comprised in holding No. 280 in Block No. XI and paying Government revenue of Rs. 2-2-8, and bounded on the north and east by premises No. 7, Mullick Street, formerly belonging to Ram Shebaek Mullick, but now belonging to Sham Das Khottry, on the south partly by the premises Nos. 3, 4 and 5, Mullick Street, formerly belonging to Ram Kissen Das, but now used as a Dispensary and Dhurmashala of Rai Bahadur Surjee Mull Jhoon Jhoonwala, and on the west by Mullick Street.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar, Original Side, or at the office of Messrs. Dutt & Guha, the plaintiff's attorneys at No. 4, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Dutt and Guha, Plaintiff's Attorneys, High Court, Original Side, the 16th day of January 1909.

(306—1—99)

Notice.

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 10 of 1908.

SYED SOMSED ALI, son of late Syed Eakub Ali, by caste Musalman, by profession trader, at present residing at Barabazar in town Burdwan, has, by an order of this Court, dated the 25th February 1909, been adjudged to be an insolvent, and that the Nazir of this Court has been directed to take charge of his property, which has been ordered to be vested in this Court.

A. GOODRYS, District Judge.

Burdwan, the $\frac{4}{5}$ th March 1909. (299—1)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 10 of 1909.

Ram Babu Sonar, son of late Gopal Sonar, by caste Swarnakar, by occupation goldsmith of Dum-Dum Cantonment, Sadar Bazar, district 24-Parganas, applicant, *versus* (1) Ram-Tohal Tewari, Pandit of Dum-Dum Cantonment, Sadar Bazar, (2) Jogabandhu Tewari of Dum-Dum Cantonment, Sadar Bazar, (3) Kailash Pati Dobey of Dum-Dum Cantonment, Sadar Bazar, (4) Khub Lal Saha of Dum-Dum Cantonment, Sadar Bazar, (5) Guru Char Saha of Dum-Dum, Sadar Bazar.

ON the 1st March 1909 it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the applicant will be heard on the 29th March 1909 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROX, District Judge.

Alipore, the 4th March 1909. (297—1—96)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bhagalpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 of 1909.

Bhagwan Das Bhagat, Petitioner.

NOTICE

IS hereby given under clause 2 of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907 to all concerned that the Insolvency petition of Bhagwan Das Bhagat, son of Harbans Lal Bhagat, of Nathnagar in the town of Bhagalpur, has been admitted by this Court and that 2nd April 1909 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Bhagalpur District Judge's Office, the 4th March 1909.

(309—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907 to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Parada-charan Hazra, son of Ramchandra Hazra of Jhikira, thana Amta, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 4 of 1909, and that the 27th March 1909 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.
Chinsura, the 1st March 1909. (287—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907 to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Panchanan Das Santra of Kasunda, pargana Boro, thana Shibpur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 5 of 1909, and that the 27th day of March 1909 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.
Chinsura, the 1st March 1909. (288—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 82 of 1908.

Hara Mohan Sardar, son of Gobinda Chandra Sardar of Dabu, thana Matla, applicant, *versus* S. M. Aghoromoni Debi of Sekhar Bali and another, creditors, opposite party.

ON the 25th January 1909, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said applicant be heard on the 8th March 1909 and that the applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROX, District Judge, 24-Parganas.
Alipore, the 1st March 1909. (284—1—95)

In the Court of the District Judge, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 84 of 1908.

Bejoy Nath Roy, son of Mati Lal Roy of Chitpore, thana Chitpore, district 24-Parganas, applicant, *versus* Pramatha Nath Goswami of Seerampore, thana Seerampore, district Hooghly, and others, opposite parties.

ON the 25th January 1909, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 8th March 1909, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROX, District Judge.
Alipore, the 2nd March 1909. (293—1—97)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 83 of 1908.

Nanda Ram Gain, son of late Ram Dhone Gain of Dabu, thana Matla, applicant, *versus* Aghore Moni Debi of Sekharbali, thana Baruipore and others, creditors, opposite parties.

ON the 25th January 1909, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said applicant will be heard on the 8th March 1909 and that the applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROX, District Judge.
Alipore, the 2nd March 1909. (292—1—98)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bhagalpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 of 1909.

GOVIND RAM MARWARI, Petitioner.

NOTICE

IS hereby given under clause 2 of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act 3 of 1907 to all concerned that the insolvency petition of Gobind Ram Marwari, son of Jodhranj Marwari of Aliganj, in the town of Bhagalpur, has been admitted by this Court and that the 31st March 1909 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

J. C. TWIDELL, District Judge.

Bhagalpur District Judge's Office, the 4th March 1909.

(308—1)

**In the Court of the District Judge of
Jessore.**

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 of 1908.

PETITIONER Sarat Chandra Basu, son of late Ram Lal Basu of Dhopadi, pargana Chengutia, station Monirampur, district Jessore, was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 7th August 1908.

L. PALIT, District Judge.

Jessore, the 18th February 1909. (204—3—70)

SURENDRO NATH GUPTA BHAYA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a vakil, High Court, Calcutta. (281—4—88)

FOUND in Manki Khal, Sundarbans State Forests, one door of corrugated iron fastened on angle iron considerably bent belonging to a flat. The owners should apply to the undersigned who will deliver it at any time and date agreed upon on the Aura Shipsha river on the despatch route.

Deputy Conservator of Forests,
Sundarbans Division, Khulna.

Khulna, the 1st March 1909.

REQUIRED for the Chittagong Custom House an Accountant on Rs. 100—5—125 and a Checking Clerk on Rs. 50 per mensem.

Applicants should state their age, qualifications and previous experience.

Only those with accounts experience need apply.

Preference will be given to those possessing Custom House experience. Applications will be received up to the 16th March 1909.

W. I. K. HOWARD, Offg. Collector of Customs,
Chittagong, the 1st March 1909.

WANTED a Muhammadan who has passed the 1st grade Vernacular Mastership Examination from any of the 1st class Training Schools in Bengal, for the post of an Assistant Master in the Dumka Zilla School on a pay of Rs. 15 rising to Rs. 20 by an annual increment of Rs. 1. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 10th March 1909.

M. PROTHERO,
Inspector of Schools,
Bhagalpur Division.

Bhagalpur,
The 16th February 1909.

WANTED a qualified European for the post of Inspector of Septic Tank Installations in Bengal. The pay of the appointment is Rs. 200 to Rs. 300 a month rising by an annual increment of Rs. 20. Candidates with previous Municipal or Cantonment Sanitary experience will have preference. Applications with copies of testimonials should be submitted in the first instance in writing to the undersigned not later than the 10th March 1909.

F. C. CLARKSON, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal,
Writers' Buildings, Calcutta,
Calcutta, the 26th February 1909.

Wanted.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Librarian of the Patna College on Rs. 50 a month outside the graded service. They must reach the undersigned on or before the 20th March 1909. The selected candidate will have to furnish a security deposit of Rs. 250.

V. H. JACKSON,
Offg. Principal, Patna College.
Bankipore, the 4th March 1909.

Wanted

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Librarian of the Patna Collegiate School on Rs. 20 a month. They must reach the undersigned on or before the 20th March 1909. The selected candidate is required to furnish a security deposit of Rs. 250.

AMJAD ALI,

Offg. Head-Master, Patna Collegiate School.
Bankipore, the 5th March 1909.

Wanted

IMMEDIATELY the following hands for the Special Land Acquisition Office, Bhagalpur:—

	Pay.
	Rs.
1 Head Clerk-Accountant ...	50
1 Second Clerk ...	25
1 Third Clerk ...	20
1 Head Muharrir-Peshkar ...	30
3 Muharrirs ...	20 each
1 Draftsman-Surveyor ...	45

None need apply who has no previous experience of work in a Special Land Acquisition office.

The application of the Draftsman, who should have knowledge of survey work, should be accompanied by a sample tracing made by himself.

All applications which must be accompanied by copies of testimonials, should be in the applicant's own handwriting, and should reach the undersigned by the 15th March.

BHABATARAN CHATTERJEE,

Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector,
Pratapganj-Bhumnagore Extension, Bhagalpur.
Bhagalpur, the 26th February 1909.

Wanted.

WANTED a Bahari Graduate for the post of Sub-Inspector of Schools, Bagodar Circle, on a salary of Rs. 50 a month, with Travelling Allowance under the Rules of the Civil Service Regulations. Applications must reach this office on or before the 20th March 1909.

E. A. LEFEVRE,

Offg. Inspector of Schools,
Chota Nagpur Division.
Purulia, the 15th February 1909.

Wanted

AN experienced Overseer for Famine Relief Works on a consolidated salary of Rs. 80 to Rs. 100 per month inclusive of all allowances.

Application with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 16th March 1909.

F. C. TEMPLE, District Engineer.
Muzaffarpur, the 19th February 1909. (245—3)

Wanted

AN Overseer for the Sonbarsa Ward's Estate in Bhagalpur district; pay Rs. 50 rising to Rs. 75, with a horse allowance of Rs. 15 a month. Passed candidate with experience will be preferred. There are prospects of the post being permanent.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th March next.

F. F. LYALL, Collector.
Collector's Office, Bhagalpur, the 4th March 1909.
(298—1)

Wanted

A TEMPORARY Draftsman for one year on a salary of Rs. 60 per mensem. None need apply who has not good experience of the work. The applications will be received by the undersigned till the 15th March 1909.

ILLCOCKLE, for District Engineer.
Laheriasarai, the 1st March 1909. (286—1)

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sambalpur-Cuttack Road, Khalsa Section, from Sambalpur to the border of the Rairakhol State, and Sambalpur-Sonepur Road from Sambalpur to Dhama will be closed to cart traffic from 25th February 1909 to 25th June 1909, during construction of the roads. Temporary roads have been constructed along the sides of the roads for cart traffic.

H. P. TULAPATRA, *Accountant,*
for Executive Engineer,
Sambalpur Division.

Sambalpur, the 22nd February 1909.

Notice.

THE Directors have made the following change in the Bank's European establishment:—

Mr. S. B. Moultrie to act as Agent, Allahabad, vice
Mr. S. A. H. Sitwell, transferred to Dacca.

By order of the Directors,

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, the 5th March 1909.
(296-1)

Notice.

THE Directors have made the following change in the Bank's European Establishment:—

Mr. P. A. Selfe to act as Agent, Bara Bazar
(Calcutta) Branch, during the absence, on short
leave, of Mr. J. Lapaik.

By order of the Directors,

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, the 8th March 1909.
(301-1)

Lost or Stolen.

THE lower halves of the Government Promissory Notes Nos 016922 and 089342 of the $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. loans of 1900-01 and 1854-55 respectively, for Rs. 500 each originally standing in the name of Hari Dass Sreemoney and the Bank of Bengal, respectively, and last endorsed to Agabeg Brothers, the proprietors, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been lost or stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietors. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities.

Advertiser—AGABEG BROTHERS.
Residence—Jogta, Sijua P. O.

Manbhum, the 10th February 1909. (168-3)

Lost or Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 082062 of the $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. of 1900-01 for Rs. 25,000, originally standing in the name of Bank of Bengal and last endorsed to Tejpal Jumna Dass, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person but was endorsed in blank having been lost, or stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—Tejpal Jumna Dass.
Residence—No. 95, Lower Chitpur Road, Calcutta.
(295-3-94)

Estate Francis Samuel Peck, Col., I.M.S.,
late of Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the Estate of the deceased above-named are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King Hamilton & Co., 4 and 5, Koilaghat Street, Calcutta, on or before the third day of April 1909, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the Estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 3rd day of March 1909.

W. H. TAYLOR,

Administrator with Will annexed of the
Property and Credits of the deceased,
4 & 5, Koilaghat Street, Calcutta.
(289-3-100)

Copy of the Resolution adopted by the subscribers to the Hindu Family Annuity Fund, Calcutta, at their Annual General Meeting held on the 30th January 1909.

THAT the Directors be authorised to draw in the manner laid down in rule 73, Rs. 62,250 (sixty-two thousand two hundred and fifty-nine only) from the deposit account with the Government of India to meet the expenditure provided in the budget estimate for the year 1909-1910

AMRITA LAL MUKHARJI, Chairman.

PRAN KISEN BOSE, Secretary.

Calcutta, the 5th March 1909 (302-1-92)

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET
HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED

From 1st September 1908 to 31st March 1909.

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Mails for	Date of closing.	LATEST HOUR OF POSTING.			
		General Post Office.		Barabazar, Bowbazar, Chowringhi, Dharamtola, Fort William, Outram and Wellesley Street Post Offices.	
		Ordinary articles.	Registered articles.	Ordinary articles.	Registered articles.
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa and East Africa, and also South Africa if superscribed on the cover and United Kingdom or Aden.	1909. 11 Mar.	7-30 P.M.	5-30 P.M.	6-45 P.M.	5 P.M.
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Burma	11 " and 15 "	7-30 "	6 "	6-45 "	5 "
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	13 "	7-30 "	6 "	6-45 "	5 "
Akyab, Kyaukpau and Sandoway.	12 "	7-30 "	6 "	6-45 "	5 "
Port Blair and Rangoon.	13 "	7-30 "	6 "	6-45 "	5 "

* On other days correspondence for China, Japan and Australasian Colonies is despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that it may proceed by the first steamer from Colombo.

Late Fee.

1. Late letters bearing a late fee are received at the General Post Office at the following hours on the days on which direct mails are closed:—
For Burma and Port Blair, from 7-30 P.M. to 8 P.M., with a late fee of 1 anna.
For Homeward English mail on Thursday with a late fee of 4 annas from 7-30 to 8-30 P.M.
For Foreign mails by sea, from 8-30 P.M. to 9 P.M., with a late fee of 4 annas.
For Foreign mails via Madras or Tuticorin, from 6-45 P.M. to 6-15 P.M., with a late fee of 4 annas.
For Foreign mails via Bombay, from 7-30 P.M. to 8 P.M., with a late fee of 4 annas.
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Late registered articles for the Homeward English mail are received on Thursday from 5-30 P.M. to 6-30 P.M., with a late fee of 4 annas.

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Mails for	LATEST HOUR OF POSTING.			
	General Post Office.		Barabazar, Bowbazar, Chowringhi, Dharamtola, (b) Fort William, Outram and Wellesley Street (b) Post Offices.	
	Ordinary articles.	Registered letters.	Ordinary articles.	Registered letters.
1. Arracan and Chittagong	4-30 A.M.	(a) 6 P.M.	(a) 6-45 P.M.	(a) 5 P.M.
2. Bombay, Central Provinces, Midnapur, Purnea, Chaitanya and Bengal-Nagpur Railway.	1-15 P.M.	1 "	11-45 "	11-30 A.M.
3. Places on the East Indian Railway (Loop)	2 "	1-30 "	12-45 "	12 noon.
4. Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Lower Assam.	3-55 "	2-25 "	2-45 "	2-30 P.M.
5. Orissa and Madras Presidency.	5-45 "	4-30 "	4-45 "	4 "
6. Cuttack, Midnapur, Punjab, United Provinces, Bombay Presidency, Central India, Sind and Baluchistan, Eastern Bengal, Central Bengal and Murshidabad.	7 "	5-30 "	6-45 "	5 "

(a) Previous day.
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For the Darjeeling and Assam mails, from 2-55 P.M. to 4-15 P.M.
For the Madras mail, from 5-45 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab, Bombay and Jubbulpur and Eastern Bengal mails, from 7 P.M. to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of one anna, from 7-30 P.M. to 8-30 P.M.
2. Late registered letters bearing a fee of 3 annas are received at the General Post Office from 4-30 P.M. to 5-15 P.M. for the Madras mail and from 5-30 P.M. to 6-30 P.M. for the Punjab, and for Bombay via Jubbulpur and Eastern Bengal mails from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

J. F. BARKER,

Offg. Presidency Postmaster.

GENERAL POST OFFICE,

Dated Calcutta, the 8th March 1909.

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THE next annual stock-taking of the Indian Law Reports kept at the Bengal Secretariat Book Depot will commence on the 1st April, 1909. The public are hereby informed that all issues of the said Reports from the said Depot to subscribers and officials will be suspended during that month.

F. G. WIGLEY,

Secy. to the Bengal Council,
and Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Dept.

LEGISLATIVE DEPT.;
BOOK DEPÔT BRANCH,
The 28th December, 1908.

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Abstract of the Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, assembled under the provisions of the Indian Councils Acts, 1861 and 1892.

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Present:

The Hon'ble SIR EDWARD BAKER, K.C.S.I., Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, *presiding*.

The Hon'ble MR. F. A. SLACKE, C.S.I.

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The Hon'ble MR. C. W. N. GRAHAM.

NEW MEMBER.

The Hon'ble MR. C. W. N. GRAHAM took his seat in Council.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

SAVINGS EFFECTED IN THE SALARY OF THE POST OF PRINCIPAL OF THE
CALCUTTA MADRASSA.

The Hon'ble the NAWAB BAHADUR OF MURSHIDABAD, AMIR-UL-UMARA, asked :—

Will the Government be pleased to state what, if any, is the amount of savings effected in the salary of the post of Principal of the Calcutta Madrassa since the appointment of the present incumbent ?

The Hon'ble MR. CUMMING replied :—

“When an officer goes on leave, it is ordinarily the case that his leave allowances, plus the officiating allowances of the officers who are promoted in the chain of vacancies caused thereby, equal or exceed the saving caused by his absence. The Local Government has made no special calculations in the case of Dr. Ross, but it has no reason to believe that the result will be different.”

MURDER OF INSPECTOR NUNDO LAL BANERJEE.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL said :—

With reference to the murder of Inspector Nundo Lal Banerjee, may I inquire if the inquiry is still proceeding, and if any clue has been obtained which might lead to the detection of the culprits involved in this abominable murder ?

The Hon'ble MR. DUKE replied :—

“The inquiry into the murder of Sub-Inspector Nundo Lal Banerjee is still proceeding. Government is not at present in a position to make any statement as to the information so far obtained.”

ENTERTAINMENT OF AN ADDITIONAL POLICE FORCE ON THE EASTERN BENGAL
STATE RAILWAY BETWEEN DUM-DUM JUNCTION AND BARRACKPORE STATION.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL asked :—

(a) With reference to the Government Notification in the Calcutta Gazette of February 24th, declaring the area extending for two miles on each side of the Eastern Bengal State Railway, from a point one mile south of Dum-Dum junction to Barrackpore Station, to be in a dangerous state, and the entertainment of an additional Police force, will the Government be pleased to state what is the estimated monthly cost of the force, and whether the cost is to be defrayed out of the general revenues of the State or from special taxation on the people ?

(b) If the latter, how is it to be apportioned ?

(c) What are the villages included in the area ?

(d) Is it a fact, as stated in some newspapers, that it is intended to exclude the Mill area and Cantonment portion from the limit of taxation, if any; and if so, will the Government be pleased to state the reasons for such exclusion ?

The Hon'ble MR. DUKE replied:—

(a) "The estimate of cost of the force to be employed has not yet been worked out. It is expected that it will amount to about Rs. 7,000 per month. The cost will be recovered from the inhabitants of the declared area, with the exception of such individuals or classes as the Lieutenant-Governor may choose to exempt on the recommendation of the local officers."

(b) "The details of apportionment of the cost cannot be stated at present."

(c) "A complete list of the villages included in the area is not yet before Government."

(d) "No decision has yet been arrived at as to any particular area to be exempted."

SEPARATION OF JUDICIAL AND EXECUTIVE FUNCTIONS.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state what steps it proposes to take with a view to trying the experiment of separation of Judicial from Executive functions in selected districts, as promised last year?

The Hon'ble MR. DUKE replied:—

"This Government is still in correspondence with the Government of India on the subject of the separation of Judicial and Executive duties in Bengal."

THE CHOTA NAGPUR ENCUMBERED ESTATES (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1908.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE presented the Report of the Select Committee on the Bill further to amend the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates Act, 1876.

He said:—"In doing so I may mention that since the Bill was referred to a Select Committee for consideration, the question as to whether the Act applies to districts outside Chota Nagpur has been very ably argued before the Board, who, agreeing with the Hon'ble the Advocate-General, have decided the matter in the affirmative.

"It is very probable that the decision thus arrived at will be tested in the Civil Court, and thereby a point, which has long been in doubt, will be finally settled."

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE moved that the Bill, as amended by the Select Committee, be taken into consideration.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE also moved that the clauses of the Bill be considered in the form recommended by the Select Committee.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE also moved that after sub-clause (a), in clause 7 of the Bill, the following be inserted, namely:—

"(b) debts or liabilities which the Deputy Commissioner is satisfied had necessarily to be incurred for the maintenance of such holder or his family."

He said:—"It is considered necessary to insert this clause for, in the section as it stands, the person who makes the application to the Commissioner may find himself very much hampered, if he is unable to raise means for the support of himself and his family during the period his appeal is being considered."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—

"This seems to be a very necessary addition, and I beg to support the amendment to clause 7."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE also moved that sub-clauses (b) and (c) in clause 7 of the Bill be lettered "(c)" and "(d)", respectively.

He said:—"This is merely a consequential amendment on the Council having accepted the previous amendment to clause 7."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE also moved that to sub-section (2) of section 14A in clause 13 of the Bill, and to sub-section (2) of section 19A in clause 15 of the Bill, the following be added, namely:

"Provided that the Deputy Commissioner shall, before passing such order, hear any explanation or objection that may be made by such person."

He said:—"In making this motion, Sir, I would point out that under section 21A, clause 16 of the Bill, all the orders of the Commissioner, or Deputy Commissioner, are subject to the control of the Board of Revenue, who would of course see that the party fined had been given reasonable opportunity to explain his inability to produce the requisite deeds. But this amendment may possibly result in preventing undue expense on the part of the person called upon to deposit the deeds and who in default has been fined, since it will compel a Deputy Commissioner to remember that such a hearing is essential before a fine can be imposed."

The Hon'ble BABU KALI PADA GHOSH said:—

"Sir, this addition seems to be a distinct need, and I strongly support this amendment."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. SLACKE also moved that the Bill, as settled in Council, be passed.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, said:—"Your Honour, I heartily sympathise with the underlying policy of the Bill, which is now going to be passed into law. Experience, both official and non-official, as regards the practical working of the existing law for the protection of the ancient and historic families of Chota Nagpur, has been utilised to the fullest extent to give the final shape in which the Bill has been presented before us. The amplest safeguards have also been provided for the aboriginal imbecile landlords of Chota Nagpur, who, lacking both education and character, are prone to enter into a career of wasteful extravagance, and fall an easy prey to the astute and unscrupulous mahajans. There are several provisions in this Bill, Sir, which, if I may be permitted to say so, trench upon the rights of ownership to properties under the law of the land, which, though unsuited to, and would be intolerable in, other parts of the province entrusted to Your Honour's care, are proper for the class of landholders who will come under the operation of this special legislation. This law will clothe the local officials of Chota Nagpur with extensive and, I may say, unbounded powers which, I feel no doubt, will be exercised in the same fatherly spirit in which the law has been conceived. Autocracy, Sir, is exposed to the risk of using its giant strength like a giant. The Bill has therefore provided for careful and strict scrutiny, both of the Board of Revenue and Your Honour, for all important proceedings so far as the local officials are concerned, and it has also afforded facilities to the aggrieved parties to invoke such scrutiny."

"There is one matter in connection with this Bill on which I wish to submit a few observations. It is not unoften that I have seen people affect a puritanic view against money-lenders as a class, though no human society can do without them. Shylocks are undoubtedly undesirable members of society, and to none more so than to the borrower when the time comes for them to demand their pounds of flesh. It is, however, very imprudent to legislate on a principle which ignores all the legitimate protection which is eminently due to honest money-lenders.

"There are two provisions of the Bill, in regard to which I now wish to submit a few observations before Your Honour. According to clause 5 of the Bill, there is, on the one hand, the very narrow limit of time, which is three months from the date of the order vesting the property of the incumbent proprietor in the Manager, within which the claimants are allowed to put forward their claims and, on their failing to do so, they forfeit their right to enforce their claim until their property is restored to the proprietor; on the other hand, Sir, the mode of publication of the notices is limited to merely posting it in cutcherries of the district or districts in which the property is situated. Now, Sir, those who are acquainted with the habits of the people in this country, and of Chota Nagpur in particular, will not deny that the various notices and *istahars* posted on the notice boards attached to cutcherries are seldom read, as also various notices that are posted up in the notice-boards attached to Courts of Law or Revenue Courts. Under section 19 of the Bill, it is competent to Your Honour to frame rules for giving greater publicity to such notices. If I may venture a suggestion at this stage, I should say that such notices should be published in the Calcutta Gazette and in the local papers, if any, and also in two English papers published in Calcutta and two vernacular papers, one of Calcutta and one of Bihar. The next point is that the plenary powers reserved by clause 11 of the Bill will enable the Manager and the Commissioner to effect settlements of debts in any manner they please, entirely ignoring the terms of the contract under which the debts were incurred, and even the decrees of the Civil Court obtained in respect of such debts. This is undoubtedly an extraordinary power intended only to meet exceptional cases, but I hope, Sir, and earnestly hope, that proper rules will be framed for the exercise of the power vested in Your Honour under clause 19 to regulate the exercise of such power. In the absence of such rules, I apprehend that honest capital will run shy of these ancient families in time, when for a legitimate and useful purpose they will stand in need of borrowing money.

"These are my humble suggestions in respect of the whole Bill itself. I hope, Sir, I shall not be accused of undue partiality towards the money-lending community for making these precautionary suggestions, and I hope, Sir, I shall not be misunderstood."

The Hon'ble Mr. SLACKER said:—"With reference to the remarks that have just fallen from the lips of the Hon'ble Member, I will say that the suggestions with regard to clause 5 of the Bill will be duly considered when the time comes to frame the requisite rules. With regard to clause 11 the power to which the Hon'ble Member has alluded is an existing power and, so far as my experience goes, I cannot remember any case of hardship having arisen. With these few remarks, Sir, I would ask that the Bill be passed."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

THE BENGAL EXCISE BILL, 1909.

The Hon'ble Mr. Macpherson moved that the Bill to consolidate and amend the Excise Law in Bengal be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Mr. Oldham, the Hon'ble Sir Charles Allen, the Hon'ble Mr. Chapman, the Hon'ble Rai Kishori Lal Goswami, Bahadur, the Hon'ble Babu Gajadhar Prasad, the Hon'ble Babu Radha Charan Pal, the Hon'ble Mr. Das and the Mover, with instructions to report next July.

He said :—"The Bill has been published in the Calcutta Gazette, and will be published in the vernacular Gazettes. It has been sent to local officers and authorities and Associations, with the request that opinions may be forwarded by the middle of this month. Copies of the Bill have also been sent to the newspapers. When opinions are received, they will be circulated to all the Members of the Council, and they will be referred to the Select Committee. Some time will be required for printing and abstracting the replies, and for preparing them for the consideration of the Select Committee; but I think that it should be possible for the Select Committee to begin its sittings in June; and I would express a hope that it may be able to report in July, and that the Bill, as settled by the Committee, may commend itself to the Council and be passed into law in July or August. Unless, Sir, there should be such a discussion to-day with regard to the general provisions and principles of the Bill, as to require an explanation from me, I do not propose to-day to add to the remarks which I made on the day that the Bill was introduced. I now ask you, Sir, to put the motion which stands in my name."

The Hon'ble BABU DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI said :—

"OUR first and most agreeable duty to-day is to thank Your Honour and Your Honour's Government for the considerate orders for regulation of the location of drink-shops in specified municipal areas through the instrumentality of Advisory Boards. This is an important concession to what has been unreasonably termed "extreme temperance views" which is doubly welcome because it is spontaneous and voluntary, and we quite recognise that it is a sort of first experiment, tentatively made, the scope of which will be capable of expansion. It is a distinct advance on the Bill as introduced in Council the other day, and the Select Committee about to be appointed will, I have no doubt, take due note of this advance and work out proposals for effective yet safe local control. I am no less sorry than surprised to find that my pioneer remarks on the Bill were characterised as "severe," and I am glad and thankful to have been to a certain extent justified by the later action of the Government to which I have just referred. The discovery as to "severity" was fortunately made not in the Province most affected by the measure, but hundreds of miles away from this Council Chamber, where "vigour of criticism" will be the last thing to be resented, so long it is *bona fide* and not absurdly impractical. The need of something like local option, long recognised by the Government and the various Committees that have considered the matter for years, has been conceded by the Bill, and the expansion of the principle in its working details will now be the work of the Select Committee. That there is necessity of not only vigour of criticism but also of vigour of action will be admitted by those who have with any degree of care studied the requirements of particular tracts and the manner in which drinking facilities are provided for them. I shall refer to the tract which I know best as a resident, bounded on the north by the street running from this Council Chamber on to the Sealdah Station and on the south by the parallel street leading from the South-East gate of the Government House. I shall not refer to the many superior and inferior hotels, or the eating-houses, bars and drinking saloons frequented by non-Indian population, whose habits and customs require larger conveniences in this direction. These institutions abound in this tract and round about it, possibly because it is the business part of the town and the centre of European trade and commerce. Nor shall I for the same reason take into consideration the many retail shops within and near about this area in which liquor is not sold in glasses but in bottles, though it would be interesting to have an idea of the number of these retail shops and hotels, which I exclude for my present purposes. But the weary traveller who is not particular as to his house of entertainment and trudging the distance of about a mile from this Council Chamber or the Government House through any route he may choose, to the Sealdah Station, will have his choice of not half-way houses but one-sixth way houses, if such a phrase be permissible, for more than a dozen liquor-shops are to be found in this circumscribed area. If we had a Committee with real determining voice and effective control, more than half of these shops

would disappear to-morrow and with it the proportionate drinking facilities. White in his admirable Natural History of Selbourn tells us that "crickets may be destroyed like wasps by phials half filled with beer or any liquid and set in their haunts, for being eager to drink they will crowd in till the bottles are full." The human crickets and wasps in my neighbourhood, in which some of these beer-traps are only a few hundred yards apart, are neither by inclination nor nature so eager to drink, and many of these death-dealing phials may with advantage be removed from their haunts. If people cannot be left to manage and control local affairs like these, no generous measure of reform that may be passed will fit them for larger shares of self-government. As has, therefore, been claimed by a well-known Anglo business paper, it would be infinitely better to bring into being a representative Licensing Board by statute than to trust the matter to an Advisory Council.

"I would not at this stage like to labour this point and some others that I ventured to indicate on the day that the Bill was introduced in Council. But as the Council will not be in touch with the Select Committee for some months, I would like, with Your Honour's permission, to say a few more words on the most important of these points that strike me.

"The power of granting Excise licenses by the Corporation of Calcutta or any other Municipality under section 84 of the present Act should not be withdrawn, and the control now granted by law—but up to the present not exercised for reasons that are by no means clear—should be allowed to stand and be put into practice.

"It is further desirable on principle that the Revenue Authorities in districts outside Calcutta should not be allowed full and undivided control in future years. Although it is impossible to hope that Government will hand over from Revenue-officers the decision on licensing affairs to a non-official body, friends of temperance would desire to see an expansion of the principles actuating the appointment of the recent Committee, and would press that these Committees, which may be constituted at the discretion of Local Government, shall share with the Revenue Authority the final control of such important subjects as the number and location of sites, and shall have a real determining voice.

"There is much indeed to criticise in sections 34 to 41 of the Bill, and around these the greatest discussion in the Select Committee and later on here must centre. The temperance opinion of recent years has been gathering about the much-debated question of local option, and while it is admitted that local option as found in Europe and America is at present not fully applicable to the condition of affairs in Bengal, the hour has come when as much representation as possible of local opinion should be obtained. The question of the granting of licenses, etc., affects three different areas: first of all, Calcutta and Howrah; secondly, municipal areas in the Mufassil; and, thirdly, areas in the Mufassil where no Municipalities are at present formed, and where the District Board is the one non-official representative body. Different arrangements must of course be suggested for these three different areas. As the Government has already been good enough to accept and agree to the principle of Licensing Committees, I venture to point out that they have at their disposal representative men in each of the said three spheres to whom could be given the responsibility of dealing with the liquor traffic in their respective areas. For example, there may be in Calcutta, for which no separate Committee has been appointed this year, a Licensing Committee of nine members, consisting of—first, the Commissioner of Excise; second, Chairman of the Corporation; third, the Commissioner of Police; fourth, one Presidency Magistrate, one Municipal Commissioner, one representative of Educational interests, to be named by the University or the Director of Public Instruction, and the remaining to be nominated by the public bodies like the British Indian Association and the Muhammadan Literary Society. This would give quite a representative Committee to which public opinion would be perfectly willing to appeal. The decision of the majority of the Committee on any point should be regarded

as final; but if the Government did not consider their interests sufficiently safeguarded, an appeal might still be allowed to the Board from the decisions of this Committee. In licensing matters that affect the suburbs, it will of course be necessary to add the local Magistrate to the Committee.

"Then in regard to Mufassal municipal areas, the constitution of the Committee such as would be acceptable to the Government has already been foreshadowed by the appointment to which I have referred and it would be desirable to add the District Judge or the highest Judicial Officer of the locality and a representative of Educational interests and a representative of local non-official interests. Here, again, it would be wise to allow final decision to a majority of this Committee, or, if necessary, grant appeal from it to the Divisional Commissioner. Then, in regard to non-municipal areas, a Committee consisting of the Collector, the Vice-Chairman of the District Board, as in most cases the Chairman himself is the Collector, and the third, the District Superintendent of Police and representatives of Educational and non-official interests, as in the last case, may be decided on. In this way it is quite possible to suggest a system applicable to the present development in the three areas referred to, in and through which such representation as the public may at present be allowed to claim could be fairly granted. That the demand is not unreasonable has already been conceded by Your Honour's action, and a slight modification is all that we venture to ask for. If, however, suggestions like these are ruled impracticable, it is desirable that under section 37 the class of objectors to the proposals made by the Collector should be more general. Under the present wording no non-resident may appeal against the placing of a groge shop in a certain locality. It is quite possible the Principal of a college or the Head Master of a school might be living away from the position chosen which he might regard as dangerous to his scholars, but because he is not a resident municipal rate-payer he would have no legal standing to raise objections. Further, although in the note explaining the various sections of the Bill it is stated that this section (37) aims at allowing public bodies to make objections, there is nothing in the section itself giving this authority; and it is undesirable that so general a term as "in the vicinity of the shop" should be allowed to remain and a definite distance should be mentioned.

"The Local Government should not be allowed, as is suggested in section 21 of the Act, to obtain such power as will in all future years make it practically independent of public opinion. To take section 21 together with section 79, there are a large number of most important considerations in which public opinion should be obtained before final action is taken, and the Local Government should be subject, at any rate, to the criticism available through a discussion in the Legislative Council upon many of the items referred to. It is necessary therefore to guard the future probable course of events by refusing to legislate in a manner that will make reform hereafter much more difficult to obtain.

"With regard to section 28, it is not quite clear as to what the Local Government means by allowing itself the opportunity of dealing with any aspect of the sale of foreign liquor which does not come under the Liquor Duties. Sections 21 and 28 may give the Local Government in future years the fullest authority to do much regarding which legislative interference from time to time would be wholesome and welcome, specially pending changes in our Legislative Councils.

"Paragraph 26 of the Statement of Objects and Reasons reads: '*Chapter IV.—Manufacture, Possession and Sale.*—In dealing with these provisions have been entered which, while imposing the necessary restrictions on the public, will enable the Lieutenant-Governor to adopt any system of administration that appears most suitable to particular areas.' This is far too large a power and should be considerably restrained.

"There is a serious omission from these clauses of the Bill which stands in the draft of the Bill of 1904. It referred to restrictions on grants of licenses,

and empowered the licensing authority to forbid any increase in the number of licensed shops in any area which it regarded as sufficiently supplied, and then added this important clause (2). Subject to any rules made by the Board on this behalf, such authority shall not authorise the grant of any licenses for the retail sale of country spirit or *tari* at any place situated:—

(a) In the case of municipal areas in or at the entrance of any market established or licensed under the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, or the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or any enactment repealed thereby, or in the case of non-municipal areas in or at the entrance to any bazar, or

(b) near any bathing ghat, place or water-supply used by the public, school, hospital, place of public worship, factory, workshop or tea-garden, or

(c) in the interior of any village (clause 40 of the draft Bill of 1904).

“The present Bill gives the Board general powers by saying every license, permit or pass granted under this Act shall be granted subject to such restrictions and on such conditions as the Board may direct either generally by rule under section 80 or specially in any particular instance [clause 42 (a) (iii)]. The particulars in the draft Bill of 1904 are matters that should have legislative force and not be left to the rule-making power of the Board. Although such rules are supposed to be in force at the present day, they are not observed. The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, referring to section 40 of the draft Bill, said: ‘The Lieutenant-Governor quite admits that the object of this section might be achieved by rules framed under the Act, which would of course have the force of law just as fully as the provisions contained in the Act itself. But he considers that it is not only due to the opinions expressed by those who are deeply interested in temperance reform but also due to Government itself that the principles which underlie the Excise Administration of the Government in this respect should be clearly expressed in the law. This clause involves very few alterations in the existing procedure’— (See Financial Department, Separate Revenue, No. 181T.—F., Darjeeling, 22nd April, 1904). It is therefore desirable that this clause be reintroduced into the Bill.

“As regards the maximum of retail sale and possession, the Bill leaves the settlement under clause 5 and clause 18 to the Board. This changes the law (section 15 of Bengal Act VII of 1878), and is opposed to the views of the Excise Commission, which, so far as country liquor is concerned, considered that the statutory limit of one quart bottle prescribed by Act XII of 1896 was wise. Some statutory limit should be provided, and temperance workers think that for country liquor the limit of one quart bottle is proper, and it has been suggested that each bottle so sold should be sealed with the seal of the licensee-holder.

“The newly-given powers to compromise cases of offences under the Excise Act, [section 68 (1)] are open to grave objection. The Bill of 1903 proposed to give the Collector as distinct from the Magistrate power to compromise cases of offences under the Excise Act. The present Bill goes much further, and, following the precedent of legislation in Madras, proposes that the Collector or any Excise Officer specially empowered by the Local Government in this behalf may accept from a licensee-holder whose license is likely to be cancelled or suspended payment of a sum of money not exceeding Rs. 200 in lieu of such cancellation or suspension or by way of compensation for such offence. In support of this innovation it has been urged that, under the present law, offenders have invariably to be prosecuted before a Magistrate or their licenses have to be cancelled. There are many cases, it is claimed, in which it would be to the advantage of both the offender and the revenue if the Collector or any Excise Officer specially empowered by the Local Government in that behalf had power to compromise is questionable legislation and takes away from the satisfactory safeguards of Chapter IX to a large degree. It

authorises a sort of a Court which is and can be no Court composed of the Revenue officials, and adds to the revenue of the department by compounding cases which merit imprisonment or a small fine. In place of section 68 (1) the present law should stand modified by stating what Magistrates should try Excise cases.

“The exceptions in paragraph 41 are undesirable, especially regarding (a) and (c). It opens the way for the Revenue authorities to employ for short periods a number of agents who will not come under the restrictions of the Act, and forms an exception to the main principles of the Bill that must be regarded as undesirable.”

The motion was then put and agreed to.

The Council was then adjourned to the 26th of March, 1909.

CALCUTTA ;
The 9th March, 1909. }

F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council.



APPENDIX TO The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10, 1909.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

CALCUTTA, the 4th March 1909.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches light-vessel—Replaced in position.

No. 109 (first publication),—

Subject.—The South Patches light-vessel has been replaced in position.

Position.—Lat. $21^{\circ} 29' N.$, long. $91^{\circ} 36' E.$

Character.—Fixed white.

Visibility—11 miles.

Charts affected.—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 829, Coconada to Bassein river.

„ 859, Mutlah river to Elephant point.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, No. 360a, page 63.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 250.

Notice to Mariners No. 457 of 13th November 1908.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, telegram dated 3rd March 1909.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—INNER ROUTE.

Frankland islands—Non-existence of rock north-westward of—.

No. 110 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 186 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—An exhaustive search having been made for the 4-fathom rock, shown on the charts to the north-westward of the Frankland islands, without any trace of its existence being discovered, it has been expunged from the chart.

Position on Charts.—At a distance of about $8\frac{1}{2}$ cables, N. 65° W., from the summit of High island.

Lat. $17^{\circ} 9' 10'' S.$, long. $146^{\circ} 0' 20'' E.$, on chart No. 2350.

Variation—6° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2350, Double point to Cape Grafton.

„ 2763, Coral sea and Great Barrier reef, sheet I.

„ 2764, „ „ „ „ II.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, page 334.

Authority.—H.M. Surveying Vessel *Fantome*, 5th December 1908.

KOREA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—MASANPHO APPROACH.

Douglas inlet—Rock.

No. 111 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 195 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A pinnacle rock exists in Douglas inlet, Masanpho approach.

Position.—Summit of Tai peng island (283 feet) bearing N. 66° W., distant 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ cables, and Neuk Do Δ N. 16° E.

Lat. 35° 0 $\frac{3}{4}$ ' N., long. 128° 45 $\frac{1}{4}$ ' E.

Depth.—About 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1065, Masanpho harbour and approaches.

„ 3366, Fusan harbour to Port Hamilton.

„ 104, Korean archipelago, S. portion.

„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Nipon.

„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.

Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, pages 111, 116.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1283 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO.

Surabaya strait, northern entrance—Position of Pilot-vessel altered.

No. 112 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 198 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The position of the Pilot-vessel in the northern entrance to Surabaya strait has been altered, and is now as given below.

New position.—Moved about 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ cables, in a N. 17° E. direction, and now situated at a distance of 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ miles, N. 17° E., from Cape Piring lighthouse.

Lat. 6° 51 $\frac{3}{4}$ ' S., long. 112° 44 $\frac{3}{4}$ ' E.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 934, Plan of Surabaya strait.

„ 1654, Island of Java.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 123.

Notice to Mariners, No. 1489 of 1908. (*This Office No. 418 of 17th October 1908.*)

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 121 of 1909.

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA).

Shimonoseki kaikyo, eastern approach—Wreck removed.

No. 113 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 199 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The wreck of the sailing vessel, sunk in the eastern approach to Shimonoseki strait, has been removed.

Position.—About 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles to the south-eastward of He saki lighthouse.

Lat. 33° 56' N., long. 131° 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ ' E.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3225, Shimonoseki kaikyo to Maruyama zaki.

„ 2875, Naikai.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 497.

Notice to Mariners, No. 94 of 1909. (*This office No. 85 of 15th February 1909.*)

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 1285 of 1908.

CHINA SEA.

Banka island, north and north-east coasts—Intended light buoys.

No. 114 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 201 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoys on the north and north-east coasts of Banka island will be replaced by light buoys; and a light buoy will be established as given below:—

1. Buoys to be replaced by light buoys:

(a) Black can buoy:

Position.—On western side of Penyusu island, Klabat bay.

Lat. 1° 32' S., long. 105° 40½' E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Light buoy, painted black, exhibiting an *occulting white light every twenty seconds*, thus:—

<u>Light.</u>	<u>eclipse.</u>
10 secs.	10 secs.

(b) Black can buoy with truncated cone topmark:

Position.—On south-west side of Sullivan rocks.

Lat. 2° 1½' S., long. 106° 16½' E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Light buoy, painted white, exhibiting an *occulting white light with period similar to (a).*

(c) Black can buoy:

Position.—North side of reef in approach to Koba.

Lat. 2° 26½' S., long. 106° 25½' E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Light buoy, painted black, exhibiting an *occulting white light with period similar to (a).*

2. Light buoy to be established:

Position.—On eastern side of Malan Tate (Fokke reef).

Lat. 1° 55½' S., long. 106° 14½' E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Light buoy, painted white, exhibiting an *occulting white light with period similar to (a).*

Charts affected.—No. 2597, Banka strait.

„ 2757, Banka strait to Singapore (1) (a).

„ 2149, Gaspar and Banka straits.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1906, pages 493, 494, 529, 532.

Notice to Mariners No. 1198 of 1908. (*This office No. 358 of 26th August 1908.*)

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 120 of 1909.

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Tungsha light-vessel—Replaced on Station.

No. 115 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 202 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—The Tungsha light-vessel, which had been temporarily removed for repairs, has been replaced on her station, and the temporary light-vessel has been withdrawn.

Position.—Lat. $31^{\circ} 8' N$, long. $121^{\circ} 59\frac{1}{2}' E$.

Remarks.—The characteristics of this light-vessel are as described in the Admiralty List of Lights.

Charts affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 1199, Kueshan islands to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki, &c.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 811.

China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1904, page 406; Supplement, 1907.

Notice to Mariners No. 2045 of 1908. (*This Office No. 52 of 28th January 1909.*)

Authority.—Shanghai Notice (Special), No. 324 of 1908.

JAPAN—NAIKAI—HIROSHIMA WAN.

Hotaka jima—Reef eastward of.

No. 116 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 214 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A reef exists to the eastward of Hotaka jima, Hiroshima wan.

Position.—North-east extreme of Hotaka jima, bearing $N. 78^{\circ} W.$, distant $1\frac{1}{2}$ cables, and summit of Hashira jima $S. 8^{\circ} E$.

Lat. $34^{\circ} 4\frac{1}{2}' N$, long. $132^{\circ} 23\frac{1}{2}' E$.

Depth.— $4\frac{1}{2}$ feet.

Remarks.—This reef has a depth of 13 fathoms close eastward of it, and between it and Hotaka jima are depths of less than 5 fathoms. The reef also extends for a distance of $1\frac{1}{2}$ cables in a $N. 22^{\circ} E$. direction, where there is a depth of 7 fathoms on its outer edge, beyond which it deepens suddenly to 21 fathoms.

Variation.— $5^{\circ} W$.

Charts affected.—No. 3469, Hiroshima wan.

„ 2875, Naikai.

Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 485.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 1284 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Buton strait—Shoal.

No. 117 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 220 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A shoal exists in Buton strait, south-east coast of Celebes.

Position.—Near western shore of strait, with Castle hill bearing $S. 23^{\circ} W.$, distant $19\frac{1}{2}$ cables, and Lohia hill, $S. 68^{\circ} W$.

Lat. $4^{\circ} 51\frac{1}{2}' S$, long. $122^{\circ} 44\frac{1}{2}' E$.

Description.—About one cable in extent, and consisting of sand and stones.

Depth.—2 fathoms, with depths of 6 fathoms around.

Variation.— $2^{\circ} E$.

Charts affected.—No. 3470, Plans of Buton strait, and North narrows.

„ 3616, Tomori gulf to Salayar strait.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 361.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 181 of 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SEBU, NORTH COAST.

Malapascua island—Shoal eastward of.

No. 118 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No 223 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A shoal, on which the S.S. *Katherine Park* struck, is reported to exist to the eastward of Malapascua island.

Position.—North extreme of Malapascua island, bearing N. 68° W., distant about 2 miles, and the south extreme of the island, S. 75° W.

Lat. 11° 20½' N., long. 124° 8½' E.

Depth.—2½ fathoms was obtained by sounding round the vessel when aground, with deeper water between the shoal and the island.

Remarks.—The vessel was drawing 17 feet at the time of the accident.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, San Bernardino to Mindoro strait.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 276.

Authority.—Board of Trade, 27th January 1909.

ST. L. S. WARDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 25th February 1909.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—ANXIOUS BAY.

Venus harbour—Obstruction to navigation removed.

No. 98 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 65, dated the 28th January 1909, issued by this Office, the President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given further notice (No. 2 of 1909) that the Obstruction referred to has been removed.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 1061 and 1066.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—KANGAROO ISLAND, BACKSTAIRS PASSAGE.

Cape Willoughby and St. Albans—Lights.

No. 99 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 3 of 2nd January 1909, issued by this Office, the President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given further notice (No. 3 of 14th January 1909) that in about Fourteen (14) days' time, a Red Light will be exhibited from the lower part of the Tower of the Cape Willoughby Lighthouse showing over the Scrapper Shoal from about south by west until shut in by the high land of Cape St. Albans, and that in all probability the Unwatched Light at Cape St. Albans will be changed to a fixed White Light showing from east-south-east around by east to north until obscured by Cape Willoughby, but as to this a further notice will be issued.

This affects Admiralty Charts, Nos. 2389B, 1014, and 25.

AUSTRALIA—TORRES STRAIT.

Prince of Wales channel, Ipili reef—Beacon blown down.

No. 100 (second publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 1 of 1909) that the Beacon on Ipili Reef, Prince of Wales Channel, has been blown down. The beacon will be restored as soon as practicable.

Charts affected : Nos. 2354 and 691; *Australia Directory*, vol. 2.

INDIA, WEST—KATHIAWAR COAST.

Derelict reported.

No. 101 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay (No. 8 of 1909), are republished:—

<i>Subject</i>	... A derelict of a native craft on the 7th February 1909, is reported in the following position:—
<i>Position</i>	... Latitude 20° 25' N., Longitude 70° 52½' E.
<i>Charts affected.</i>	... No. 2736, Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug. ,, 826, Karachi to Vengurla.
<i>Publication</i>	... West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 1898, page 258.
<i>Authority</i>	... Master, S. S. "Bahaduri."

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—MORETON BAY.

North channel—Banks reported to be extending.

No. 102 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 151 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned banks in North channel, Moreton bay, are reported to be extending into the fairway.

Position.—Comboyuro point, lat. 27° 3½' S., long. 153° 21½' E.

(a) East bank has extended to the westward to within a distance of about 100 feet from the line of Comboyuro point and Howard range lights.

(b) The eastern Hixson bank has extended to the eastward to within a distance of about 200 feet from the leading line of the abovementioned lights.

Remarks.—A note to the above effect has been placed on the Charts.

Chart affected.—No. 1670a, Moreton bay.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, pages 128, 131, 133.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Pyramus*, Hydrographical Note, No 6 of 1908.

PERSIAN GULF—ARABIAN COAST.

Kuweit approach—Breakers reported.

No. 103 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 152 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—Breakers are reported to exist in the approach to Kuweit, as undermentioned.

Position.—Lat. 28° 28' N., long. 48° 46' E.

Remarks.—These breakers were sighted from the S.S. *Kasimi*, and appeared to mark a reef which extended for a distance of about one cable in an east and west direction.

Charts affected.—No. 2837b, Persian gulf, western sheet.

,, 748b, Indian ocean, northern portion.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1908, page 112.

Authority.—Lloyds, 4th January 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Bassein river entrance—Positions of buoys altered.

No. 104 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 156 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The positions of the undermentioned buoys in the entrance to Bassein river have been altered, and are now as given below.

Position.—Pagoda point obelisk, lat $15^{\circ} 57\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $94^{\circ} 15'$ E.

(a) Orestes shoal buoy (black conical).

New position.—Moved about 3 cables, in a N. 42° W. direction and now situated at a distance of 2 miles and $9\frac{1}{2}$ cables, S. 55° E., from Pagoda point obelisk.

(b) Purian bank buoy (red conical).

New position.—Moved a distance of $10\frac{1}{2}$ cables in a N. 31° E. direction and now situated at a distance of $4\frac{3}{4}$ miles, S. 81° E., from Pagoda point obelisk.

Variation.— 1° E.

Charts affected.—No 834, Bassein river and approaches.

„ 152, Preparis North channel.

„ 923, Korange island to White point.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 341; Revised Supplement, 1908.

Authority.—Royal Indian Marine Survey, 7th December 1908.

Remarks.—This cancels this office Notice to Mariners No. 41 of 22nd January 1909.

NEW ZEALAND—STEWART ISLAND.

Port Pegasus, south arm—Rocks.

No. 105 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 161 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned rocks, which are marked by kelp, exist in the south arm of Port Pegasus.

Position.—Micrometer rock, lat. $47^{\circ} 13'$ S, long. $167^{\circ} 39\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Bearing and distance from
Micrometer rock.

Depth.

(a) S. 73° W, $8\frac{3}{16}$ cables	... 2 fathoms.
(b) S. 63° W., 9 „	... $2\frac{1}{2}$ „
(c) N. 47° W., $2\frac{3}{16}$ „	... 2 „

Remarks.—Foul ground exists between (a) and the shore northward of it.

A patch of kelp exists, at a distance of $2\frac{3}{16}$ cables, S. 36° W, from Micrometer rock, which has not been examined.

Variation.— 18° E.

Chart affected.—No. 2542, Plan of Port Pegasus.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 285.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Pioneer*, Hydrographical Note No. 3 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Caution—Banchar road—Shoal.

No. 106 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 163 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal exists in Banchar road, north coast of Java.

Position.—Lat. $6^{\circ} 46' 20''$ S., long. $111^{\circ} 50' 00''$ E., on chart No. 1654.

Depth.— $2\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Remarks.—This shoal is situated about one mile to the northward of the 4½-fathom sounding shown on the chart near this position.

Caution.—On a line joining Petokol and Aur Aur points, considerably less water is reported to exist than is shown on the chart.

Chart affected.—No. 1654, Island of Java, eastern portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 119.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 92 of 1909.

RED SEA.

Perim harbour—Mooring buoys established: Quarantine anchorage.

No. 107 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 164 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—Two mooring buoys, for the use of vessels carrying pilgrims, have been established in Shand bay, Perim harbour.

Position.—Pirie point lighthouse, lat. 12° 38½' N., long. 43° 24½' E.

Bearing and distance
from Pirie point lighthouse.

Description.

(a) N. 83° E., 845 yards.

Mooring buoy No. 1.

(b) N. 68° E., 830 „

„ „ „ 2.

Quarantine anchorage.—Pilgrim vessels and other vessels when the Health Officer may consider it necessary, shall anchor in that portion of the harbour situated eastward of a line joining Lee and Murray points.

Variation.—2° W.

Charts affected.—No. 923, Plan of Perim harbour.

„ 2592, Perim island.

Publication.—Red Sea Pilot, 1900, page 234; Supplement, 1904.

Authority.—Shipping Gazette, 2nd January 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, LUZON—ALRAY GULF.

Port Sulat—Light established.

No. 108 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 171 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established at the entrance to Port Sulat.

Position.—On Kabadea point, eastern side of entrance.

Lat. 13° 13' 36" N., long. 123° 52' 26" E., on chart No 3368.

Character.—Fixed red lantern light.

Elevation.—53 feet.

Visibility.—7 miles.

Structure.—White post, 5 feet in height.

Charts affected.—No. 3368, Batan island to San Bernardino island.

„ 2577, San Bernardino strait to Mindoro strait.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 143.

Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 382; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 108 of 1908.

The 20th February 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL.—BURMA COAST.

Caution.—S. S. "*Kapurthala*"—*Report of a submerged wreck.**No. 92 (third publication).**Particulars.*—The Master of the S. S. "*Kapurthala*" reports having passed a floating submerged wreck with a small mast upright.*Position.*—Lat. 21° 07' N., long. 91° 47' E.*Remarks.*—Mariners are warned.*Charts affected*—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.

,, 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Burma, Telegram dated 19th February 1909.

RED SEA.—STRAITS OF BABEL MANDER.

Perim island.—*Instructions for night signalling.**No. 93 (third publication).*—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 115 of 1909), are republished :—*Subject.*—The undermentioned instructions have been issued for the guidance of vessels wishing to signal at night to Perim island.*Position.*—Lower signal station, lat. 12° 39' N., long. 43° 24' E.

1. Vessels when wishing to signal at night to Perim island should pass through the Large strait, and signal to the Lower signal station, on the south-western side of the island.
2. Vessels outward bound wishing to communicate by night signal with this station should commence to attract the notice of the station before they get abeam of Balfe point light, in order to afford the station sufficient time to get ready to receive the signal.
3. If the signalling be made by flashing lamp, care should be taken to keep the lamp pointing direct to the station, and to screen all other lights near it whilst it is being used.
4. At night, the position of the Lower signal station will be marked by two red lights.

Charts affected.—No. 923, Perim harbour.

,, 2592, Perim island and Bab el Mandeb small strait.

,, 3180, Approaches to Straits of Bab el Mandeb.

,, 8e, Red Sea, Sheet V.

Publications.—List of Lights, 1908, Part V, page 305 ; Part VI., page 29.

Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 233.

Authority.—Lloyd's, 6th January, 1909.

CHINA SEA.—TONG KING GULF.

*Norway islands—Rocks.**No. 94 (third publication).*—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the British Admiralty (No. 116 of 1909), are republished :—*Subject.*—The undermentioned rocks exist in the vicinity of the Norway islands, Tong king gulf.*Positions.*—(1) Norway island lighthouse, lat. 20° 37½' N., long. 107° 8½' E.

(2) Sam poni tsao, lat. 20° 39½' N., long. 107° 7½' E.

Bearing and distance
from lighthouse.

Depth.

- (a) N. 20° W., 5½ cables.
 (b) S. 63° E., 7½ " "
 (c) S. 70° E., 7¼ " "

9 feet.
 2 "
 2 "

Bearing and distance from Sam poni tsao.	Depth
(d) N. 11° W., $\frac{1}{2}$ cable.	10 feet.
(e) S. 47° E., $1\frac{1}{4}$ cables.	12 "
(f) S. 76° W., $1\frac{1}{2}$ "	2 "

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1169, Approaches to Port Courbet.

„ 1965, Kun Lakh to Kao Tao shan islands.

Publication—China Sea Directory, Vol. II, 1906, page 468.

Authority—Paris Notice No. 2160 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—KYAU CHAU BAY ENTRANCE.

Dangerous rock—Beacon established.

No. 95 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 122 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A beacon of the undermentioned description has been erected on Dangerous rock, Kyau chau bay entrance.

Position.—Situated at a distance of $3\frac{2}{3}$ miles, S. 30° E., from Yu nui san lighthouse.

Lat. 35° 59 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' N., long. 120° 19 $\frac{1}{4}$ ' E.

Description.—Masonry beacon, painted in black and white horizontal bands, surmounted by a cage, the whole structure about 30 feet in height.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 857, Kyau chau bay.

„ 1255, Kyau chau bay to Lai chau bay

Publication—China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1904, pages 527, 532.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Alacrity*, Remark Book, 1908.

AFRICA, EAST COAST.

Kilimán river entrance—Light established.

No. 96 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the British Admiralty (No. 132 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established at the entrance to the Kilimán river.

Position.—On western shore of river entrance, at a distance of $5\frac{1}{2}$ miles, S. 52° W., from Tangalane point lighthouse.

Lat. 18° 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' S., long. 36° 54 $\frac{1}{4}$ ' E.

Character.—Fixed white.

Elevation.—103 feet.

Visibility.—12 miles.

Structure.—Red pyramidal tower with white cupola, 78 feet in height from base to centre of lantern.

Remarks.—On the date of exhibition of the above light, Tangalane point light was temporarily discontinued.

Note.—“Position approximate” has been placed against this light on the chart.

Variation.—13° W.

Charts affected—No. 650, Plan of Kilimán river.

„ 1577, The lower Zambezi and Shiré rivers.

„ 1810, River Zambezi to Mozambique harbour.

„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.

„ 748a, Indian ocean, southern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 9; No. 47.

Africa Pilot, Part III, 1905, page 274; Supplement, 1908.

Authority.—H.M. Consul, Lorenzo Marques, 18th December 1908.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH-EAST—VICTORIA.

Geelong outer harbour—Non-existence of beacons.

No. 97 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 147 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The beacons recently placed on the chart in the undermentioned positions on the southern shore of Geelong outer harbour, do not exist and should be expunged.

Positions:

1. Situated with Point Wilson bearing N. 1° W., distant $4\frac{2}{3}$ miles, and Point Henry pier head N. 62° W.
Point Wilson, lat. $38^{\circ} 5\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $144^{\circ} 30\frac{1}{2}'$ E.
2. Leading beacons:
 - (a) Front beacon, situated with the above-mentioned beacon (1) bearing S. 80° W., distant 10 cables, and Point Wilson N. 14° W.
 - (b) Rear beacon, situated at a distance of $2\frac{1}{2}$ cables, S. 53° E., from the front beacon.
3. Situated on Point Henry, at a distance of $3\frac{3}{8}$ cables, S. 20° W., from No. 4 beacon, Hopetoun channel.

Variation.— 8° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2731, Geelong harbour.

„ 1171b, Port Phillip.

Publications.—Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, pages 465 and 484.

Notice to Mariners No. 1152 of 1908. (*This office No. 346 of 21st August 1908.*)

Authority.—Board of Trade, 11th January 1909.

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SECOND FORECAST OF THE WHEAT CROP OF BENGAL FOR 1908-09.

The following note is published for general information.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 2nd March 1909.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

SECOND FORECAST OF THE WHEAT CROP OF BENGAL FOR 1908-09.

(On an average of five years ending 1906-07, the area under wheat in the territory to which this forecast relates, has represented some 4·81 per cent. of the total area under wheat in India.

The ratio of the irrigated wheat acreage to total wheat acreage, (a) in British India and (b) in the territory now reported on has, in the five years ending 1906-07, averaged (a) 38·1 per cent. and (b) 1·8 per cent., respectively.)

Character of the season.—As reported in the first forecast issued in December last, the sowings began at the

normal season and under favourable circumstances. But absence of rain since the second week of October hindered progress and affected the growth of the early sown crops. The rainfall in the latter part of the last month did much good, but it was too scanty in Bihar where the crop is most important.

Area sown.—The area sown with the crop is reported to be 1,234,900 acres as against 1,003,100 acres of last year. The increase is due to the cultivation of the crop on low lands in Bihar where, for want of sufficient moisture, paddy could not be sown.

Outturn.—Of the important districts of Bihar, Gaya, Shahabad, Saran, Champaran, Muzaffarpur, Monghyr and the Sonthal Parganas report crops of between 59 to 75 per cent. of the normal. In Patna, Darbhanga, Bhagalpur and Purnea, as well as in the less important districts of Nadia, Murshidabad, and Hazaribagh, a poor outturn is anticipated. The outturn for the whole Province according to the District Officers' estimates works out to 60 per cent. of the normal.

CALCUTTA, } W. R. GOURLAY,
The 23rd February 1909. } *Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Second Forecast of the Wheat Crop of 1908-09.

District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.														Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
	Total area of district, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under wheat crop, in acres.	Approximate area under wheat last year (1907-08), in acres.	Estimated area under wheat this year (1908-09), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much represented the output last year (1907-08)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much will represent this year's output (1908-09)?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	13	14		
Burdwan ..	1,721,980	1,524,200	1,800	700	1,600	42	68	Acres. 85,238 1839 to 1899 and 1903-04 to 1907-08.	321 Middle of October to beginning of November.	The weather and rainfall conditions have not been favourable. The area and outturn are below the normal for want of moisture. Sowings were normal.					
Birbhum ..	1,121,290	786,700	5,000	1,000	1,100	50	40	48,571 1889 to 1891 Not known and 1916.	1st week of November.	The weather was not favourable for the crop. The condition of the crop is not good owing to cessation of rain since October last. The date of sowing was late.					
Bankura ..	1,677,440	642,900	5,500	3,000	3,600	50	75	14,579 1899 to 1902 and 1906.	1st November.	The unfavourable season of the year has affected the crop. The date of sowing was little late.					
Midnapore ..	3,319,040	2,150,800	2,600	1,500	1,600	60	45	25,342 1835-34	1st week of November.	The weather was not favourable for the growth of the crop for want of rain. The area under cultivation this year at Ghatal has therefore decreased. The date of sowing was normal. The condition of the crop is fair.					
Hooghly ..	751,200	445,000	2,400	1,700	1,700	50	75	Not cadastrally surveyed.	1st week of November.	The weather was not favourable. The crop suffered to a certain extent from absence of rain from the very beginning. The condition of the crop is fair. The date of sowing was normal.					

District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.													Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.	
	Total area of district, in acres.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under the crop during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.		
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Nadia	...	1,787,880	1,043,800	23,100	9,800	13,900	31	38	...	...	...	...	Beginning of October.	The weather and general conditions have not been favourable. The rainfall in January has benefited the crop. The sowings were normal.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crop, and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.
Murshidabad	...	1,371,520	985,500	60,300	16,500	31,400	28	30	...	...	...	...	End of September.	The weather was not favourable for want of rain. The condition of the crop is fair. The recent rainfall will improve prospects to some extent. The date of sowing was normal. Revised figures submitted by some of the thana officers for the estimated area under the crop this year are being verified.	
Jessore	...	1,372,153	1,131,000	1,700	1,500	900	40	50	...	...	...	...	February	The weather was not favourable for want of rain. The condition of the crop is fair. The date of sowing was normal.	
Patna	...	1,323,000	1,033,100	125,600	103,700	104,300	73	43	73,166	1900-01	1,251	23,193	From October	The weather was not favourable. The general condition of the crop is not good. The date of sowing was normal this year.	
Gaya	...	3,015,650	2,118,100	167,000	65,400	71,500	69	73	517,500	1833-1835, 1900-1902, and 1917-18.	23,193	23,193	2nd week of October.	The weather was not favourable. The condition of the crop can be described as fair. The recent rain has done much good to the crop. The date of sowing was generally normal.	

Shahabad	...	8,801,843	1,541,400	236,560	132,000	174,300	53	70	...	...	1st October.	The crop was sown under fairly favourable conditions. The Ashvina rain though scanty was seasonable. It was followed by a long drought and the crop suffered. Finally a little rain fell in the end of January and this rain though insufficient has improved the prospects of the crop.
Baran	...	1,711,886	337,800	77,500	57,100	73,800	58	63	1,653,435	1893 to 1901	16th September.	The general condition is fair. The weather was seasonable. The increase in the area in column 6 is due to more areas sown under the crop in the Siwan and Gopalganj subdivisions since the submission of the 1st forecast. The date of sowing was early. The weather was unfavourable for want of rain. The general condition of the crop is fair as yet. But rain is urgently wanted. The date of sowing was normal.
Champan	...	2,259,840	1,447,600	105,300	88,600	80,000	53	76	2,259,840	1893 to 1899	16th October.	The weather was not favourable as the rainfall was scanty and badly distributed. The crop is suffering for want of moisture except in irrigated tracts. The date of sowing was normal.
Munshapur	...	1,943,400	1,037,800	69,700	65,000	70,000	51	60	1,042,400	1892-93 to 1898-99.	1st week of October.	The weather was not good. The general condition of the crop is bad. The date of sowing was early in the Samastipur subdivision and normal in the Sadar and Madhubani subdivisions.
Darbhanga	...	2,142,800	1,678,000	55,700	76,500	102,300	56	49	2,142,800	1896 to 1903	September and October.	The weather has not been quite favourable. The crop suffered to some extent for want of rain. The date of sowing was normal.
Monghyr	...	2,310,000	1,588,800	150,000	174,500	233,500	64	70	993,533	1900 to 1904	1st week of October.	Owing to inadequate rainfall during the last rainy season the soil is devoid of moisture and hence the crop has indifferent growth. The condition of the crop on high lands will go from bad to worse if there be no rainfall soon. The crop on low lands are doing well in places where irrigation is possible. The date of sowing was early in the Supaul and late in the Banka subdivisions.
Bhagalpur	...	2,704,660	2,073,800	166,200	155,000	200,000	51	47	1,057,543	1902-04	15th October.	The weather was not favourable and rain is urgently wanted. If there be no rain soon, the outturn will be poorer than that now expected.
Purnea	...	3,106,183	1,664,400	94,000	22,900	24,000	53	40	2,506,348	1901-02 and 1904-05.	October	The date of sowing was normal. The condition of the crop is not good due to unfavourable weather.
Darjeeling	...	744,898	186,600	4,200	4,200	4,200	56	59	261,349	1897-1903	October to December.	

District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.										Date at which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crop and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
	Total area of district, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate area under wheat crop, in acres.	Approximate area under wheat last year (1907-08), in acres.	Estimated area under wheat this year (1908-09), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1907-08).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908-09).	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Southal Parganas	3,500,800	1,545,900	25,500	10,300	12,900	46	59	3,272,009	1899 to 1903.	16,064	1st October.	The weather was not favourable. The general condition of the crop is not good owing to want of moisture. The date of sowing was normal.	
Cuttack	2,338,560	1,253,500	1,600	1,800	1,000	71	57	2,055,457	1899-95 and 1899-1901 and 1905-07.	331	14th October to 1st November.	The weather has not been favourable to the crop for cessation of rain since October last. The general condition of the crop is not good. The date of sowing was normal this year.	
Balasore	1,334,593	633,300	100	100	100	50	60	1,095,778	1897-92 to 1894-95.		10th November.	The weather and rainfall conditions have not been favourable. Want of moisture is being felt. The area sown is for this reason below the normal. The condition of the crop is fair. The date of sowing was about normal.	
Angul	1,087,233	963,400	100	100	100	50	60	575,253	1893-98 and 1897-99.		End of October.	The date of sowing was this year late.	
Bambalpur	2,447,560	846,300	100	100	100	60	90	2,447,280	1894-97 and 1891-97.	149	20th October.	This crop is cultivated in this district with the aid of irrigation only, the soil being not a retentive one. The date of sowing was normal.	
Hazaribagh	4,463,440	1,703,000	18,700	2,400	13,500	22	46					The date of sowing was normal. The weather and condition of the crop are not good owing to want of rain at the time of sowing.	

Ranchi	4,581,020	1,508,000	600	100	600	40	100	The district is being cadastrally surveyed.	October	The general condition of the crop is not very good for want of rain. The date of sowing was normal.
Palamau	3,144,000	627,000	14,700	1,500	3,300	80	1,500	1897-97	1st week of October.	The sowing was generally early. Rainfall this week has been beneficial. The condition of the crop is fair.
Manbhum	2,554,080	1,419,200	5,000	980	2,100	40	980	Not cadastrally surveyed.	Latter part of October and beginning of November.	The weather has not been very favourable for want of sufficient cold weather rain. The general condition of the crop is fair. The date of sowing was normal.
Kinabbum	2,490,240	540,700	3,000	2,800	3,000	50	2,800	1895-97 and 1900-03.	1st November.	The weather and general condition of the crop have been favourable. The date of sowing was normal.
Total	10,669,340	3,996,900	1,851,500	1,003,100	1,230,000	68	60	.....	.....	.....

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 8th March 1909

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather hot at day but cool in the night. Cattle-disease reported from the Keugaon thana in the Katwa subdivision. Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops good. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	9	9	Threshing of paddy finished. Fodder and water sufficient. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of scarcity. Cattle-disease reported from the Salar thana.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	10½	10	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE	Nil	10	10	Threshing of winter rice continuing. Sowing of <i>til</i> and planting of sugarcane continuing in the Contai and Ghatal subdivisions. Prospects of sugarcane and tobacco fair in the Tamluk subdivision but bad elsewhere. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Midnapore, Binpur, Kharagpur, Narayan-garh, Keshiari and Jhargaoon. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 11 seers per rupee at Contai, 8½ seers at Tamluk and at 11½ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops and potatoes fair. Threshing of winter paddy not yet completed. Pressing of sugarcane commenced. Prices of food-grains stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing well. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. No cattle-disease reported.
7	24-PARGANAH	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Common rice selling at 10 seers per rupee at Basirhat, 9½ seers at Diamond Harbour and at 8½ seers at Barrackpore. Report from Barasat not received.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	9½	9½	Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Lands being prepared for <i>chadai</i> crops and jute. Stocks of food-grains barely sufficient. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Cattle-disease reported from Meherpur, Gangani and Chakdaha thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
9	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	9	9	Weather hot at the Sadar subdivision but seasonable in the other subdivisions. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops fair. Their harvesting commenced. Transplantation of <i>boro</i> paddy continuing in the Kandi and Jangipur subdivisions. Cattle-disease in Khargaon, Bharatpur and Barwan thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JESORE ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops indifferent. Rain badly wanted in all parts of the district for cultivation. Fodder and water insufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Narail. Condition of agricultural stock good.
11	KHULNA ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of famine at present. Prospects of standing crops not favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	{ 9½ 15½*	{ 9½ 15½* }	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops and pressing of sugarcane in progress. Prospects of standing crops fair in irrigated areas. Food-stocks being supplemented by imports. A few cases of cattle-disease reported from Naubatpur. Fodder and water sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	...	{ 10½† 14½*	{ 10½† 13½*	Prospects of poppy and other <i>rabi</i> crops good. Harvesting of pulses and linseed continuing. Prices almost stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
14	SHAHABAD ...	Nil	{ 9½ 13*	{ 9½ 13*	Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops in progress. Sugarcane pressing and poppy lancing going on. Standing <i>rabi</i> crops doing well. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks below normal. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	{ 10 14½*	{ 10 15*	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane, harvesting of mustard and rapeseed, sowing of indigo and planting of sugarcane going on. <i>Rabi</i> crops ripening. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burma rice.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Inches. Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9\frac{1}{2} \\ 15^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather getting hot. Pressing of sugarcane, harvesting of oilseeds and ploughing of lands for paddy in progress. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder supply yet sufficient. Water getting very scarce in the south of the district. It will possibly be necessary to provide some work in May and June in the southernmost thanas, where the outturn of <i>rabi</i> crops will be poor.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 10 \\ 14\frac{3}{4}^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 10 \\ 14\frac{3}{4}^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Common rice and maize selling at 9 and 14 seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi, and at 8½ and 14½ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops commenced in many places. Cattle-disease reported from L'upri thana. Fodder sufficient at present. Water getting scarce. Distress existing in parts of the Sitamarhi subdivision. Number of persons on test-works on the 6th instant—132 men, 111 women and 21 children—total 264. Two poor-houses opened.
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Rain wanted for preparation of lands for the next season's crops. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops bad; harvesting commenced. Fodder reported to be insufficient in Warisnagar thana. Food-stocks sufficient. Number of persons on relief-works on the 4th instant—32,267. Number of persons gratuitously relieved in declared areas 9,757. Number on test-works in observation areas 20,297; and gratuitously relieved 1,492. Maize selling at 13 seers a rupee at Sadar, and dearer in the interior.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather becoming hot. Condition of standing crops fair. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops and planting of sugarcane going on. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Fodder and water scarce in some places in the Jamui subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from Gogri and Bhagaria thanas.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{3}{4} \\ 13\frac{3}{8}^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{3}{4} \\ 13\frac{3}{8}^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops fair in the Bunka subdivision, but bad elsewhere. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Considerable distress in the Madhipura and Supaul subdivisions. Rain urgently wanted for sowing of early crops. 139 men, 403 women and 394 children—total 936—gratuitously relieved in Madhipura, and 94 men, 199 women and 427 children—total 720—in Supaul. 1,547 men, 1,614 women and 571 children—total 3,732—on test-works in Madhipura, and 1,456 men, 1,144 women and 376 children—total 2,976 in Supaul.
21	PURNA ...	Nil	8	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 11\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather warm with very strong west winds. Prospects of standing crops continuing to be bad as before. Lands being ploughed for the <i>bhadi</i> and <i>aghani</i> crops. Rain very badly wanted. Condition of labourers and poorer agriculturists badly affected by scarcity. Stocks of food-grains sufficient due to imports. Fodder and water getting scarce in many places throughout the district. Cattle-disease reported from Kishanganj thana. 49 men and 84 women—total 133—relieved gratuitously. 127 men, 4 women and 6 children—total 137 on test-works in Gopalpur and Amour on the 3rd March.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	DARJEELING ...	Nil	{ 8 14*	{ 8 14*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Wheat and barley growing. Oilseeds being harvested and in some places fields being cleared for sowing of maize. Potatoes being sown. Terai—Harvesting of oilseeds and potatoes going on. Lands being prepared for next sowings. Prospects not hopeful owing to want of rain. Prices stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Agricultural stock in good condition.
23	SONTHAL PARAGANAS.	...	{ 9½ 11*	{ 9½ 11*	Weather very hot and dry. Rabi crops in the Godda subdivision suffering from drought. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water insufficient in the Godda, Pakour and Rajmahal subdivisions.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10½	10½	Dalua paddy in ear in places. Reaping of tobacco in progress. Condition of cattle generally good. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	12	11½	Weather hot at day and cool in the night. Threshing of saradh paddy and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Dalua paddy thriving. Vegetables doing well. Fodder and water and food-stocks sufficient. No cattle-disease. Common rice selling at 13 seers per rupee at Bhadrak. Prices falling at Sadar and stationary at Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	15	15	Rainfall at Paulbani 0·01 inch. Weather seasonable. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 10½ seers per rupee at the Khondmals. Fodder and water available.
27	PURI ...	Nil	10½	10½	Planting of sugarcane going on. Dalua paddy and castor being harvested. Moong ripening. Common rice selling at 10½ seers per rupee at Khurda. Men 31, women 117 and children 239—total 387—attending kitchens. Men 12, women 158 and children 6—total 176—receiving gratuitous relief.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	Nil	13	13	Rice and sugarcane fields being ploughed. Sugarcane being planted in some places. Condition of vegetables good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water-supply sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Kinderpest and foot and mouth disease in the Bargarh Tahsil. Common rice selling at 14 seers per rupee at Bargarh.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
29	HAZARIBAGH...	Nil	{ 8½ 11½*	9 12*	Weather getting hot. Lands still being ploughed. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops commenced in places. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
30	RANCHI ...	Nil	8½	9	Rainfall at Gumla 1·60 inches. Weather seasonable. Ploughing of lands continuing. Mango and <i>mahua</i> blossoms damaged by hail to some extent in the Gumla subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from six thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops commenced. Sugarcane being planted. Fodder and water available. Cattle-disease reported. 150 persons on gratuitous relief from charitable funds in pargana Japla.
32	MANRHUM ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Planting of sugarcane continuing. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease not reported. Condition of agricultural stock good. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Common rice selling at 9½ seers per rupee, at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Ploughing for early rice going on. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 10 and 12 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8½*	8½*	Days hot and nights cool. Preparation of lands for <i>bitri</i> paddy and jute continuing. <i>Bitri</i> paddy being sown at places. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water sufficient.
35	PRUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.†	.....	.....	.....	<p>Name of State. Rainfall in inches.</p> <p>Mayurbhanj ... 0·29</p> <p>Bonai ... 0·12</p> <p>Daspalla ... 3·10</p> <p>Hindol ... 0·10</p> <p>Baramba ... 1·10</p> <p>Nilgiri ... 0·12</p> <p>Gangpur ... 0·07</p> <p>Weather seasonable. Castor being harvested in Dhenkanal, Ranpur and Baud, gram in Kalahandi and Athmallik, <i>liri</i> in Dhenkanal and wheat in Nayagarh. Sugarcane being planted in Nayagarh, Rairakhol, Ranpur, Pal Lahora, Baramba and Athmallik. Fields being ploughed for next season's crops in Mayurbhanj, Kalahandi, Bonai, Baramba and Nilgiri. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 9 seers in Keonjhar and 12½ seers in Athmallik and Athgarh to 15½ seers in Baud and 16 seers in Gangpur, Bonai, Kalahandi and Dhenkanal.</p>

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† The report is for the week ending the 27th February 1909.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—There was no rain during the week under report except in the Gumla subdivision of the Ranchi district, where a fall of 1·60 inches has been recorded. More rain is wanted in Jessore and in North Bihar for preparation of lands for the next season's crops. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of oil-seeds and pulses are in progress. Lancing of poppy in Shahabad and sowing of Sumatran indigo in Saran continue. Some damage has been done to mango and *mahua* blossoms by hailstorms in Ranchi. Prospects of *rabi* crops continue unfavourable in unirrigated tracts of North Bihar. The price of common rice has risen in Gaya, Huzaribagh and Ranchi, has fallen in Bankura and Balasore and has been stationary in the remaining districts. Cattle-disease is reported from Burdwan, Birbhum, Midnapore, Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore, Patna, Monghyr, Purnea, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Palamau. Fodder is insufficient in parts of Darbhanga, Monghyr, Purnea and the Sonthal Parganas. The water-supply is getting scarce in many parts of North Bihar. 27,406 persons attended test-works in Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Bhagalpur and Purnea. 13,188 persons were given gratuitous relief in Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Palamau and 563 in Puri. The number of persons on famine relief-works in Darbhanga was 32,267.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 9th March 1909.

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PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

DIVISION.		Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN																				
				WHEAT.			BARLEY.			COMMON RICE						JOWAR OR CHOLUM (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>).			BAJRA OR CUMBU. (<i>Pennisetum typhoid- eum</i>).					
				Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Average.			Cheapest.			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
										Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.									
BENGAL.		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.		
Burdwan Division.	1	Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 4	7 4	8 12	9 0	8 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Birbhum	7 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	New 9 0	New 9 0	7 2	New 9 0	New 9 0	7 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Bankura	7 8	7 8	8 0	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	7 4	10 0	10 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4	Midnapore	6 0	6 0	6 8	...	...	...	Not reported.	10 12	7 11	11 7	11 7	8 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5	Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	6 0	8 8	8 8	6 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7	24-Parganas	7 4	7 8	7 0	...	...	...	8 8	8 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Calcutta	7 0	7 0	6 19	12 0	12 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 6	9 8	9 8	8 4	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	7 0	...	...
	9	Nadia	Not available.			9 0	...	...	8 8	8 6	6 10	9 2	8 14	6 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	10	Murshidabad	8 8	8 0	8 8	13 0	13 0	12 8	8 8	7 12	7 4	9 12	9 4	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11	Jessore	6 8	6 8	6 6	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 7	8 4	7 10	9 6	9 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	12	Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	3 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
BIHAR.																								
Patna Division.	13	Patna	8 0	8 0	7 0	17 8	17 4	10 8	9 0	9 0	7 12	10 4	10 4	8 0	...	16 0	8 12	...	...	...	...
	14	Gaya	7 7	7 8	7 0	16 6	13 0	9 0	9 4	...	6 8	10 12	9 10	8 0	16 1	14 9	8 4	...	...	...	...
	15	Shahabad	8 0	8 0	7 0	14 0	14 0	...	9 4	9 0	7 10	9 8	9 4	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	16	Saran	8 0	8 0	7 4	15 0	16 0	...	8 0	9 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	17	Chhapra	8 0	8 0	6 12	16 0	16 8	12 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	9 4	9 4	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	18	Munshiganj	8 8	8 8	6 8	12 0	12 0	13 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	10 0	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	19	Darbhanga	7 11	7 11	7 2	17 9	15 6	9 14	7 0	7 11	6 9	8 8	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 20½ seers; Asansol 21 seers; Kalna 22½ seers; Raniganj 21 seers.

B. At Rampur Hat the retail price of salt is 22 seers per rupee.

C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 22 seers per rupee (karkatch).

D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contal 20 seers; Tamruk 20 seers; Ghatal 22½ seers.

E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 20 seers; Arambagh 16 seers.

F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 20 seers per rupee (panga).

G. In the parts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Ghatia 22½ seers (karkatch); Barasat 16 seers; Naduria 21½ seers; Mograbat 21 seers; Vishnupur 16 seers; Barrackpore report not received.

H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 21 seers (panga); Jhansdanga 16 seers (karkatch); Maharpur 20 seers (karkatch); Managhat 17 seers (crushed).

Market Bazaars of the districts of Bengal on the 28th February 1909.

BERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

MARUA OR RAGI (<i>Eleusine Coracana</i>).			KANGNI OR KAKUN (<i>Setaria italica</i>).			GRAM, GHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer arietinum</i>).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (<i>Zea mays</i>).			ARHAR (<i>dal</i>) OR THUR, CADJAN PRA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).			SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS.			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 12	...	...	...	9 8	10 0	7 0	21 0	21 0	20 8	1 12 0	1 12 3	1 12 0	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 0	5 4	...	...	...	6 12	6 0	6 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 8	20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	3
...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	6 8	7 0	7 0	D Bombay 19 0	19 0	113 8	1 14 0	Bombay 1 14 0	2 0 0	4
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 0	Crushed 20 0	20 0	20 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	
...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 0	E 20 0	20 0	17 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 3 0	5
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	9 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	7 10	F 16 0	16 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 12 0	6
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 12	9 0	8 8	...	...	...	8 8	8 0	7 12	G 22 8	24 0	24 0	1 12 0	1 9 6	1 10 0	7
...	...	...	9 0	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 0	12 0	12 0	9 6	7 0	7 0	7 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	1 9 6	1 9 6	1 10 0	8
...	...	...	...	...	...	New. 12 14	8 14	9 0	...	...	...	New. 7 2	6 2	6 15	H 16 0	16 0	16 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 14 0	9
...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 0	8 8	...	...	...	8 8	8 0	7 0	I 21 0	21 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	10
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	10 0	J 21 0	22 8	21 0	1 14 0	1 12 0	1 14 0	11
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	7 4	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 4	K 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 6 0	12
...	...	...	...	...	9 8	11 8	11 4	9 0	15 4	15 8	10 8	8 8	8 8	7 4	L 19 0	19 0	19 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	13
...	18 0	...	11 1	12 0	6 8	10 12	10 0	9 4	13 13	14 8	9 4	8 11	8 0	7 0	M 20 0	20 0	19 8	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	14
...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	N 20 0	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	15
1 0	15 0	12 0	Not available.	8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	15 0	15 0	9 12	9 8	9 8	8 8	O 21 0	21 0	20 0	1 15 0	1 14 0	1 15 0	16
1 0	15 0	11 8	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	10 0	15 0	15 4	10 4	8 4	8 0	6 8	P 18 0	17 0	17 0	2 3 9	2 4 9	2 4 9	17
2 0	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	7 0	14 12	15 0	9 8	8 0	8 0	6 8	Q 19 0	19 0	18 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 6	18
3 8	18 3	11 0	...	...	...	9 4	8 12	7 11	13 8	14 4	9 14	8 12	8 12	5 8	R 19 12	19 12	19 12	2 0 3	2 0 3	2 0 3	19

L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 20 seers; Lalbagh 20 seers; and Kanti 20 seers.

J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 18 seers; Magura 16 seers; and Narail 14½ seers (panga).

K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 16 seers (panga); Satkhira 22½ seers.

L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 20 seers; Dinapore 16 seers; and Buxar 13½ seers.

M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Aurangabad, Jehanabad and Nawadah reports not received.

N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 20 seers; Bhahna 19½ seers; and Samaram 20 seers.

O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 21½ seers (panga); Gopalganj 19½ seers (panga).

P. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 19 seers per rupee.

Q. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sitamarhi 20 seers; Hajipur 18½ seers.

R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 20 seers; Madhubani 19½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

DIVISION.		Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE																	
				WHEAT.			BARLEY.			COMMON RICE.						JOWAR OR OHOLUM (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>)			BAJRA OR CUMI (<i>Pennisetum typhaeum</i>).		
										Average.			Cheapest.								
				Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
BIHAR—concluded.			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.		
BHAGALPUR DIVISION.	20	Monghyr ...	8 12	8 12	7 4	13 8	12 0	...	8 4	8 6	8 4	8 8	8 12	9 8	...	...	...	...	...
	21	Bhagalpur	8 3	8 8	7 4	15 2	13 4	11 6	7 4	7 4	7 9	8 14	8 14	8 3	...	...	...	...	...
	22	Furnea ...	7 8	7 8	7 0	...	...	...	6 5½	6 8	7 0	8 0	7 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...
	23	Darjeeling ..	5 8	5 8	6 0	6 0	5 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	5 0 to 6 0	8 8	8 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...
	24	Monthal Parganas.	7 0	7 0	6 4	9 0	9 0	8 0	8 8	8 15	7 0	9 10	9 13	8 0	...	...	...	...	...
ORISSA.																					
ORISSA DIVISION.	25	Cuttack ..	6 11	6 11	7 14	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	7 14	10 8	10 8	8 3	...	...	...	...	...
	26	Balasore ..	7 2	7 2	7 4	...	...	...	11 12	11 0	8 8	12 8	12 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...
	27	Angul ...	5 0	5 0	5 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	8 0	15 0	15 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...
	28	Puri ...	7 3	7 3	7 3	...	...	...	10 8	9 8	7 3	11 2	10 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...
	29	Sambalpur...	7 8	7 8	7 12	...	...	...	12 0	11 8	8 8	13 0	12 0	9 8	...	...	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR																					
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.	30	Hasaribagh	6 12	6 12	6 8	10 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	9 0	9 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...
	31	Ranchi ...	6 0 to 7 0	6 4 to 6 8	6 8 to 7 4	10 0	10 0	8 8	9 0	9 0	6 4	10 0	9 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	...
	32	Palamoo ...	7 0	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	7 5	10 2	9 9	9 0	...	...	...	...	...
	33	Manbhum .	7 0	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 0	7 0	11 0	11 0	7 8	...	...	...	11 0	12 0
	34	Singbhum	6 12	7 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	7 0	5 8	9 8	9 8	6 0	...	...	...	...	...

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai 20 seers ; Jamui 20 seers

T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 17½ seers ; Madhupura 15 seers ; Supaul 20 seers.

U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 16 seers ; Basantpur 18 seers.

V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 15½ seers ; Siliguri 16 seers

W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Goddah 16 seers ; Deoghur 20 seers ; Pakour 20 seers ; Rajmahal and Jamtara reports not received.

CALCUTTA.

The 8th March 1909.

Station Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 28th February 1909—concl'd.

SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLARS.

SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLARS.																		WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF FORTY SEERS.						Number.
MARUA OR RAGI (Eleusine Corocana).			KANGHION KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica).			GRAM, CHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (Pisum arvense).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (Zea mays).			ARHAR (dal) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (Cajanus indicus).			SALT.			SALT						
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.				
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.	Ra. A. P.				
...	12 8	10 8	8 12	13 8	13 8	9 4	7 8	7 4	6 4	20 0	0 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	20			
...	10 2	9 8	8 14	13 14	13 14	9 8	7 13	7 8	7 0	20 3	20 0	20 0	1 15 6	1 14 8	1 14 7½	21			
...	7 8	7 8	7 0	11 8	11 0	9 0	6 8	6 8	5 12	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	22			
11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	6 8	14 0	14 0	11 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	14 0	14 0	13 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 14 0	23
...	8 8	8 8	8 0	11 0	11 0	9 8	9 8	8 8	6 8	16 0	16 0	17 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	24			
...	Biri or khalai.			...	...	...	10 8	10 8	11 24	22 0	22 0	22 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	25			
...	Chhola.			...	...	...	6 8	6 0	6 6	21 0	21 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	26			
...	Biri.			...	...	...	15 0	14 0	10 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	27			
...	Bir.			...	...	...	6 9	7 3	6 9	26 0	26 0	25 0	1 8 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	28			
...	7 8	7 4	7 8	...	...	...	{ 5 5 5 to to to 6 0 6 0 }			16 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	29			
14 8	14 0	8 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	8 0	6 8	6 4	6 8	16 0	16 0	15 8	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	30
18 0	17 0	10 0	...	...	...	9 0	8 8	8 0	13 0	12 0	8 0	{ 5 0 5 0 5 8 to to to to to 7 0 7 8 7 0 }			17 0	16 0	17 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	2 3 0	31
...	...	11 4	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	9 0	12 15	12 6	9 0	7 5	7 5	6 12	18 9	18 9	18 9	...	...	...	32
...	8 8	8 12	8 0	...	...	10 0	7 8	7 4	7 0	17 0	18 0	16 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	33			
...	8 0	8 0	7 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 2 0	34			

X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 18 seers (panga); Jajpur 16 seers.

Y. The retail price of salt at Bhadrak is 19 seers.

Z. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bantla 16 seers (karkatch); Phulbani not reported.

a. The retail price of salt per rupee at Khurda is 24 seers.

b. The retail price of salt per rupee at Bargarh is 13 seers (Bombay).

c. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Dhanbad report not received; Jhalda 16 seers.

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Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., in

Number.	MARTS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF											
		RICE (BEST SORT).			COMMON RICE.						WHEAT (<i>Triticum sativum</i>).		
					Average.			Cheapest.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	6 14 0	6 14 0	7 0 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 10 0
2	Burdwan ...	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 10 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	...	...	—
3	Midnapore ...	4 12 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	5 1 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	4 6 0	...	...	...
4	Patna ...	7 0 0	7 4 0	7 10 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	5 2 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 14 0	4 15 0	4 15 0	5 12 0
5	Musaffarpur ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 14 0	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 10 6	4 11 6	4 11 6	6 2 6
6	Bhagalpur ...	6 6 0	7 0 0	6 4 0	5 9 6	5 9 6	5 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0	5 8 0
7	Cuttack ...	7 3 0	7 3 0	7 3 0	3 12 11	3 12 11	5 3 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 14 2	5 13 9	5 13 9	5 1 3
8	Sambalpur ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	3 1 6	3 5 6	4 7 0	2 15 0	3 1 6	4 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0
9	Ranchi ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	8 0 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	6 5 0	3 13 0	4 3 0	5 4 0	5 12 0 to 6 8 0	6 0 0 to 6 2 0	5 6 0 to 6 0 0

No.	MARTS.	INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (Zea mays).			ARHAR DAL OR THUR— CADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).			LINGRED.			MUSTARD AND RAPSEED.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	3 0 0	3 6 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 2 0	5 6 0	6 0 0
2	Burdwan ...	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 0 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	6 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0
3	Midnapore ...	...	...	...	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	...	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 8 0 Black mustard. Rapseed.	5 8 0 5 8 0	7 0 0
4	Patna ...	2 10 0	2 8 0	3 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	New 6 0 0
5	Musaffarpur ...	2 11 6	2 10 0	4 3 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur ...	2 14 0	2 14 0	4 3 0	4 14 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	5 15 0	4 2 0 Mustard. Rapseed.	5 12 0 5 12 0	6 0 0 6 4 0
7	Cuttack ...	...	...	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 9 0	...	...	...	6 13 0	6 13 0	6 13 0
8	Sambalpur ...	...	...	...	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 4 0	...	...	...	4 8 0	5 8 0	9 0 0
9	Ranchi ...	...	...	...	5 12 0 to 8 0 0	5 5 0 to 8 0 0	5 10 0 to 8 0 0	...	5 0 0	10 0 0	5 8 0	0 0	8 4 0

the undermentioned Mats of Bengal on the 28th February 1909.

PORTY STANDARD SEERS.

BARLEY (<i>Hordeum vulgare</i>).			JUAR OR CHOLU (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>).			BASRA OR COMBU (<i>Pennisetum typhoides</i>).			MARUA OR RAGI (<i>Echinochloa crusgalli</i>).			GRAM, CHANA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer aridinum</i>).			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
3 0 0	3 0 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	2 10 0	3 0 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 12 0	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0 to 5 0 0	4 12 0 to 5 0 0	4 12 0 to 5 4 0	3
2 8 0	2 5 0	3 12 0	...	...	4 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 4 0	4
3 5 3	3 5 3	3 1 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 0 0	5
2 11 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 8 0	6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Biri or kalai.		4 5 7	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	8
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	9

TIL OR SUNJILI SEED.			SUGAR (RAW).			COTTON (CLEANED).			JUTE.			No.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
5 4 0	5 2 0	6 6 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	1
...	...	...	5 14 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
...	...	...	{ 7 0 0 to 7 8 0 }	7 12 0	{ 5 0 0 to 5 4 0 3 12 0 to 4 8 0 3 10 0 }	{ 20 0 0 to 21 0 0 18 0 0 }	20 0 0 to 23 0 0 18 8 0 to 20 0 0	...	...	...	{ 4 0 0 to 5 0 0 }	3
5 4 0	5 8 0	New. 6 8 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	...	18 0 0	18 0 0	...	...	...	...	4
...	...	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 4 0	9 0 0	19 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...	6
6 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 3 9	5 3 9	5 3 9	20 5 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	7
4 12 0	5 0 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	8
...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	9

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c.

Number.	MARTS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.						HIDES (GOV.).			GRASS.									
		GHI (CLARIFIED BUTTER).			TOBACCO LEAF.															
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.							
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.					
1	Calcutta	--	40 0 0	41 0 0	43 0 0	8 0 0	8 4 0	8 0 0	400 0 0	400 0 0	400 0 0	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 4 0						
2	Burdwan	--	35 0 0	35 0 0	40 0 0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---					
3	Midnapore	{	37 0 0	37 0 0	38 0 0	{	13 8 0	13 8 0	9 4 0	{	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	{	---	---	---			
			to	to	to		to	to	to		to	to	to		to	to	to	to	to	to
			39 0 0	40 0 0	44 0 0		15 0 0	14 12 0	10 10 0		3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0		2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0
4	Patna	---	{ 30 0 0 to 32 0 0	{ 32 0 0 to 34 0 0	{ 36 0 0 to 38 0 0	{ 8 0 0 to 5 0 0	{ 2 8 0 to 5 0 0	{ 2 0 0 to 4 0 0	---	---	38 0 0	---	---	0 7 0						
5	Muzaffarpur	---	30 7 6	30 7 6	37 10 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---				
6	Bhagalpur	---	32 0 0	63 0 0	42 8 0	10 8 0	11 0 0	12 0 0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---				
7	Cuttack	---	47 9 0	47 9 0	47 9 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0						
8	Sambalpur	---	{ 34 8 0 to 35 8 0	{ 34 8 0 to 35 8 0	{ 39 0 0 to 39 0 0	{ 16 0 0 to 16 0 0	{ 16 0 0 to 16 0 0	{ 16 0 0 to 16 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	---	---	---						
9	Ranchi	---	38 0 0	35 0 0	40 0 0	{ 8 0 0 to 13 0 0	{ 8 0 0 to 12 0 0	{ 10 0 0 to 16 0 0	{ 3 0 0 to 4 0 0	{ 3 0 0 to 4 8 0	{ 4 0 0 to 4 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0						

Number.	MARTS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF											
		FIREWOOD.			SALT.			BROOBS.			BRAN.		
1	Calcutta	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	1 9 6	1 9 6	1 10 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	...	2 13 0	2 11 0	...
2	Burdwan	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	1 12 0	1 12 3	1 12 0	Not available			3 7 0	3 6 0	...
3	Midnapore	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	Not available			0 6 0	0 6 0	...
					1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0						
4	Patna	0 8 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 2 0	1 2 0	...	1 14 0	1 14 0	...
5	Muzaffarpur	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 6	0 10 6	0 8 0	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	...
6	Bhagalpur	0 6 6	0 6 3	0 6 0	1 15 0	1 14 3	1 14 7	0 8 0	0 8 0	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	...
7	Cuttack	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	Not sold.			0 10 0	0 10 0	...
8	Sambalpur	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	Not sold			Not available		
9	Ranchi	0 4 6	0 4 6	0 5 3	2 4 0	2 8 0	2 3 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	...

Calcutta,
The 8th March 1909.

the undermentioned *Marts of Bengal* on the 28th February 1909—concl'd.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.			MARTS.	Number.	
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	IRON.					
						Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
0 10 0	0 10 0	0 14 0	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	Calcutta	...	1
0 6 0	0 5 0	0 8 0	—	...	—	—	—	...	Burdwan	...	2
0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	—	...	...	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	Midnapore	...	3
0 12 0	0 12 0	0 6 0	..	...	...	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	3 0 0 to 5 0 0	Patna	...	4
—	...	...	—	—	—	3 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	Muzaffarpur	...	5
...	...	...	..	—	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	Bhagalpur	...	6
0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	—	—	—	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	Cuttack	...	7
...	...	...	...	—	—	...	...	...	Sambalpur	...	8
0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	...	...	...	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 11 0	Ranchi	...	9

FORTY STANDARD SEERS.						PRICE PER ANIMAL.			MARTS.	Number.	
OATS.			KEROSENE OIL.			SLAUGHTER CATTLE.					
3 12 0	4 8 0	...	Per case. 4 4 0 4 4 0		...	Cow. 42 0 0 42 0 0 Calf. 6 0 0 6 0 0			Calcutta	...	1
Not available			5 0 0 5 0 0		...	Not sold.				Burdwan	...	2
5 0 0	4 14 0	...	{ 4 9 0 4 9 0 to to 4 14 0 4 14 0 }		...	{ 8 0 0 8 0 0 to to 12 0 0 12 0 0 }			Midnapore	...	3
Not sold			4 4 0 4 3 0		...	Goat and sheep. 3 0 0 3 0 0 to to 5 0 0 5 0 0 Buffalo				Patna	...	4
Not sold			4 4 0 4 3 0		...	Not sold. Calf Not sold.			Muzaffarpur		...	5
4 7 0	4 7 0	...	Per tin. 2 0 0 2 0 0		...	Calf. 15 0 0 15 0 0 Cow. 20 0 0 20 0 0				Bhagalpur	...	6
4 5 0	4 5 0	...	5 0 0 5 0 0		...	Goat. 5 0 0 5 0 0 Cow. 20 0 0 20 0 0			Cuttack		...	7
5 1 4	5 1 4	...	7 8 0 7 8 0		...	Cow. Rs. 10 to Rs. 10 to Rs. 20. Rs. 20.				Sambalpur	...	8
Not available			{ 4 3 0 4 3 0 to to 6 14 0 6 14 0 }		...	{ Rs. 2 to Rs. 2 to Rs. 10. 10. Full grown. 3 8 0 3 8 0 Full grown. 9 0 0 8 0 0 to to 16 0 0 16 0 0 }			Ranchi		...
5 0 0	5 0 0	...	{ 5 6 0 4 8 0 to to 7 0 0 7 0 0 }		...	{ 5 8 0 6 0 0 to to 10 0 0 9 0 0 }					

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Major Works for the month of January 1909, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

CANALS.	1908-09.						1907-08.					
	WEIGHT OF CARGO.			RAFFS.			WEIGHT OF CARGO.			RAFFS.		
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
<i>Orissa Canals.</i>												
Taldanda Canal System ...	1,418	25,274	.....	120,856	333	8,241	3,727	23,856	53,680	120,856	1,239	7,908
Kendrapara ditto ...	5,759	35,606	2,634	139,045	3,984	27,214	5,927	29,848	8,343	136,411	3,780	23,230
High Level, Range { I	1,318	11,419	3,834	62,924	809	7,863	1,750	10,101	23,857	59,090	1,449	7,074
II	464	4,952	6,282	28,050	141	1,224	655	4,488	1,464	21,763	131	1,083
III	247	844	4,050	19,743	61	247	100	597	2,460	15,693	23	186
Jajpur Canal ...	123	2,239	1,500	33,460	16	429	260	2,116	1,230	31,960	36	413
Total Orissa Canals	9,328	80,334	18,300	404,078	5,344	45,238	12,419	71,006	91,034	385,778	6,658	39,894
Midnapore Canal ...	3,910	68,971	18,695	64,110	2,058	28,987	4,668	68,103	14,304	63,956	2,875	30,173
Hijuli Tidal Canal ...	6,035	72,304	4,810	32,234	3,754	50,951	2,567	66,269	3,096	27,424	1,892	47,197
<i>Sone Canals.</i>												
Patna Canal System ...	563	4,768	37,111	422,261	607	5,253	536	9,495	60,168	671,481	541	11,354
Arrah ditto ...	31	1,525	27,624	713,293	291	3,510	131	1,879	34,063	934,144	316	4,570
Buxar ditto ...	324	1,375	.....	99,509	145	1,089	325	7,455	1,600	236,825	122	6,337
Total Sone Canals ...	918	7,663	64,735	1,235,063	1,043	9,852	992	18,829	95,831	1,842,450	979	22,261
GRAND TOTAL ...	20,191	229,277	106,540	1,735,485	12,199	1,35,028	20,646	224,207	204,265	2,319,608	12,404	139,525

G. G. Dey,
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CALCUTTA,
The 9th March 1909.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract statement showing the approximate volume of traffic and the tollage on canals in Bengal classed as Minor Works and Navigation for the month of January 1909, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous years.

CANALS.	1908-09.												1907-08.											
	WEIGHT OF CARGO.				RAFTS.				TOLLAGE.				WEIGHT OF CARGO.				RAFTS.				TOLLAGE.			
	During the month.	To end of the month.	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	During the month.	To end of the month.	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	During the month.	To end of the month.	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Rs.	Rs.
Calcutta and Eastern Canals	57,260	373,219	1,180	19,892	36,032	2,49,283	64,353	404,405	1,124	25,553	39,865	2,69,859												
Tolly's Nala ...	22,009	195,791	220	19,857	9,209	68,171	18,208	185,285	1,781	27,172	6,677	59,010												
Madaripur Bhil Route ...	1,701	100,219	12	10,534	1,040	36,293	1,378	177,533	467	5,666	851	61,304												
Total ...	80,970	669,229	1,412	50,233	46,281	3,53,747	83,939	767,223	3,372	58,391	47,393	3,90,173												
Orissa Coast Canal ...	4,577	47,980	17,335	130,752	2,041	21,607	3,578	43,405	7,415	113,417	1,431	19,566												
Nadia Rivers ...	6,007	86,451	.....	201,327	2,115	23,719	6,367	129,131	330	183,639	2,274	31,355												
GRAND TOTAL ...	91,554	803,660	18,747	382,362	50,437	3,99,073	93,884	939,757	11,117	355,447	51,098	4,41,094												

CALCUTTA,

The 9th March 1909.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 6th March 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

NATURE OF CARGO.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 6TH MARCH 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 7TH MARCH 1908.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	520	2,18,370	3,404	618	1,83,415	3,003
Jute	93	53,750*	527	173	64,360†	952
Firewood	50	64,400	916	66	49,975	741
Other articles	702	1,95,840	2,578	884	2,64,921	3,315
Total	1,365	5,32,360	7,425	1,741	5,62,671	8,011

* Weight by canal measurement, 58,812½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 73,675 ..

CALCUTTA,
The 8th March 1909.

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Public Statistics of the districts of Bengal for the month of December 1908.

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OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONERS FOR BENGAL.

THE GREAT WALL

KSON, LIEUT.-COL. I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 28th February to 6th March 1909.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	TEMPERATURE.				HYGROMETRY.				WIND.		Rains.	WEATHER.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1909.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches	°	%			Inches.	
Feb.	28th	141.5	9.1	29.938	76.1	91.6	29.1	62.5	62.8	0.389	62.0	46	N by W and NNW	78	Nil	Clear.
March	1st	139.0	9.1	.902	77.3	92.3	23.2	64.1	62.2	.377	61.1	42	WNW and NNW	85	Nil	Clear.
"	2nd	143.1	9.0	.899	76.9	92.7	29.9	62.8	61.7	.355	49.5	44	SW by S, NW and W by S.	187	Nil	Clear.
"	3rd	141.7	8.9	.914	74.8	91.8	32.2	59.6	60.0	.332	47.6	46	SW by S and NW.	106	Nil	Clear, d.
"	4th	139.3	8.9	.863	73.3	91.8	35.3	56.5	60.2	.352	49.2	47	WSW and W ...	76	Nil	Clear, d.
"	5th	143.1	8.9	.838	77.5	95.7	34.6	61.1	65.2	.481	57.8	55	SSW, W and WSW.	140	Nil	Chiefly clear, d.
"	6th	143.2	8.7	.844	81.7	96.0	26.9	69.1	.70.3	.614	64.7	63	SW and variable	142	Nil	Chiefly clear, d, m.

The mean pressure of the seven days 29.885

The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 29.860

The total number of hours of bright sunshine 62.6

The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine 81.9

The mean temperature of the seven days 76.8

The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 77.6

The extreme variation of temperature 39.5

The maximum temperature 96.0

The highest velocity of the wind in one hour 16

The mean relative humidity 49

The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 68

The total fall of rain from 28th February to 6th March 1909 Nil

The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 0.65

The total fall from 1st January to 6th March 1909 0.10

The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 2.05

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Kundsén's Barograph and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beekley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

☁, dew; ☁, fog.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 26th February 1909 on 2,292.37 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	604,226	6,24,120 0 0	69,99,197 0	11,98,783 0 0	47,908 0 0	17,98,175 0 0	168,809	225,220	393,678
Or per mile of railway	.....	272 4 2	.....	491 8 7	20 0 11	784 6 8	.....	.....	.....
For previous 52 weeks of half-year	3,225,372	30,82,277 0 0	4,46,92,691 0	71,04,604 0 0	3,04,861 0 0	1,04,91,742 0 0	1,038,071	1,336,261	2,374,332
Total for 7 1/2 weeks	3,827,598	37,06,307 0 0	5,16,92,388 0	82,31,303 0 0	3,52,127 0 0	1,22,89,917 0 0	1,206,738	1,561,537	2,767,910
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	587,955	5,55,293 0 3	76,82,060 0	12,51,241 14 3	43,822 14 2	16,50,361 2 8	164,675	235,131	399,806
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	242 12 10	.....	547 1 7	19 2 7	809 1 0	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 7 1/2 weeks of previous year	4,020,480	38,92,404 10 8	5,46,95,586 30	89,72,602 11 0	3,11,774 13 7	1,30,76,842 3 3	1,255,645	1,681,407	2,917,050

(a) The increase is due to "Sivaratree" festival.
(b) The decrease is chiefly in rice from Burma in the corresponding period of 1908.

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,292.37	First 9 days of Jan.	592,653	5,75,716	91,60,173	14,43,222	58,089	20,79,007	907	477,246	Rs. A. P.
2,292.37	Week ended 16th "	490,312	4,43,370	66,91,753	11,01,561	48,409	15,95,613	695	371,129	4 5 8
2,292.37	" " 23rd "	540,581	5,22,018	71,38,748	11,54,655	47,552	17,21,255	752	378,123	4 0 0
2,292.37	" " 30th "	529,568	5,27,511	72,21,221	13,49,901	55,892	18,72,927	730	379,103	4 6 5
2,292.37	" " 6th Feb.	525,813	4,81,680	70,40,111	11,11,551	47,273	16,72,477	721	392,481	4 0 0
2,292.37	" " 13th "	534,137	5,31,439	74,29,715	11,69,116	47,246	17,17,421	762	385,140	4 8 6
2,292.37	" " 20th "	604,320	6,16,121	69,91,697	11,26,739	47,263	17,98,175	784	424,028	4 3 10
	Totals up to date	3,827,598	37,06,307	5,16,92,388	82,31,303	3,52,127	1,22,89,917	733	2,798,360	4 0 3

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		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,297.05	First 11 days of Jan.	655,522	6,39,389	1,09,16,917	18,19,635	66,133	23,54,157	1,117	590,113	Rs. A. P.
2,297.05	Week ended 18th "	453,317	4,10,731	75,46,502	10,78,657	37,151	15,26,439	697	374,073	4 5 9
2,297.05	" " 25th "	479,877	4,77,477	72,10,947	11,15,196	37,849	16,30,611	713	376,250	4 0 11
2,297.05	" " 1st Feb.	618,673	6,60,246	73,09,589	11,78,722	30,932	18,78,307	823	389,293	4 3 7
2,297.05	" " 8th "	612,223	6,29,514	67,78,714	11,47,191	40,138	18,16,811	794	381,803	4 13 3
2,297.05	" " 15th "	522,987	5,20,764	72,00,757	12,51,102	48,759	18,19,565	741	391,622	4 11 4
2,297.05	" " 22nd "	587,955	5,55,291	76,82,060	12,51,245	43,823	18,50,361	809	392,801	4 10 7
	Totals up to date	4,020,480	38,92,404	5,46,95,586	89,72,603	3,11,775	1,30,76,842	765	2,917,050	4 7 9

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th February 1909, on 22.21 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	55,835	(a) 14,155 0 0	19,475 0	580 0 0	9 0 0	15,014 0 0	1,025	159	1,784
Or per mile of railway	.....	637 5 2	.....	34 4 4	0 6 0	676 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 52 weeks of half-year	155,972	36,501 0 0	18,735 0	4,962 0 0	45 0 0	41,411 0 0	8,843	1,003	9,346
Total for 7 1/2 weeks	211,807	50,689 0 0	1,18,207 0	5,712 0 0	54 0 0	56,425 0 0	9,968	1,162	11,130
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	33,136	8,052 15 3	32,219 0	932 13 0	6 12 0	9,032 8 3	1,200	141	1,434
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	362 4 1	.....	44 10 7	0 4 10	407 8 6	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 7 1/2 weeks of previous year	233,831	58,315 14 0	1,79,782 0	6,070 10 0	53 13 0	64,440 5 9	11,032	1,140	12,172

(a) Increase is due to Shivaratri festival.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—concluded.

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
22'31	First 9 days of Jan. ...	27,650	6,543	12,906	607	8	7,158	333	1,966	Rs. A. P.
22'31	Week ended 16th " ...	24,766	5,927	12,176	494	6	5,529	249	1,476	3 10 3
22'31	" " 23rd " ...	23,852	5,301	10,444	770	7	6,078	271	1,476	3 11 11
22'31	" " 30th " ...	23,683	5,072	23,644	1,575	7	6,644	268	1,476	4 1 11
22'31	" " 6th Feb. ...	28,415	8,260	15,171	663	8	8,871	309	1,476	4 7 4
22'31	" " 13th " ...	27,077	6,431	18,304	751	9	7,191	314	1,476	4 6 2
22'31	" " 20th " ...	55,435	14,115	19,472	850	9	15,014	676	1,476	4 13 11
	Totals up to date ...	2,11,807	50,650	1,18,207	5,712	54	56,425	340	11,130	5 2 1

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		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
22'23	First 11 days of Jan. ...	32,463	7,903	26,058	1,049	9	8,901	403	2,378	Rs. A. P.
22'23	Week ended 16th " ...	21,007	4,603	13,232	319	10	4,904	225	1,488	3 12 4
22'23	" " 25th " ...	22,720	5,056	28,894	984	10	6,044	272	1,488	3 6 4
22'23	" " 1st Feb. ...	40,013	10,477	20,145	847	1	11,325	609	1,780	4 0 7
22'23	" " 8th " ...	57,513	16,164	20,135	847	11	17,022	798	2,098	6 6 10
22'23	" " 15th " ...	28,779	6,054	33,019	974	6	7,038	317	1,496	8 3 5
22'23	" " 22nd " ...	31,131	8,053	32,349	992	7	9,052	417	1,496	4 11 5
	Totals up to date ...	233,831	58,316	1,79,782	6,070	54	64,440	383	12,172	5 4 8

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 30th February 1909 on 162'36 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. c.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	25,401	18,405 0 0	2,92,688 0	19,639 0 0	40 0 0	38,044 0 0	12,138	5,365	17,503
Or per mile of railway ...	113 5 9	113 5 9	1,800 0 0	120 15 4	0 4 0	234 9 1	...	...	...
For previous 67 weeks of half-year	143,055	1,11,642 0 0	16,04,698 0	1,10,694 0 0	321 0 0	2,26,017 0 0	78,121	25,329	103,450
Total for 7½ weeks ...	168,546	1,33,047 0 0	18,87,386 0	1,30,333 0 0	361 0 0	2,63,741 0 0	90,559	30,694	121,253
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	28,591	20,403 10 10	2,19,441 0	21,138 11 0	48 1 6	41,590 7 4	11,489	5,220	16,709
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	125 10 9	...	130 3 1	0 4 9	256 2 7	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 7½ weeks of previous year.	190,468	1,27,820 0 2	19,50,797 30	1,38,692 3 0	419 1 0	266,937 4 2	88,768	30,604	119,372

1909

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
162'36	First 9 days of Jan. ...	24,730	15,560	3,63,743	21,010	83	36,720	228	21,179	Rs. A. P.
162'36	Week ended 16th " ...	22,866	20,418	2,67,939	18,994	60	39,574	246	16,045	1 11 9
162'36	" " 23rd " ...	23,178	22,532	2,30,531	17,716	57	40,105	247	16,242	2 7 9
162'36	" " 30th " ...	19,134	16,592	2,69,201	17,136	50	33,778	204	16,941	2 1 5
162'36	" " 6th Feb. ...	23,550	20,212	2,56,976	16,720	34	36,960	228	17,000	2 3 8
162'36	" " 13th " ...	20,107	18,138	2,86,148	19,034	40	38,216	235	17,063	2 4 0
162'36	" " 20th " ...	25,441	18,405	2,82,668	19,619	40	38,084	235	17,503	2 5 10
	Totals up to date ...	168,546	1,33,047	18,87,386	1,30,333	361	2,63,741	223	121,253	2 2 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded.

1908.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
162'36	First 11 days of Jan. ...	30,141	22,389	3,54,576	26,451	104	43,914	311	25,441	Rs. A. P.
162'36	Week ended 16th " ...	22,823	15,731	2,80,202	16,044	50	31,824	196	17,115	1 15 9
162'36	" " 25th " ...	25,819	16,899	2,90,312	19,833	61	36,713	217	18,900	2 0 4
162'36	" " 1st Feb. ...	25,193	16,969	2,47,600	19,031	60	36,059	212	17,143	2 1 9
162'36	" " 8th " ...	25,703	18,006	2,74,281	18,735	61	36,802	217	16,946	2 1 9
162'36	" " 15th " ...	26,118	17,928	2,75,384	17,464	51	34,443	215	16,810	2 1 3
162'36	" " 22nd " ...	28,591	20,404	2,19,441	21,138	49	41,590	217	16,709	2 7 10
	Totals up to date ...	190,468	1,27,820	19,50,798	1,38,692	419	2,66,937	217	121,253	2 1 3

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 20th February 1909 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	108,600	75,000 0 0	2,62,000 0	35,000 0 0	3,500 0 0	1,15,500 0 0	14,750	19,311	34,061
Or per mile of railway ...	141'28	101'56	339'82	45'40	3'24	150'20	19'18	20'05	44'23
For previous 7 weeks of half-year ...	446,600	2,87,503 0 0	22,68,000 0	2,68,500 0 0	32,500 0 0	5,59,500 0 0	60,611	119,807	209,608
Total for 8 weeks ...	555,000	3,65,500 0 0	25,30,000 0	3,04,500 0 0	35,000 0 0	7,05,000 0 0	101,361	139,208	243,569
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	70,835	48,961 0 0	2,78,854 0	44,052 0 0	4,235 0 0	97,238 0 0	16,640	21,440	38,080
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	92'27	63'75	361'68	67'14	5'49	126'39	21'07	27'82	49'40
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	529,075	3,61,820 0 0	19,19,831 0	2,84,058 0 0	29,295 0 0	6,73,073 0 0	120,085	149,239	269,324

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 20TH FEBRUARY 1909.			RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 22ND FEBRUARY 1908.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1908 TO 20TH FEBRUARY 1909.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1907 TO 22ND FEBRUARY 1908.			Total increase in 1909.	Total decrease in 1909.
Mean-mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean-mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean-mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean-mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			Rs.
771	1,15,500	150'20	771	97,249	126'38	771	41,83,615	...	771	43,29,571	...	.....	1,46,956

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 20th February 1909 on 1,791 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,791 miles open ...	305,750	1,46,170	13,00,300	2,01,470	21,570	3,73,610	57,827	(b) 48,867	106,694
Or per mile of railway ...	201'22	81'61	726'02	112'17	12'27	208'06	.....	.....	.....
For previous 67 weeks of half-year ...	1,924,740	8,06,600	69,49,000	11,16,300	1,24,700	20,47,560	306,080	302,100	608,180
Total for 77 weeks ...	2,230,490	9,52,770	82,50,300	13,20,730	1,46,670	24,20,170	423,907	350,967	774,874
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,778 miles open ...	345,160	1,44,876	13,11,839	1,98,852	21,623	3,65,351	57,071	(c) 49,820	106,890
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year ...	194'13	81'48	750'38	111'84	12'16	205'48	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	2,357,468	10,74,246	92,08,847	12,33,617	1,66,473	25,34,336	440,145	356,853	797,028
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week ...		2'53		4'18	2'31	3'49			
Ratio for corresponding week of previous year ...		2'54		3'99	2'20	3'42			

(a) Decrease in weight with increase in amount due to long load traffic under local.
(b) Includes 5,495 miles of ballast trains.
(c) Includes 2,400 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th February 1909 on 1,379 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	598,730	2,13,000 0 0	1,705,800 0	2,43,730 0 0	23,100 0 0	4,70,930 0 0	78,049	(b) 13,182	121,232
Or per mile of railway ...	434	155 0 0	1,237 0	177 0 0	(a) 1 0 0	(a) 333 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year ...	2,908,500	12,90,070 0 0	12,508,800 0	18,56,970 0 0	2,06,300 0 0	34,33,340 0 0	477,450	314,138	791,588
Total for 8 weeks ...	3,507,230	15,03,160 0 0	14,212,780 0	21,00,700 0 0	2,29,400 0 0	38,33,260 0 0	555,549	357,329	912,850
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	622,961	2,23,934 0 0	1,498,436 0	2,04,728 0 0	23,193 0 0	4,51,955 0 0	76,429	36,819	113,249
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,274 miles) ...	489	176 0 0	1,169 0	160 0 0	2 0 0	354 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	4,195,867	19,39,038 0 0	13,201,018 0	18,85,536 0 0	1,89,719 0 0	31,14,293 0 0	602,294	317,873	920,169

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 21,100.

(b) Excluding ballast train-miles, 9,447.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th February 1909 on 86 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	49,670	15,539 0 0	60,850 0	4,760 0 0	60 0 0	20,299 0 0	5,659	(a) 1,341	7,000
Or per mile of railway ...	578	180 0 0	705 0	55 0 0	1 0 0	235 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year ...	2,91,150	98,610 0 0	532,370 0	42,040 0 0	1,000 0 0	1,11,650 0 0	35,503	10,413	45,916
Total for 8 weeks ...	340,820	1,14,149 0 0	593,220 0	46,740 0 0	1,060 0 0	1,16,949 0 0	41,162	11,754	52,916
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	47,631	13,739 0 0	169,461 0	7,842 0 0	79 0 0	21,650 0 0	5,656	1,204	6,860
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	553	160 0 0	1,273 0	91 0 0	1 0 0	252 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	247,863	1,07,992 0 0	271,050 0	55,702 0 0	1,240 0 0	1,61,934 0 0	43,862	13,316	57,178

(a) Ballast train-miles, Nil.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th February 1909 on 336 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	3,870	1,600 0 0	19,060 0	1,939 0 0	10 0 0	3,639 0 0	229	(a) 914	1,143
Or per mile of railway ...	115	50 0 0	567 0	58 0 0	.....	103 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year ...	27,110	11,300 0 0	129,870 0	11,980 0 0	60 0 0	23,340 0 0	2,773	9,567	12,340
Total for 8 weeks ...	30,980	12,900 0 0	148,930 0	13,919 0 0	70 0 0	26,979 0 0	3,002	10,481	13,483
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	5,410	2,016 0 0	18,013 0	1,891 0 0	11 0 0	3,908 0 0	229	1,436	1,665
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	161	60 0 0	530 0	56 0 0	1 0 0	117 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	32,868	12,973 0 0	164,343 0	14,329 0 0	80 0 0	27,342 0 0	3,202	10,961	14,163

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 700.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 30th February 1909 on 54 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(a)402	2,464
Total traffic for the week ...	20,860	6,310 0 0	31,373 0	1,320 0 0	20 0 0	8,150 0 0	2,052	.....	.....
Or per mile of railway ...	376	115 0 0	518 0	36 0 0	.....	151 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year ...	175,490	33,440 0 0	4,37,010 0	25,150 0 0	180 0 0	58,770 0 0	13,380	4,919	18,306
Total for 8 weeks ...	195,750	39,650 0 0	4,68,38 0	27,070 0 0	200 0 0	66,920 0 0	15,441	5,381	20,768
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	19,250	5,005 0 0	33,350 0	2,005 0 0	24 0 0	7,034 0 0	2,052	546	2,598
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	356	93 0 0	618 0	37 0 0	.....	130 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	125,631	31,840 0 0	2,81,207 0	17,495 0 0	-2,367 0 0	46,978 0 0	10,122	3,912	20,034

(a) Ballast train-miles, nil.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th February 1909 on 1,379 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(b)81,805	189,093
Total traffic for the week ...	651,170	2,16,020 0 0	2,922,750 0	3,00,620 0 0	71,920 0 0	5,89,300 0 0	78,158	.....	.....
Or per mile of railway ...	585	157 0 0	2,047 0	218 0 0	(a)37 0 0	(a)412 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year ...	3,507,630	10,03,160 0 0	14,212,780 0	21,00,700 0 0	2,29,400 0 0	38,33,260 0 0	553,530	3,37,320	912,850
Total for 9 weeks ...	4,038,700	17,20,080 0 0	17,035,530 0	24,01,220 0 0	3,01,320 0 0	44,22,620 0 0	633,638	43 1,145	1,072,833
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year...	600,223	2,26,072 0 0	(c)3,306,184 0	2,66,167 0 0	68,357 0 0	5,60,696 0 0	78,310	67,293	145,603
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,274 miles) ...	478	177 0 0	2,595 0	209 0 0	41 0 0	427 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	4,805,070	20,65,110 0 0	16,507,202 0	19,51,702 0 0	2,59,077 0 0	42,74,839 0 0	680,004	385,168	1,065,772

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 21,100.

(b) Includes ballast train-miles, 38,285, and earnings, Rs. 30,000.

(c) Includes weights for adjustments at end of month.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th February 1909 on 86 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(a)1,744	7,400
Total traffic for the week ...	35,980	13,740 0 0	65,360 0	5,820 0 0	150 0 0	19,710 0 0	5,636	.....	.....
Or per mile of railway ...	418	159 0 0	760 0	68 0 0	2 0 0	229 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year ...	348,820	1,14,140 0 0	592,020 0	46,740 0 0	1,080 0 0	1,61,940 0 0	41,208	12,323	53,531
Total for 9 days ...	384,780	1,27,880 0 0	,658,280 0	52,560 0 0	1,210 0 0	1,81,650 0 0	46,864	14,007	60,931
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	39,615	14,310 0 0	156,610 0	8,254 0 0	1,416 0 0	23,980 0 0	5,656	1,788	7,444
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	461	166 0 0	1,810 0	96 0 0	17 0 0	279 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	387,505	1,22,302 0 0	928,060 0	63,903 0 0	2,556 0 0	1,88,921 0 0	49,610	15,104	64,123

(a) Includes ballast train-miles, 400.

OOOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th February 1909 on 33.6 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	4,650	Rs. A. P. 1,800 0 0	Mds. S. 31,070 0	Rs. A. P. 2,030 0 0	Rs. A. P. 10 0 0	Rs. A. P. 3,830 0 0	402	(a) 3,722	4,124
Or per mile of railway ...	138	54 0 0	925 0	60 0 0	...	114 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 8 weeks of half-year ...	30,080	12,090 0 0	1,48,930 0	13,910 0 0	70 0 0	26,970 0 0	3,196	10,212	13,408
Total for 9 weeks ...	35,630	14,790 0 0	1,80,000 0	15,930 0 0	80 0 0	30,800 0 0	3,638	13,934	17,592
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	6,460	2,449 0 0	36,931 0	2,082 0 0	41 0 0	4,572 0 0	462	2,844	3,306
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	192	73 0 0	1,099 0	62 0 0	1 0 0	136 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	39,308	15,422 0 0	2,01,374 0	16,411 0 0	121 0 0	31,954 0 0	3,778	13,208	16,986

(a) Includes ballast train-miles 2,800.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th February 1909 on 54 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week ...	20,380	Rs. A. P. 5,449 0 0	Mds. S. 73,430 0	Rs. A. P. 3,620 0 0	Rs. A. P. 30 0 0	Rs. A. P. 5,190 0 0	2,168	(a) 626	2,794
Or per mile of railway ...	377	103 0 0	1,341 0	67 0 0	...	170 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 8 weeks of half-year ...	136,750	39,650 0 0	68,380 0	27,070 0 0	200 0 0	46,920 0 0	16,141	5,321	21,462
Total for 9 weeks ...	156,110	45,190 0 0	540,810 0	30,690 0 0	230 0 0	76,110 0 0	17,509	5,947	23,456
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	18,175	4,728 0 0	61,608 0	2,555 0 0	29 0 0	7,310 0 0	2,168	578	2,746
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	337	88 0 0	1,142 0	47 0 0	...	135 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	143,826	38,567 0 0	342,875 0	20,048 0 0	-2,328 0 0	54,387 0 0	18,190	4,490	22,680

(a) Ballast train-miles, net.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the period ending 27th February 1909	Coaching	...	6,138	0 0	{	19,402	0	0
	Goods	...	12,970	0 0				
	Other earnings	...	294	0 0				
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1908	Coaching	...	8,580	0 0	{	16,785	0	0
	Goods	...	7,864	0 0				
	Other earnings	...	391	0 0				
	Increase	...				2,617	0	0
Receipts per mile for the period ending 27th February 1909	...	...	...	...		380	6	11
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908	...	...	...	...		329	1	11
	Increase	...				51	5	0
Receipts from 1st January to 27th February 1909		1,22,601	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908		1,11,089	0	0
	Increase	...				11,412	0	0



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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 2064A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—No. 1905A.—The 11th March 1909.—Mr. T. Luby, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur, is appointed to have charge of the Samastipur subdivision of the Darbhanga district.

No. 1937A.—The 12th March 1909.—Mr. L. Birley, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, on relinquishing charge of his present appointment as Officiating Third Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, and as Second Additional Sessions Judge, Hooghly.

- No. 1960 A.—The 12th March 1909.*—Mr. J. Byrne, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Muzaffarpur, is appointed to have charge of the Kurseong subdivision of the Darjeeling district.
- No. 1974 A.—The 13th March 1909.*—Mr. D. H. Kingsford, District and Sessions Judge, Muzaffarpur, is appointed to be Judicial Commissioner, Chota Nagpur.
- No. 1976 A.—The 13th March 1909.*—Mr. F. W. Ward, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patna, is appointed to act, until further orders, as District and Sessions Judge, Muzaffarpur.
- No. 1996 A.—The 13th March 1909.*—The services of Mr. W. H. H. Vincent, Judicial Commissioner, Chota Nagpur, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.
- No. 2013 A.—The 15th March 1909*—Babu Adwaita Charan Samanta, B.A., is appointed to be a Probationary Deputy Collector, and is posted to the headquarters station of the district of Burdwan.
- No. 2052 A.—The 16th March 1909.*—Babu Dasharathi Datta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Meherpur subdivision of that district.
- No. 2059 A.—The 16th March 1909.*—Mr. E. M. Mannooch, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is appointed to have charge of the Asansol subdivision of the Burdwan district.
- No. 2062 A.—The 16th March 1909.*—Mr. J. M. Fletcher, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Ranchi, is appointed to have charge of the Gumla subdivision of that district.
- POLICE.**—*No. 1909 A.—The 11th March 1909.*—Mr. W. D. Abercrombie, Superintendent of Police, Sambalpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Burdwan Range, *vice* Mr. R. T. Dundas.
- No. 1911 A.—The 11th March 1909.*—Mr. F. C. Swaine, Principal, Constables' Training School, Ranchi, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Superintendent of Police, Sambalpur, *vice* Mr. W. D. Abercrombie.
- No. 2001 A.—The 13th March 1909.*—Mr. R. S. F. Macrae, Superintendent of Police, on special duty, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Police, Nadia, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Janaki Prasad Tiwari, or until further orders.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 1903 A.—The 11th March 1909.*—Mr. H. A. F. Lindsay, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Samastipur, Darbhanga, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 28th March 1909.

No. 1926 A.—The 12th March 1909.—Mr. A. Garrett, Magistrate and Collector, Cuttack, is allowed combined leave for eight months, *viz.*, privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and twelve days, with effect from the 1st April 1909, or the amount due on any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period under article 303 (b) of the Regulations.

No. 1958A.—The 12th March 1909.—Mr. H. E. Spry, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kurseong, Darjeeling, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 13th April 1909, and special leave for the remaining period under article 316 of the Regulations.

No. 1959A.—The 12th March 1909.—Mr. G. J. Monahan, I.C.S., has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of furlough up to the 31st October 1909.

No. 1989A.—The 13th March 1909.—In modification of the order of the 22nd December 1908, Babu Nihar Ranjan Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for two months and fourteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1909, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

No. 1994A.—The 13th March 1909.—Maulvi Najm-ud-din Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th April 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 2016A.—The 15th March 1909.—Mr. W. H. Buchan, Registrar, Co-operative Credit Societies, and Assistant Director of Agriculture, Bengal, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 18th April 1909, and special leave for the remaining period under article 316 of the Regulations.

No. 2019A.—The 15th March 1909.—Mr. Saiyid Husain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sonthal Parganas, is allowed leave for two days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 22nd December 1908.

No. 2025A.—The 15th March 1909.—Babu Nabagauranga Basak, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Champaran, is allowed leave for four days, under article 242(a) of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 5th and 14th November 1908.

No. 2038A.—The 16th March 1909.—The Hon'ble Mr. C. E. A. W. Oldham, Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial and Municipal Departments, Calcutta, is allowed combined leave for eight months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 8th April 1909, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (b) of the Regulations.

No. 2061A.—The 16th March 1909.—Mr. P. S. Shettle, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gumla, Ranchi, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 18th April 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and special leave for the remaining period under article 316 of the Regulations.

VOLUNTEERS.—No. 2029A.—The 15th March 1909.—Second-Lieutenant M. B. O'Connor 2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence from the 20th February 1909 to the 1st October 1909.

No. 2030A.—The 15th March 1909.—Captain J. Coates, Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for eight months, with effect from the 10th March 1909.

POLICE.—No. 1999A.—The 13th March 1909.—Babu Janaki Prasad Tiwari, Superintendent of Police, Nadia, is allowed leave for three months, under articles 260 and 345 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th March 1909.

No. 2005 A.—The 15th March 1909.—Mr. F. L. Bussell, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Bhagalpur, is allowed combined leave for eight months, viz, privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and fourteen days, with effect from the 20th March 1909, or the amount due on any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period under Article 311 of the Regulations.

POWERS.

No. 1955 A.—The 12th March 1909.—Babu Srish Chandra Ghosh, Deputy Collector, Narail, Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that subdivision.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 10th March 1909 :—

No. 817 A.—The 8th March 1909.—Babu Shashi Kumar Ghosh, No. 1, Munsif of Bogra, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is allowed leave for twenty-two days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th February 1909.

No. 852 A.—The 8th March 1909.—Babu Nilalohit Mukharji, Subordinate Judge of Pabna and Bogra, is allowed furlough for twelve days, under article 338(a) of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the furlough granted to him in Notification No. 4513A., dated the 10th November 1908.

No. 853 A.—The 8th March 1909.—Babu Surjyamani De, Munsif of Netrakona, in the district of Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Netrakona Munsifi, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Bhupal Chandra Sen, or until further orders.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1282 L.R.—The 12th March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (8) of section 4 of the Central Provinces Land-revenue Act, 1881 (XVIII of 1881), and with reference to section 3 of the Bengal and Assam Laws Act, 1905 (VII of 1905), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the plot of land, measuring 1,271 acres more or less, which has been excised from the forest area of the Barasambar zamindari in the district of Sambalpur, shall be a 'village' for the purposes of the first-mentioned Act, and shall be known by the name of Phulmatipur.

No. 1283 L.R.—The 12th March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (8) of section 4 of the Central Provinces Land-revenue Act, 1881 (XVIII of 1881), and with reference to section 3 of the Bengal and Assam Laws Act, 1905 (VII of 1905), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the plot of land, measuring 2,554 acres more or less, which has been excised from the forest area of the Barasambar zamindari in the district of Sambalpur, shall be a 'village' for the purposes of the first-mentioned Act, and shall be known by the name of Bilaspur.

No. 1301 L.R.—The 9th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (a) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in estate Akuni, bearing Tauzi No. 1242 in the revenue-roll of the district of Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

- (a) the name of each tenant or occupant ;
- (b) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;

- (e) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;
- (d) the name of each tenant's landlord ;
- (e) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;
- (f) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise ;
- (g) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases ;
- (h) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—
 - (i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *dhul*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and
 - (ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;
- (i) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;
- (j) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;
- (k) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority ;
- (l) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1302 L.R.—The 9th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (a) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in estate Bagdastur, bearing Taazi No. 630 in the revenue roll of the district of Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

- (a) the name of each tenant or occupant ;
- (b) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;
- (c) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;
- (d) the name of each tenant's landlord ;
- (e) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;
- (f) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise ;
- (g) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases ;
- (h) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—
 - (i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *dhul*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and
 - (ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;
- (i) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;
- (j) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;
- (k) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority ;
- (l) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1303 L.R.—The 9th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (a) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in estate Gurup, bearing Tauzi No. 3595 in the revenue-roll of the district of Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

- (a) the name of each tenant or occupant;
- (b) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;
- (c) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;
- (d) the name of each tenant's landlord;
- (e) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;
- (f) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;
- (g) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;
- (h) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—
 - (i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jail*, tank or well or any other source of supply; and
 - (ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;
- (i) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;
- (j) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;
- (k) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;
- (l) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1304 L.R.—The 9th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (a) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in estate Kamalpur, bearing Tauzi No. 1514 in the revenue-roll of the district of Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

- (a) the name of each tenant or occupant;
- (b) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;
- (c) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;
- (d) the name of each tenant's landlord;
- (e) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

- (f) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise ;
- (g) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases ;
- (h) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—
 - (i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and
 - (ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;
- (i) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;
- (j) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;
- (k) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority ;
- (l) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1305 L.R.—The 9th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (a) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in mauzas Durga-bati (*alias* Sarai), Bhotogram and Dighir Sima, appertaining to patni tenure in the estates bearing Tauzi No. $\frac{47}{1}$ in the revenue-roll in the district of Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

- (a) the name of each tenant or occupant ;
- (b) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;
- (c) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;
- (d) the name of each tenant's landlord ;
- (e) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;
- (f) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise ;
- (g) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases ;
- (h) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—
 - (i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and
 - (ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;
- (i) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;
- (j) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;
- (k) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority ;
- (l) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietors' private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 1311.—The 11th March 1909.—Babu Suresh Chandra Chakrabatti, Deputy Collector, Bihar, now employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in Bihar, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months with effect from the 15th March 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 1320.—The 13th March 1909.—In Government Notifications Nos. 2362 to 2366T.R. dated the 28th October 1908, published at pages 1730-31, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th November 1908, for "W. H. Alderson" read "H. W. Alderson."

No. 1321L.R.—The 9th March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (viii) of section 264 of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rules as to appeals from orders passed by Revenue-officers under Chapter XIII of that Act:—

1. An appeal from any order of a Revenue-officer made under section 108 of the Act shall lie to the Deputy Commissioner of the district.
2. The petition of appeal must be presented within one month from the date of the final publication of the record under section 108, sub-section (2).
3. From any decision of the Deputy Commissioner in appeal a second appeal shall lie to the Commissioner, whose decision shall be final.
4. Such second appeal must be preferred within one month from the date on which the decision in appeal was signed by the Deputy Commissioner.
5. The provisions of sections 220 to 223 of the Act shall apply to appeals and second appeals under the foregoing rules.
6. Each Appellate Court shall clearly specify in its decision, in the case of each tenant what entries (if any) in the record, as published by the Revenue-officer, or as amended by the lower Appellate Court, as the case may be, are to be altered, and what alterations are to be made.

No. 1333L.A.—The 13th March 1909.—In the second line of the Notification No. 1050L.A., dated the 1st March 1909, published at page 284, of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 3rd idem, for "6th September" read "5th September."

No. 1342L.R.—The 15th March 1909.—The following draft of a rule, which it is proposed to substitute for rule 38A of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), made by Notification No. 4606L.R., dated the 24th November 1908 (published at page 1900, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th idem) is published for general information, under section 190 (1) of that Act.

Any objection or suggestion which any person may desire to make with respect to the draft should be submitted to Government in the Revenue Department before the 19th April 1909, on which date the draft will be taken into consideration.

DRAFT RULE.

- 38A. (1) When a tenancy is held under a single landlord, or under two or more landlords having one common agent or common manager such as is referred to in rule 25 (a), a copy of the instrument referred to in section 176 shall be served on such landlord or on such agent or manager as the case may be.
- (2) When a tenancy is held under two or more landlords not having one common agent or common manager as aforesaid, a copy of the said instrument shall be served—
- (a) if none of them have one common agent or common manager as aforesaid, then on each landlord, or
 - (b) if some of them have one common agent or common manager as aforesaid then on such agent or manager and also on each of the landlords who have no such agent or manager.
- (3) The said copy or copies shall be served in the manner prescribed for the service of a summons on a defendant under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.
- (4) The fee to be paid for such service shall be—
- (i) in the cases referred to in sub-rule (1), one rupee; and
 - (ii) in the cases referred to in sub-rule (2), one rupee for the first copy of the instrument and four annas for each additional copy.

No. 1355L.R.—The 13th March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (xiii) of section 264 of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to prescribe the following forms for declarations made by tenants or their agents under sub-section (1) of section 56 of that Act.

FORM C-1—Declaration for deposit in Court of rent refused when tendered.

I ((1).....agent of)
son of.....
of village....., thana.....,
 do solemnly declare that I did personally (2).....
on the.....day of.....
 tender payment to ((1).....
 agent of).....
 at (his mal-outcherry or) (3).....being the place where the
 rent of the lands at village....., thana.....
 held by me (2) under the said.....
 is usually payable, of the sum of Rupees.....
 as and for the whole amount due from me on account of the rent of the said lands
 from the month of.....to the month of.....
both inclusive. I further declare that the said ((1).....
agent of).....refused (to receive the said
 sum so tendered) (to give a receipt in full forthwith for the same in the prescribed form) (2),
 And I do declare that to the best of my belief the sum of Rupees.....
 so tendered, and which I now desire to deposit in Court, is the full amount which
I owe (2) to the said.....on account
 of the rent of the said lands from the month of.....to the
 month of....., both inclusive, and that I owe (2).
 the said.....
 no further sum on account of the rent of the said lands.

Signed.....

Dated the.....190.....

(1) Insert the name of the agent, if any.

(2) Strike out one or other.

(3) Strike out if unnecessary.

FORM C-2—Declaration for deposit in Court of rent refused when remitted.

I ((1).....agent of)
son of
of village.....,
thana....., do solemnly declare that I (2)
 did remit by money order the sum of Rupees.....
 as and for the whole amount due from me (2) on account of the rent from the month,
 of.....to the month
 of....., both inclusive, of the lands held by me (2)
 in village....., thana.....,
 ((1)....., agent of)
resident of village
thana....., the landlord of the aforesaid lands. I,
 further declare that the said ((1)....., agent of)
refused to receive the rent
 so remitted. And I do declare that to the best of my belief the sum of Rupees.....
so remitted, and which I now desire to deposit in Court, is the
 full amount which I owe (2) to the said.....on account
 of the rent of the said lands from the month of.....to the month of
both inclusive, and that I owe (2)
 the said.....no further sum on
 account of the rent of the said lands.

Signed.....

Dated the.....190.....

(1) Insert the name of the agent, if any.

(2) Strike out one or other.

FORM C-3—Declaration for deposit of rent in Court when previous tender refused or receipt therefor withheld.

I ((1)....., agent of).....
 son of.....
 of village....., thana.....
 do solemnly declare that $\frac{I \text{ am}}{\text{he is}}$ (2) tenant of the lands in village
 thana....., the rent of which
 from month.....to month.....of year
 was $\frac{\text{tendered}}{\text{remitted}}$ (2) by me to ((1).....
 agent of the landlord).....
 resident of village
 thana....., but ((2) was refused by him)
 (no receipt therefor was granted by him) and I have therefore reason to believe that the
 said (agent of the) (2) landlord will not be willing to receive the rent and to grant a receipt
 for it in the prescribed form. And I do declare that to the best of my belief the sum of
 Rupees.....so $\frac{\text{tendered}}{\text{remitted}}$ (2)
 and which I now desire to deposit in Court, is the full amount which $\frac{I \text{ owe}}{\text{he owes}}$ (2) to the
 said
 on account of the rent of the said lands from the month of
to the month of.....both inclusive, and that
 $\frac{I \text{ owe}}{\text{he owes}}$ (2) the said.....no further sum on
 account of the rent of the said lands.

Signed.....

Dated the.....190.....

(1) Insert the name of agent, if any.

(2) Strike out one or other.

C-4—Declaration for deposit of rent in Court when payable to co-sharers jointly.

I ((1)....., agent of)
 son of.....
 of village....., thana.....
 do solemnly declare that the rent of the tenancy held by $\frac{me}{him}$ (2) in village.....
 thana....., is payable to the co-sharers* jointly, and that $\frac{I \text{ am}}{\text{he is}}$ (2)
 unable to obtain the joint receipt of the said co-sharers for the money, and that no person
 has been empowered to receive the rent on their behalf. And I do declare that to the best
 of my belief the sum of Rupees.....which I now desire to deposit
 in the Court, is the full amount which $\frac{I \text{ owe}}{\text{he owes}}$ (2) to the said co-sharers on account
 of the rent of the said lands from the month.....to the month of
both inclusive, and that $\frac{I \text{ owe}}{\text{he owes}}$ (2) the said co-sharers
 no further sum on account of the rent of the said lands.

* Names of co-sharers and residence.....

Signed.....

Dated the.....190.....

(1) Insert the name of agent, if any.

(2) Strike out one or other.

No. 1357 L.R.—The 13th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 101 (2) (c) and 101 (2) (d) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in Government estate Char Kashtosali, tauzi No. 4039, of the district of Burdwan, but lying in the district of Nadia.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

- (a) the name of each tenant or occupant;
- (b) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;
- (c) the situation and quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;
- (d) the name of each tenant's landlord;
- (e) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;
- (f) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;
- (g) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;
- (h) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—
 - (i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and
 - (ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;
- (i) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;
- (j) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;
- (k) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

This supersedes Notification No. 2899 L.-R., dated the 31st July 1908.

No. 1358 L.R.—The 13th March 1909.—Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, Babu Chandra Sekhâr Kar, Subdivisional Officer of Kalna, in the district of Burdwan, is authorized to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer, under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, for the purpose of the survey and preparation of a record-of-rights, ordered in notification No. 1357 L.R., dated the 13th March 1909, in respect of the Government estate Char Kashtosali bearing No. 4039 in the revenue-roll in the district of Burdwan, but lying in the district of Nadia.

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under rule 40 (Chapter V I) of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

No. 1372.—The 15th March 1909.—Babu Rampada Chatarji, Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer, Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Regulations VII of 1822, IX of 1825, as amended by Regulations III of 1828 and IX of 1833 in respect of Government estates in the district of Midnapore.

No. 1374 L.R.—The 15th March 1909.—Under section 3 of the Calcutta Survey Act, 1887 (Bengal Act I of 1887,) the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Major R. T. Crichton, C.I.E., I.A., to be Superintendent of Survey for the purpose of a survey of the lands, contained in the town of Calcutta, ordered by Notification No. 1616 T.R., dated the 14th September 1907 (published at page 1605, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th September 1907).

No. 1376 L.R.—The 13th March 1909.—Babu Jagadish Chandra Lahiri, Sub-Deputy Collector, is vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under rule 40 (Chapter VI) of the Government Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), in the districts of Murshidabad and Birbhum.

No. 1233 Agri.—The 9th March 1909.—In rules 33 and 38 of the Revised Rules for the admission of students to, and regulation of their studies in, the Bengal Veterinary College, published under Notification No. 2643, dated the 20th July 1908, for the words “month” and “monthly” substitute the words “quarter” and “quarterly”, respectively, wherever they occur.

No. 1249 Agri.—The 10th March 1909.—The services of Babu Bhola Nath Banarji, Executive Engineer, who was deputed to famine duty in the district of Darbhanga, are replaced at the disposal of the Public Works Department, Bengal, with effect from the forenoon of the 26th February 1909.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

DECLARATION.

No. 1232 L.A.—The 9th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of Giridih Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for Municipal building, in the village of Makatpur, pargana Kharagdiha, zilla Hazaribagh, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 18 cottahs 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded—

On the North—Pachamba Road;

On the South—Jairam Modi's house and Sheo Prashad Upadhy's house;

On the East—Public lane; and

On the West—Guli Ram Modi's house and dry cultivation land.

is required within the aforesaid village of Makatpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Giridih.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

DECLARATION.

No. 1234 L.A.—The 9th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the District Board, of Balasore, for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the compound of the Nursery garden, in the village of Padhuanpada, pargana Sunhat, zilla Balasore, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 3.123 acres, bounded—

On the North—By Nursery Garden;

On the South—By Municipal Hospital Lane and Juggarnath Road;

On the East—By Municipal Juggarnath Road; and

On the West—By Municipal Padhuanpada Road,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Padhuanpada.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Balasore.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

DECLARATION.

No. 1274 L.A.—The 11th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company, for a public purpose, viz., for East Indian Railway Company's Loco. Native staff quarters at Burdwan station, in the village of Nareecumpo, pargana Burdwan, district Burdwan, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 11 cottahs and 13 chitaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 2 roods 4.08 poles or 0.5255 acre) bounded—

On the North—By the land of Hazi Mahamad Ahmed;

On the South and West—By the East Indian Railway Company's land, and

On the East—By the land of Kazi Mahamad Ahmed and Mistry Hait Ali,

is required within the aforesaid village of Nareecumpo.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 8, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Burdwan, Land Acquisition Department, and in that of the Junior Engineer, East Indian Railway, at Burdwan.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1275 L.A.—The 11th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the outfall channel from the Katwal Sluice at mile 7th, Champaran embankment, in the village of Bhotowa, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 17 bighas 4 cottahs 4 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

North—By the Government land of Champaran Embankment;

South—By the Sota of River Gandak;

East—By the cultivated bhit land of Tilak Ahir, Dokhi Ahir, Jayparkas Roy, Aotar Ahir, Jey Gobind Rai, Loch Turaha, Japsi Nonia, Ghansiam Ahir, Fali Koormi, Raghoobir Dhobi, Sagar Ahir, Palat Ahir, Jalasar Ahir, Tilak Ahir, Bettiah-Bagaha Road; cultivated bhit land of Gobhar Dhan Ahir and Ramasar Sookool;

West—By the cultivated bhit land of Siwnandan Ahir, Chirkoot Ahir, Aotar Ahir, Jatun Ahir and Loch Tooraha, fallow land of khas zamindar, cultivated bhit land of Shewraj Ahir, Goberdhan Ahir, Gorcharan Kalwar, Bidarath Chamar, Phool Chand Toraha, Jalasar Ahir, and Tiluk Ahir, Bettiah-Bagaha Road, cultivated bhit land of Gobardhan Ahir and Ramasar Sookool,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bhotowa.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1276 L.A.—The 11th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the outfall channel from the Baijoo Sluice at 32nd mile, Champaran embankment, in the villages of Kotraha and Gobrahi, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 16 bighas 2 cottahs 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

North—By the Government land of Champaran Embankment;

South—By the River Gandak;

East—By the cultivated land of Sirfal Kurmi, Sheotahal Kano, Seoratan Barai, Manogi Gonri, Monar Malah, Jangbahador Rai, Rosan Rai, Deonarain Rai, Jalsar Malah, Ramlal Kumar, Fali Opadhaya, Isar Kurmi and Bhaji Rai, and fallow land of Bettiah Raj;

West—By the cultivated paddy land of Amica Panday, Sheotahal Kano, Seoratan Barai, Manogi Gonri, Ramugrah Kano, Munar Malah, Jung Bahadur Rai, Rosan Rai, Jalsar Malah, Ramlal Kano, Fali Upadhaya, Narsingh Rai, Isar Kurmi, Bhajoo Rai and Jothi Rai,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Kotraha and Gobrahi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1277 L.A.—The 11th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for approach channel of the Husseni Sluice at 72nd mile, Champaran Embankment, in the villages of Khajuria, Doogoli and Baduraha, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 17 bighas 8 cottahs 13 chittaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

North—By the cultivated paddy land of Bhagwat Rai, Risal Rai, Sokhari Dhobi, Ramrup Rai, Ramsewak Rai, Gopal Miser, Parau Ahir, Dharamdin Rai, Chatri Rai, Most. Sonmat Kuar, Jon Rai, Sheo Rai, Girdhari Rai, Dinesar Pandey, Gobind Miser, Munar Pandey, Mahanth Salikram Das, Ganpat Rai and Saheb Lal.

South—By the cultivated paddy land of Bhagwat Rai, Ram Tap Rai, Seogolam Rai, Ramrup Rai, Lal Behari Singh, Ramsewak Rai, Sokhari Dhobi, Jado Singh, Parau Ahir, Dharam Deo Rai, Chatari Rai, Most. Sonmat Kuar, Sundar Rai, Seo Rai, Gardhari Rai, Dinesar Pandey, Gobind Miser, Munar Pandey, Mahanth Salik Ram Dass, Ganpat Rai, and Saheb Rai, and fallow land of Malik;

East—By the Government land of the Champaran Embankment;

West—By the Gandak river,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Khajuria, Doogoli and Baduraha.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1278 L.A.—The 11th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for outfall channel from Lokenathpur sluice at 56½ mile, Champaran embankment, in the villages of Lokenathpur and Tikoolia, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 11 cottahs 4 chittaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

East—By the cultivated paddy land of Gorkhi Dobay, Dhonra Koari, Abilakh Koari, Maharaj Dobay, Sheogobind Choubay, Jhaboo Lall, Tikman, Dubay, Ramgolam Lall, Bison Dosad, Lakhraj Dubay and Anakh Duth Tiwari;

West—By the cultivated paddy land of Gorkhi Dobay, Jodha Kormi, Abilakh Koari, Khandar Koari, Sheogobind Chobay, Maharaj Dobay, Tekman Dubay, Ramgolam Lall, Makon Lall, Sokhal Lall, Hargobind Dubay, Rajgobind Dobay, Dhanki Dubay, Anakh Dath Tiwari;

North—By the Champaran embankment;

South—By the river Gandak,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Lokenathpur and Tikoolia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1279 L.A.—The 11th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the approach channel for Dumaria sluice at mile 70, Champaran embankment, in the village of Dumaria, pargana Majhwa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 bighas 14 cottahs 7 chittaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows :—

North—By the cultivated paddy land of Ajgaib Singh, Dookhit Nonia, Behari Singh, Tapasar Singh, Angir Mali, Jhaugat Gour, Samser Khan, Bala Teli, Jata Singh, Bahadur Singh, Beni Singh, Ramphal Turha, Doarka Singh, Bahadur Singh, Pargan Panday, Lachmi Singh, and Kawal Singh and old embankment ;

South—By the cultivated paddy land of Ajgaib Singh, Dukhit Nonia, Behari Nonia, Tapasar Singh, Ramyad Koeri, Beni Singh, Samser Khan, Bala Teli, Pargan Panday, Bahadur Singh, Doarka Singh, Kewal Singh, Lachmi Singh, Ramyad Koery, Samsher Khan, Kawal Singh, Juthan Koery and Tapasar Singh and old embankment ;

East—By the Government land of Champaran embankment ;

West—By the Gandak river,

is required within the aforesaid village of Dumaria.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1280 L.A.—The 11th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the District Board of Sahabad, for a public purpose, viz., for making an approach road from Sasaram-Tilauthoo road to Sasaram-Darigaon road, in the villages of Usmanganj, Dalelganj and Mobarakganj, pargana Sasaram, zilla Shahabad, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 4 cottahs 1½ dhur (local) corresponding to 4 bighas 3 cottahs and 5½ chittaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North and South—By the fields of Hitnarayan Singh, Ahmad Ali Daroga, Kowlesher Das, Mirza Abdul Satar, Gurunarayan Das, Jogeshwar Koiri and Santukhan ;

East—By the Sasaram-Tilauthoo road ;

West—By the Sasaram-Darigaon road,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Usmanganj, Dalelganj and Mobarakganj.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

The plan of the land to be acquired may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Shahabad.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1281 L.A.—The 11th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company, for quarters of the Railway staff in the village of Sandalpur, pargana Monghyr, zilla Monghyr, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 17 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

East—By the land of East Indian Railway Company ;

West—

North— } By the land of Pucha Mahto,

South— }

is required within the aforesaid village of Sandalpur.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary

to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Monghyr and District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Dinapore.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1284 L.A.—The 12th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the

24-Parganas. expense of the District Board, 24-Parganas, for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a feeder road to Basirhat Cutcherry Station on Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway, in the village of Basirhat, pargana Balia, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 10 cottahs 10 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded—

On the North—By Taki road and the remaining portions of the land occupied by Kasindra Nath Banarji, Golam Kasem Khan Bahadur, Abdul, Panchu Shekh, Mamjodi and the public road;

On the East—By the remaining portion of the Jail and Hospital Compound, the Municipal road and the land occupied by Abdul, Panchu Shekh, Mamjodi, Feraj Gharami, Akea Mistry and Mokbul;

On the South—By the Basirhat Cutcherry Compound;

On the West—By the remaining land occupied by Haran, Hasra Gazi, Mamjodi, Jamaldi Abdul, Golam Kasem Khan, Kasindra Nath Banarji and the remaining land of the post-office,

is required within the aforesaid village of Basirhat.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, 24-Parganas.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1293 L.A.—The 12th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government

Gaya. at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a new thana building at Tikari, in the town of Tikari, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6, bighas 16 cottahs and 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the fields of Chhotan Kunjra and others;

South—By the houses of Chamari Lohar, Halkhori Sonar and others;

East—By drain and Bayley road, and

West—By Municipal drain and Police-station land and compound,

is required within the aforesaid town of Tikari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Gaya.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1294 L.A.—The 12th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government,

Purnea. at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Brickfield and Sidings of the Katihar-Godagari Railway in the villages of Ekauna and Pindah, parganas Badore and Kumaripur, zilla Purnea, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 79 bighas 12 cottahs 14 chitaks of standard

measurement, bounded as follows, is required within the aforesaid villages of Ekauna and Pindah :—

North—Railway land and lands of Madan Mondal, Lagan Mondal, Jhubar Mondal and parti land of Babu Madan Gopal Chowdhuri and Mr. A. J. Shillingford.

East—Sukhan Mondal's land and Katihar-Godagari Railway land ;

South—Lands of Babu Madan Gopal Chowdhuri and Mr. A. J. Shillingford ;

West—Land of Mr. A. J. Shillingford.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Purnea and of the Superintendent of Works, Katihar-Godagari Railway, Mohadeopur.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1298 L.A.—The 12th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government,

Burdwan. at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for Quarters for Assistant Inspector of Works and his Trollymen at Ikrah Junction, in the village of Sheikpur, pargana Shergurh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 1 cottah 10·67 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north, south, east and west by the danga lands belonging to Kangal Ghose, Jadu Ghose, Rakhal Ghose and Suchand Ghose of Sheikpur, is required within the aforesaid village of Sheikpur

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3 clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Hooghly, as well as in that of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1359 L.A.—The 15th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at

Champaran. the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the road to the Moniary rest-shed in the village of Kukurah, pargana Majhowan, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 0·71 acre, bounded on the—

North—By Tribeni canal ;

South—By Moniary rest-shed compound ;

East—By waste land of Babu Mohan Bikram Shah, held by temporary tenure-holder Mr. Ammon and Bamboo Tope and Ratan Kumhar's paddy land ;

West—By cultivated land of Dashai Mullah and waste land of Babu Mohan Bikram Shah, held by temporary tenure-holder Mr. Ammon,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kukurah.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division Motihari.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1360L.A.—The 15th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a Public Works Department rest shed in the village of Sahaspur, tahsil Sambalpur, zilla Sambalpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·10 acres, bounded on the—

North—By field No. 1022 belonging to Kissan Sahu and encamping ground No. 1023;

East—By encamping ground No. 1023;

South—By village road No. 1025;

West—By the Sambalpur Sonepur road;

is required within the aforesaid village of Sahaspur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Sambalpur.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1375L.A.—The 15th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Barasat-Basirhat Light Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for Basirhat Station yard, in the village of Basirhat, pargana Balia, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the garden of Haran Chandra Sha and the Municipal Road,

East and South—By the Basirhat Station yard,

West—By the land occupied by Rash Behary Sha,

is required within the aforesaid village of Basirhat.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of Messrs. Martin & Co., at 6 and 7, Olive Street, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1386L.A.—The 16th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board, Howrah, for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a Feeder Road to Sankrail station in the villages of Mohishgote, Matley and Dhulagore, pargana Arsha, district Howrah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose pieces of land measuring, more or less, 50 bighas 3 cottahs 3 chitaks and 40 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By paddy lands of Rup Chand Bagdi, Rakhal Mallik, Bhisti Dhara, Ambica Ghose, Koilash Ghose, Hari Bor, Nanda Manna, Mohi Mukhal, Gogon Mallik, and Mati Pal and others' paddy land and Sadananda Ghugu's garden land;

South—By paddy lands of Noro Ghose, Hari Pada Dey, Kobadali Fakar, Koilash Ghose, Hari Bor, Kedar Koyal and Jhoru Bagdi, Khetra Ari's garden land, Bhini Mullik, Alimoddy Shaik's paddy land, Sadananda Ghugu's garden land, Matap Mallik's and Mati Pal's paddy land;

East—By the borrowpit of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway line at Sankrail station (near level crossing), and

West—By the junction of Domjur to Bowraha and Andul to Ekabbarpur district Board roads,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Mohishgote, Matley and Dhulagore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Howrah.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1675.—The 15th March 1909.—Whereas by Notification No. 2486, dated 16th July 1901, published at page 912, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 17th July 1901, it was notified that the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, and upon the application and with the concurrence of Babu Baroda Prosad Basu of Maju, in the district of Hooghly, did thereby order and direct that the Government Promissory Notes, of which the particulars were contained in the first schedule thereunder written, and the lands, buildings and premises situated in Maju aforesaid, of which the particulars were contained in the second schedule, thereunder written, should, as from the date of the first publication of the now reciting notification, vest and be thenceforth vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments, for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal to be held by him and his successors (subject to the provisions of the said Charitable Endowments Act, and the rules from time to time framed thereunder by the Governor-General in Council) upon trust for ever thereafter to permit the said premises in the said second schedule thereto described to be used for the purposes of the school established thereon, and called the “Ram Narayan Basu English School” and to receive the interest, income and profits of the same Government Promissory Notes and premises respectively when and as the same became due and payable and from time to time to apply the same to the advancement and maintenance of the said “Ram Narayan Basu English School” in accordance with the provisions made in that behalf in the scheme settled by the Local Government, the particulars whereof were contained in the third schedule thereunder written, and it was thereby further notified that the said scheme should come into operation on the vesting of the said Government Promissory Notes and premises in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments AND WHEREAS, accumulations having resulted of the surplus income of the securities and premises vested by the said recited notification, the same have been invested in the purchase of the Government Promissory Notes of which particulars are contained in the schedule hereunder written, and it has been resolved that the said Government Promissory Notes specified in the schedule hereunder written shall be vested in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments upon the same trusts as are declared by the said recited notification of and concerning the said Government Promissory Notes in the first schedule thereto specified. Now it is hereby notified that the said Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, and upon the application and with the concurrence of the present persons acting in the administration of the trust doth hereby order and direct that the Government Promissory Notes, of which the particulars are contained in the schedule hereunder written, shall, as from the date of the first publication of this notification, vest and be thenceforth vested in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments to be held by him and his successors (subject to the provisions of the said Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, and the rules from time to time framed thereunder by the Governor-General in Council) upon trust to receive the interest from time to time to accrue due thereon and from time to time to pay the same to the persons for the time being administering the property vested by the said recited notification in pursuance of the scheme contained in the third schedule to such recited notification, such interest to be held by such persons upon the like trusts and for the like purposes in all respects as are declared by and in the said recited notification of and concerning the Government Promissory Notes of which the particulars are contained in the first schedule to the said recited notification.

The schedule above referred to.

	Ra.
Government Promissory Note of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1842-43	
No. 086243 for	1,000
Government Promissory Note of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1854-55	
No. 099517 for	1,000
Total	2,000

No. 1595.—The 12th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Indian Factories Act, 1881 (XV of 1881), as amended by Act XI of 1891, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. J. Cowan to be an Assistant Inspector of Factories within the limits of the Province of Bengal, with effect from the 1st March 1909, during the absence of Mr. O. A. Walsh, Special Inspector of Factories, on leave.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATIONS.

No. 1453.—The 10th March 1909.—Maulvi Saiyid Saiyid-ul Aziz, Officiating Sub-Registrar, Daltonganj, in the district of Palamau, is granted leave under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations for two months, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

No. 1455.—The 10th March 1909.—Babu Kartik Prasad Chaudhuri, Sub-Registrar, Bahadurganj, in the district of Purnea, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Daltonganj, in the district of Palamau.

No. 1457.—The 10th March 1909.—Maulvi Saiyid Reza Karim, 5th grade Sub-Registrar, Shahabad, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Bahadurganj, in the district of Purnea, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Kartick Prasad Chowdhuri, or until further orders.

No. 1515.—The 11th March 1909.—Sardar Muhammad Sher Mir Khan, Sub-Registrar, Hajipur, in the district of Muzaffarpur, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

No. 1545.—The 12th March 1909.—Maulvi Abdul Aziz Mirza, Sub-Registrar of Mongalghat, in the district of Burdwan, is granted medical leave, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for four months and seventeen days with effect from the 12th October 1908. This cancels the Notification No. 8182, dated the 28th November 1908.

No. 1547.—The 12th March 1909.—Babu Bir Singh Ray, Sub-Registrar of Kalna, in the district of Burdwan, acted temporarily as Sub-Registrar of Purbasthali, in that district, from the 30th September to the 20th October 1908, both days inclusive.

No. 1549.—The 12th March 1909.—Babu Lalit Mohan Chatterji, fifth grade Sub-Registrar, Burdwan, acted temporarily as Sub-Registrar of Kalna, in that district, from the 24th September to the 21st October 1908, both days inclusive.

No. 1580.—The 12th March 1909.—Babu Srish Chandra Chakrabatti, District Sub-Registrar of Midnapore, was granted leave, on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and one day from the 25th September to the 25th October 1908.

No. 1600.—The 12th March 1909.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Sabir Husain, Sub-Registrar of Partabganj, in the district of Bhagalpur, was granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and nine days, with effect from the 4th December 1908.

No. 1602.—The 12th March 1909.—Maulvi Saiyid Abdur Nayeem, fifth grade Sub-Registrar, Monghyr, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Partabganj, in the district of Bhagalpur, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

No. 1614.—The 13th March 1909.—Maulvi Kra Yusuf Mirza, fourth grade Sub-Registrar, Monghyr, acted as Sub-Registrar of Shaikhpura in that district, from the 14th to the 19th December 1908.

No. 1616.—The 13th March 1909.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Nasir Khan, Sub-Registrar, who was granted leave under Government order No. 8248, dated the 30th November 1908, was permitted to return to duty before the expiry of his leave and posted to Shekhpura, in the district of Monghyr, with effect from the 20th December 1908.

No. 1618.—The 13th March 1909.—Babu Satish Chandra Sen, Officiating Sub-Registrar, Bara Bazar, in the district of Jessore, is granted leave, under article 336, rule 1, of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 24th November 1908.

No. 1620.—The 13th March 1909.—Babu Kanai Lal Basu is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Bara Bazar, in the district of Jessore, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 220-O — The 10th March 1909.—In consequence of the reversion of Mr. R. W. Pyne, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, to the rank of Assistant Opium Agent, with effect from the 12th June 1908, Mr. A. Burt, Assistant Opium Agent, is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Opium Agent from that date.

No. 221-O — The 10th March 1909.—The following promotions are ordered owing to the retirement of Mr. W. E. C. Young, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, with effect from the 29th August 1908:—

Mr. J. E. Powell, Assistant Opium Agent, is appointed to be Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, substantive *pro tempore*.

Mr. W. G. Leys, Probationary Assistant Opium Agent, is appointed to be an Assistant Opium Agent, substantive *pro tempore*.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2065A.

POWERS.

No. 1922A.—The 11th March 1909.—Mr. J. H. Lindsay, Assistant Magistrate, Dhanbaid, Manbhum, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Manbhum.

No. 2044A.—The 16th March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Mr. L. T. R. Lucas, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Monghyr, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Monghyr.

Mr. Lucas is also vested with powers under sections 110, 133, 186, 190 (1) (a) (b) (c) and 524 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Under the authority vested in the Local Government by sub-section (2), section 8 of the Reformatory Schools Act, VIII of 1897, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to invest Mr. L. T. R. Lucas with the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of the said section.

No. 2057A.—The 16th March 1909.—Babu Chandra Shekhar Sen, Munsif, Jangipur, Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Jangipur Munsifi.

Murshidabad.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 1243J.—The 12th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Babu Amar Nath to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this Notification and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Barh Independent Bench, in the district of Patna.

Patna.

No. 1245J.—The 12th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12, 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Babu Lekh Narayan Singh to be a Magistrate for a period of three years from the date of this Notification and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Barh Independent Bench, in the district of Patna. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class and is authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Barh subdivision of that district.

Patna.

No. 1315J.—The 15th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Babu Harinath Ghoshal and Babu Kshetramohan Chatarji to be Magistrates of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this Notification and to direct that they shall sit as members of the Barasat Independent Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas. Babu Kshetramohan Chatarji is also empowered to take down evidence in Criminal cases in the English language.

No. 1321J.—The 15th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Rakhal Chandra Mukharji to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this Notification and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Sadar Independent Bench in the district of Bankura.

No. 1325J.—The 15th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Nridhar Khuntia to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this Notification and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the district of Puri.

No. 1329J.—The 15th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Babu Sadananda Baura to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this Notification and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Sadar Independent Bench in the district of Cuttack.

RESIGNATION.

No. 1323J.—The 15th March 1909.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Shashtihar Mukharji of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Tittagarh Municipal Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1327J.—The 15th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Hrishikesh Routra and Maulvi Aziz Muhammad to be Magistrates of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification and to direct that they shall sit as members of the Bench at Bhubaneswar, in the district of Puri. They are also authorized to sit singly for the trial of cases under section 34 of Act V of 1861 within the town of Bhubaneswar.

No. 1361J.—The 16th March 1909.—With effect from the date of his appointment as Additional District and Sessions Judge of the 24-Parganas, the Lieutenant-Governor appoints Mr. A. Goodeve, under section 3 (d) of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894 (I of 1894), to perform the functions of the Court under that Act within the limits of Calcutta and the 24-Parganas.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL.

No. 1369J.—The 16th March 1909.—The Revd. J. Ireland Hasler is appointed to be a non-official visitor of the Bankipore Jail.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

PROCLAMATION.

No. 1508 P.—The 16th March 1909.—In accordance with proclamation No. 3394-P., dated the 19th August 1907, published at page 1501, part I, of the

Gaya.

Calcutta Gazette of the 21st idem, an additional Police force was appointed for a period of one year in the villages of Amari, Anantbigha, and Amarpura within the jurisdiction of the Goh police-station in the Aurangabad subdivision of the district of Gaya. The period was extended for six months under Government proclamation No. 1621P.D., dated the 26th September 1908, published at page 1618, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 30th September 1908. Under section 15 of Act V of 1861 (as amended by Act VIII of 1895), it is now declared that that proclamation shall remain in force and that the additional Police force appointed thereunder shall remain quartered in the aforesaid villages for a further period of one year with effect from the 19th March 1909.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 13th March 1909.

No. 42—The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department, is republished for information:—

No. 23, dated the 10th March 1909.—Mr. F. St. G. Manners-Smith, Superintending Engineer, 1st class, is, on completion of the special duty for which his services were temporarily placed at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces by Notification No. 163, dated the 6th October 1908, permanently transferred to Bengal.

No. 43.—The following extract from a notification, issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department, is republished for information:—

No. 27, dated the 12th March 1909.—Messrs. C. Subrahmanya Ayyar and * * * Assistant Examiners of Accounts, 3rd grade, on probation, are confirmed in the Superior Accounts Branch and promoted to Assistant Examiners, 2nd grade, with effect from the 1st January 1909.

The 16th March 1909.

No. 48.—With reference to the Government of India, Public Works Department Notification No. 23, dated the 10th March 1909, Mr. F. St. G. Manners-Smith is appointed Superintending Engineer of the Central Circle.

A. S. THOMSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 15th March 1909.

No. 45.—Babu Manas Ranjan Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, whose services have been placed at the disposal of this Department, is appointed to hold charge of the Revenue Division, Sone Canals, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Banarji, reverted to the regular line.

No. 46.—The following notification issued by the Government of India, in the Public Works Department, is republished for information:—

No. 21, dated the 8th March 1909.—Babu Bankim Krishna Ghosh, Sub-Engineer, 3rd grade, Bengal, is appointed to the Provincial Service of the Engineer Branch of the Public Works Department, as an Assistant Engineer, with effect from the 1st January 1909, and is posted to Bengal.

No. 47.—With reference to the Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 21, dated the 8th March 1909, Babu Bankim Krishna Ghosh, Assistant Engineer, is posted to the Brahmini-Byturni Division.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 9th March 1909.

No. 17 Marine.—Intimation having been received of the outbreak of plague in Hongkong, it is hereby notified, for general information, that Hongkong is declared an infected port, and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea, issued by this Government, will be enforced in the ports of Orissa against vessels arriving from Hongkong.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 12th March 1909.

No. 18 Marine.—Mr. H. G. Fox, Senior Master Pilot, who was granted three months' privilege leave in this Department Notification No. 143 Marine, of the 30th November 1908, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of leave, on medical certificate, for six months.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 12th March 1909.

No. 38.—In supersession of Notification No. 5 dated the 16th January 1909 Babu Priya Nath Chakrabatti, Overseer, 1st grade, Mahanadi Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for 1 month and 21 days, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th January 1909.

No. 40.—Babu Pyari Charan Gupta, Supervisor, 1st grade, Cossye Division, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 5th March 1909, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

T. BUTLER,
Chief Engineer

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 12th March 1909.

No. 39.—Babu Priya Nath Chakrabatti, Overseer, first grade, is, on return from leave, posted to the Third Calcutta Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 1st March 1909.

No. 41.—Babu Srish Chandra Sarkar, Overseer, second grade, Electrical Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 14th February 1909.

A. S. THOMSON,
Offg. Chief Engineer.

Detailed account of the security deposits held by the Comptroller-General on the 31st December 1908 on account of Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Bengal, published in conformity with Government of India, Public Works Department, Order No. 7, dated the 28th May 1880.

Loans.	Government Promissory Notes held by the Comptroller-General under stock.	Government Promissory Notes held by the Comptroller-General in safe custody.	Total.
1	2	3	4
Government Promissory Notes of the 3½ and 3 per cent. loans of 1842-43, 1854-55, 1865, 1896-97 and 1900-1901	Rs. 75,500	Rs. 16,300	Rs. 91,800

Detailed account of security deposits held by the Comptroller-General on the 31st December 1908 under stock.

Serial No. in the register of securities maintained by this office.	Names of depositors.	Amount of investments in 3½ and 3 per cent. loans of 1842-43, 1854-55, 1865, 1896-97 and 1900-01.	Names of officers through whom interest is paid.
1	2	3	4
	EXAMINER, PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS, BENGAL.	Rs.	
274 and 275	Babu Akhoy Kumar Banerjee, Clerk ...	2,000	} Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Bengal.
253	„ Badan Behary Chatterjee, Clerk ...	100	
	Total ...	2,100	
	1ST CALCUTTA DIVISION.		
150	Babu Jadu Nath Chatterjee, Cashier ...	1,000	} Executive Engineer, 1st Calcutta Division.
	Total ...	1,000	
	2ND CALCUTTA DIVISION.		
333	Babu Chooney Lall Dass, Cashier ...	1,000	} Executive Engineer, 2nd Calcutta Division.
218	„ Benode Behary Bannerjee, Rent-collecting Sircar ...	100	
	Total ...	1,100	
	3RD CALCUTTA DIVISION.		
174, 201, 234 and 276	Babu Mohendra Nath Banerjee, Cashier...	2,000	} Executive Engineer, 3rd Calcutta Division.
258 to 261	Executive Engineer, 3rd Calcutta Division, for Howrah Cemetery Fund ...	1,600	
	Total ...	3,600	
	BRICKFIELDS DIVISION.		
256 and 316	Babu Hem Chandra Bhadury, Store-keeper	2,000	} Executive Engineer, Brickfields Division.
67 to 69	„ Heera Lall Mookerjee, ditto ...	2,000	
	Total ...	4,000	
	DARJEELING DIVISION.		
264 to 267	Executive Engineer, Darjeeling Division, for Darjeeling Cemetery Fund ...	1900	} Executive Engineer, Darjeeling Division.
262 and 263	Executive Engineer, Darjeeling Division, for Kurseong Cemetery Fund ...	1500	
	Total ...	3,400	
	Carried over total ...	15,200	

Serial No. in the register of securities maintained by this office.	Names of depositors.	Amount of investment in 8½ and 8 per cent. loans of 1842-43, 1854-55, 1895, 1896-97 and 1900-1901.	Names of officers through whom interest is paid.
1	2	3	4
	Brought over total ...	Rs. 15,200	
	POLITICAL OFFICER, SIKKIM.		
335	Babu Mohon Lall Dikshit, Temporary Store-keeper.	100	Political Officer, Sikkim, resigned on 1st January 1908.
	Total ...	100	
	EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, ELECTRICAL DIVISION.		
344	Babu Lolit Mohon Bannerjee, Temporary Store-keeper.	500	Executive Engineer, Electrical Division.
	Total ...	500	
	SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, ORISSA CIRCLE.		
219	Babu Bimala Charan Ghose, Relieving Cashier ...	500	Executive Engineer, Brahmini Byturni Division.
	Total ...	500	
	 BRAHMINI-BYTURNI DIVISION.		
43	Babu Ashu Tosh Mookerjee, Cashier ...	1,000	Ditto ditto.
277, 300 and 302	„ Brojo Bohary Roy, Store-keeper ...	1,500	
52 and 53	Messrs. Macneil & Co., Contractors ...	1,500	
183 to 185	Managing Agents, India General Steam Navigation Company, Limited, Contractors ...	2,000	
	Total ...	6,000	
	BALASORE DIVISION.		
312	Babu Gour Charan Dey, Subdivisional Cashier ...	500	Executive Engineer, Balasore Division.
192	„ Abinath Chunder Banerjee, Toll-Collector ...	200	
193	„ Chandra Sekhar Singh, Toll-Collector ...	200	
194	„ Mohesh Chunder Bora, ditto ...	200	
196	„ Ashu Tosh Dey, ditto ...	100	
197	„ Bijoy Gobinda Singha, ditto ...	100	
198	„ Preo Nath Mitter, ditto ...	100	
289	Raja of Moheshadal ...	500	
	Total ...	1,900	
	ORISSA CANALS, REVENUE DIVISION.		
216	Babu Kunja Behary Roy, Zilladar ...	500	Deputy Collector, Orissa Canals Revenue Division. * Died on 11th January 1907.
313	Munshi Abbasuddin Mahomed, ditto ...	500	
320	Babu Brindaban Chander Sahu, Cashier ...	500*	
321	„ Satish Chander Guha, Zilladar ...	500	
	Total ...	2,000	
	MIDNAPORE CANALS, REVENUE DIVISION.		
95	Babu Mohanundo Ganguly, Zilladar ...	500	Deputy Collector, Midnapore Canals, Revenue Division.
328	„ Bhupendra Narain Dass, ditto ...	500	
381	„ Pran Kristo Dass, ditto ...	500	
	Total ...	1,500	
	Carried over total ...	27,700	

Serial No. in the register of securities maintained by this office.	Names of depositors.	Amount of investment in 3½ and 3 per cent. loans of 1842-43, 1854-55, 1865, 1896-97 and 1900-01.	Names of officers through whom interest is paid.
1	2	3	4
	Brought over total ...	Rs. 27,700	
	NORTHERN DRAINAGE AND EMBANKMENT DIVISION.		
332	Babu Surendra Nath Bannerjee, Relieving Cashier ...	500	Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.
82, 87, 170 to 173	„ Srikanto Singh, Sub-Overseer ...	1,000	
83, 86, 220 and 231.	„ Rai Churun Dass, ditto ...	1,000	
327	„ Bishnu Charan Chatterjee, Duffadar	100	
307	„ Parameswar Ram Rangua, ditto	100	
341 to 343	„ Bhoobun Chunder Chukerbutty, Lessee ...	1,200	
	Total ...	3,900	
	CIRCULAR AND EASTERN CANALS DIVISION.		
25 and 26	Babu Jogendra Nath Bose, Daroga ...	1,000	Executive Engineer, Circular and Eastern Canals Division.
88 and 116	„ Sreemanto Das, do. ...	1,000	
217 and 257	„ Doorga Dass Ghose, do. ...	1,000	
273	„ Debendra Nath Buxi, do. ...	500	
293	„ Rajoni Kanto Mookerjee, do. ...	400	
322	„ Sarat Chander Ganguly, Accounts Clerk ...	500	
169	„ Roghunandan Ram, Duffadar	100	
156 to 168	Messrs. Kilburn & Co., Contractors	800	
169 and 160	„ Macneil & Co., ditto	600	
	Total ...	5,900	
	COSSEY DIVISION.		
243 and 291	Babu Nani Gopal Bannerjee, Accounts Clerk ...	1,000	* Retired.
84 and 248	„ Beni Madhab Chatterji, Sub-divisional Cashier* ...	1,000	
33	„ Hari Prosonna Chatterjee, Store-keeper* ...	500	Executive Engineer, Cossye Division.
143	„ Bejoy Gopal Roy, Toll-Collector	200	
145	„ Soahi Bhusan Mitter, ditto	200	
146	„ Chandra Kumar Dutta, ditto	200	
147	„ Basanta Kumar Sircar, ditto	300	
148	„ Upendra Lall Dutt, ditto	200	
	Total ...	3,600	
	ARRAH DIVISION.		
323 and 324	Munshi Elias, Accounts Clerk ...	1,000	Executive Engineer, Arrah Division.
240 and 290	Babu Surendra Nath Chatterjee, Subdivisional Cashier ...	1,000	
134	„ Rameswari Lall, Subdivisional Cashier ...	500	
230	„ Ganendra Nath Bannerjee, Subdivisional Cashier ...	500	
339	M. Syed Mohamed Ayub, Subdivisional Cashier ...	500	
340	Babu Nand Kishore Lall, Subdivisional Cashier ...	500	
246 and 253½	„ Jogesh Chander Chatterjee, Sub-divisional Cashier ...	1,000	
	Total ...	46,100	

Serial No. in the register of securities maintained by this office.	Names of depositors.	Amount of investment in 3½ and 3 per cent. loans of 1942-43, 1854-55, 1885, 1896-97 and 1900-01.	Names of officers through whom interest is paid.
1	2	3	4
	Brought over total ...	Rs. 46,100	
	BUXAR DIVISION.		
107	Babu Nand Kishore Panday, Subdivisional Cashier ...	500	Executive Engineer, Buxar Division.
79 and 135	„ Khub Lall, Subdivisional Cashier ...	1,000	
298	„ Ram Lochun Lall, Subdivisional Cashier ...	500	
256 and 299	„ Anath Bandhu Sircar, Subdivisional Cashier ...	1,000	
	Total ...	3,000	
	EASTERN SONE DIVISION.		
136	Babu Prosonno Coomar Mitter, Accounts Clerk ...	1,000	Executive Engineer, Eastern Sone Division.
129 and 133	„ Raja Ram, Subdivisional Cashier ...	1,000	
326	Munshi Wassimuddin, ditto ...	500	
336	Babu Ram Nath, ditto ...	500	
	Total ...	3,000	
	DEHRI WORKSHOPS SUBDIVISION.		
249, 279, 281, 292 and 304, 19, 28 and 29	Babu Kherode Prosad Ker, Cashier ...	1,000	Subdivisional Officer, Dehri Workshops Subdivision.
	„ Nando Gopal Chatterjee, Store-keeper ...	2,000	
	Total ...	3,000	
	SONE CANALS REVENUE DIVISION.		
108	Babu Baldeo Sahay, Zilladar ...	1,000	Deputy Collector, Sone Canals Revenue Division.
214	Shah Itrat Hossein, ditto ...	500	
317, 318 and 353	Munshi Ashrafali Khan, ditto ...	1,000	
283 and 316	Babu Narsing Sahay, ditto ...	1,000	
338	Munshi Ahmedulla Khan, Naib Zilladar ...	500	
348	Babu Iswari Prasad, Tehsil dar ...	500	
351	„ Ram Narain Prasad, ditto ...	500	
352	„ Tara Prasad, ditto ...	500	
354	Muhambi Wali Mahomed Khan, ditto ...	500	
337 and 350	Babu Harihar Churn, Cashier ...	2,000	
	Total ...	8,000	
	GANDAK DIVISION.		
296	Babu Motindra Nath Mookerjee, Store-keeper ...	500	Executive Engineer, Gandak Division. Dismissed with effect from 14th July 1908. Vide Salary Bill for January 1909.
	Total ...	500	
	CHAMPARAN DIVISION.		
16 and 17	Munshi Syed Mofuzuler Rohoman, Cashier	1,000	Died on 2nd January 1908.
287 and 288	Babu Kally Podo Mookerjee, Subdivisional Cashier ...	200	
301	Messrs. Burn & Co., Contractors ...	5,000	Executive Engineer, Champaran Division.
313	„ George Henderson & Co., Contractors ...	5,000	
345 and 346	Babu Jogindra Nath Sanial, Subdivisional Cashier ...	200	
347	„ Bimal Behary Roy, Subdivisional Cashier ...	500	
	Total ...	11,900	
	GRAND TOTAL ...	75,500	

F. O. W. DOVER,
Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Bengal.

Detailed account of Government Promissory notes held by the Comptroller-General on the 31st December 1908 under safe custody.

Serial No. in the register of securities maintained by this office.	Names of depositors.	Amount of investment in 3½ and 3 per cent. loans.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4
	SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.	Rs.	
286 to 288	Messrs. Octavius Steel & Co., Calcutta ...	2,200	
289	„ Martin & Co., Calcutta ...	10,000	
	Total ...	12,200	
	FIRST CALCUTTA DIVISION.		
269, 275 and 276.	Babu Nibaran Chander Mookerjee, Contractor ...	1,300	
	Total ...	1,300	
	THIRD CALCUTTA DIVISION.		
290	Babu Jogesh Chunder Bose, Contractor ...	1,000	
	Total ...	1,000	
	PUSA DIVISION.		
291 and 292	Messrs. Octavius Steel & Co., Contractors ...	200	
	Total ...	200	
	DISTRICT BOARD, 24-PARGANAS.		
299, 313 and 314	Babu Ashu Tosh Ghosh, Contractor ...	800*	Rs. 400 returned on 22nd February 1909.
317 to 320	Messrs. Biswas & Co., do. ...	400	
310	Babu Umesh Chunder Dutt, do. ...	100	
311 and 312	„ Soshi Bhusan Ghose, do. ...	300	
	Total ...	1,600	
	GRAND TOTAL ...	16,300	

F. C. W. DOVER,
Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 2066A.

No. 2007A.—The 15th March 1909.—Babu Sharbari Kanta Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, Chota Nagpur, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his settlement duties in Chota Nagpur.

No. 2011A.—The 15th March 1909.—Maulvi Saiyid Amjad Ali, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Supaul, Bhagalpur, is transferred to the headquarters station of that district, with effect from the 20th February 1909.

No. 2046A.—The 16th March 1909.—Mr. William Raha, Sub-Deputy Collector, Begusarai, Monghyr, is transferred to the Jamui subdivision of that district.

No. 2048A.—The 16th March 1909.—Mr. O. G. St. L. Robinson, Sub-Deputy Collector, Monghyr, is transferred to the Begusarai subdivision of that district.

No. 2050A.—The 16th March 1909.—Babu Shiba Kumar Jha, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Jamui, Monghyr, is transferred to the headquarters station of that district.

No. 2054A.—The 16th March 1909.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Naziruddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his special duty.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 3094, dated Calcutta, the 15th March 1909.—3rd grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Bidhan Chandra Ray is granted combined leave for 2 years, 2 months and 8 days with effect from the 25th February 1909, viz., privilege leave for 2 months and 14 days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations and extraordinary leave without allowances for the remaining period under article 339 of the same regulations.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,

Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Temple Medical School, Patna.

In accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medl., dated 19th September 1907, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will be held at 10 A.M. on Wednesday, the 7th April 1909, at the Temple Medical School, Bankipore.

2. Every candidate must produce certificates of training, age and previous education as required by Rules 9 and 11 of Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medl., dated 19th September 1907, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th September 1907, except in those cases provided for in Rule 10.

3. These certificates must comply with the conditions laid down in Rule 10 of the above resolution.

4. Male candidates must register their names and submit their certificates, together with a fee of Rs. 5, at least one week before the 7th April 1909, at the office of the undersigned.

Female candidates will be examined free of charge.

(Exception.—The students belonging to the Compounder class of a Vernacular Medical School will be exempted from paying this fee on producing a certificate from the Superintendent that they have already paid the school entrance fee.)

5. Should any candidate fail to pass the required examination, he will forfeit his fee.

6. No candidate for the Compounders' examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

B. C. OLDHAM, MAJOR, I.M.S.,

*Superintendent, Temple Medical School, Patna.**The 2nd March 1909.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR, BARU NAGENDRA NATH MITRA, has been placed temporarily in charge of the Burdwan Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Hakk, on leave.

KUMUD NATH MUKHARJI, for *Commissioner*.

BURDWAN COMM'R.'S OFFICE, *the 13th March 1909.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

HIGH COURT—ORIGINAL SIDE.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Honourable the Chief Justice has, under Articles 332 and 658 of the Civil Service Leave Regulations, granted to Mr. A. B. Miller, Official Assignee of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta, extraordinary leave for ten months with effect from the 20th March 1909, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the same and has appointed Mr. Charles Edward Grey, Barrister-at-Law, to act as Official Assignee during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Miller, or until further order.

By order,

W. R. FINK, *Registrar.*

The 11th March 1909.

It is ordered that the following Rule be read and passed as a rule and order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal to take effect from the fifteenth day of February one thousand nine hundred and nine :—

That Rule 9 of the Rules for the admission of Attorneys of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal passed on the twenty-third day of July one thousand eight hundred and eighty being Rule 93, Bel. R. & O. be amended by inserting between the letters "B.A." and the word "Examination" the word and letters "or B. Sc."

FRANCIS W. MACLEAN.
R. HARRINGTON.
C. M. W. BRETT.
H. L. STEPHEN.
ASUTOSH MOOKERJEE.
C. P. CASPERSZ.
C. W. CHITTY.
E. E. FLETCHER.
S. SHARFUDDIN.
H. R. H. COXE.
H. W. C. CARNDUFF.
LAL MOHAN DAS.
A. E. RYVES.
T. W. RICHARDSON.

BABU UPENDRA NATH DATTA, Sub-Judge of Sambalpur, in the district of Cuttack, is appointed to be a District Delegate under section 235A of Act X of 1865 and section 52 of Act V of 1881, respectively, within the local limits of his jurisdiction.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT,
CIVIL,
The 11th March 1909.

By order of the High Court,
A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Registrar.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 9th March 1909.—Babu Girindra Nath Chatterjee, Assistant Master, Uttarpara Government School under training at the David Hare Training College (class VI) is allowed leave, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months from the 20th November 1908.

The 10th March 1909.—Babu Kalika Prasad Sinha, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Patna (class VIII), is allowed leave on medical certificate under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 19th December 1908.

The orders of the 21st September 1908, granting Babu Bhairab Sahay, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Shahabad (class VI), leave of absence for 15 days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th September 1908, or such subsequent date as he might avail himself of it, are cancelled.

The 11th March 1909.—Babu Hrisikesh Misra is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Cuttack and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 1st August 1908.

Babu Balabhadra Kar is confirmed as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Cuttack and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 23rd February 1908.

Babu Mukund Lal, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Bhagalpur (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is allowed leave, without allowances under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months in extension of the leave already granted to him under the orders of the 1st August 1908.

Babu Sarada Prasad will continue to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Bhagalpur and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service during the absence, on leave, of Babu Mukund Lal.

Babu Kedar Nath Mukerjee, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Burdwan (class III), is allowed leave of absence, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and-a-half from 7th March 1909, or any subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it.

(2) Babu Amrita Lal Chatterji, Senior Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Burdwan (class III), is appointed to act as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Burdwan, *vice* Babu Kedar Nath Mukerjee, on leave.

(3) Babu Umesh Chandra Bose, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Burdwan (class V), is appointed to act as an Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Burdwan, *vice* Babu Amrita Lal Chatterji.

(4) Babu Gopal Chandra Acharyya, an Assistant Master in the Bankura Zilla School (class III of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as Sub-Inspector of Schools, Burdwan, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Umesh Chandra Bose, on deputation.

Maulvi Nader Ali, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Burdwan, on probation (substantively *pro tempore* in class VII), is allowed leave, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month from 20th March 1909.

The 13th March 1909.—Babu Joy Mungal Prasad, B.A., who was appointed on probation for one year, as an Assistant Master in the Arrah Zilla School and substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, under the orders of the 11th September 1907, is confirmed in his appointment and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 22nd September 1908.

Babu Sris Chandra Palit, an Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Bethune Collegiate School (class V), was on leave, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, from 1st to 24th February 1909.

G. W. KÜCHLER,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that the first Half-yearly Departmental Examination during 1909, of Assistant and Deputy Magistrates and Sub-Deputy Collectors of Regulation and Non-regulation districts, of Cantonment Magistrates and of officers employed in the Police, Medical, Forest, Public Works, Agricultural and Civil Veterinary Departments in the districts of the Patna, Tirhut and the Bhagalpur Divisions (except Darjeeling), will be held at Bankipore, in the Patna College Hall on Wednesday, the 28th April 1909, and the two following days.

The officers employed in the district of Darjeeling will be examined in Calcutta at the office of the Commissioner of the Presidency Division.
The Examination will begin at 11 A.M. on each day.

W. MAUDE,

*Commissioner and President of Local Examination Committee
for the Examination of Asst. Magtes. and others at Bankipore.*

PATNA COMM'R.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, the 11th March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that for the ensuing half-yearly Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others to be held at 11 A.M. on the 28th April 1909 and the two following days, a Local Examination Committee will be convened in the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at No. 3 Charnock Place, Calcutta, for the conduct of the examination of officers employed in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

KRISHNA KALI MUKHARJI, for Commissioner.

COMM'R.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, the 15th March 1909.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1315B.

An examination of the Patna and Benares Provision Opium of season 1907-08 will be held at the new Opium-godowns No. 14, Strand Road, on Monday, the 5th April 1909, at 10-45 A.M. Merchants, dealers and others interested in opium are invited to attend.

Samples of the opium examined will be given to merchants and dealers only, in small tins, which must be placed on the table labelled with the names of the persons requiring the sample.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI,
Secretary.

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE DEPT., OPIUM SALE, CALCUTTA, the 9th March 1909.

No. 1069B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 26th February 1909.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 100 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, prescribe the following rules:--

11. Notification, dated the 7th April, 1896, which was published on pages 381 and 382 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem, is hereby cancelled.

RULES.

OPERATIONS ON GOODS IN A WAREHOUSE.

1. Before any operation referred to in section 100 is performed in a warehouse, an application, stating the exact nature of the proposed operation, must be made to the Collector of Customs.

2. The officer of Customs deputed by the Collector in this behalf shall, prior to the operation, compare the marks in the application with those on the goods and ascertain the actual quantity of the goods and record such quantity.

3. When the operation is completed, the officer shall ascertain the quantities, and record and sign the new account of the goods.

RACKING AND VATTING.

4. Racking from cask to cask may be performed in a warehouse, and casks in bad condition may have their contents racked out into sound casks.

5. Before any empty spirit cask is delivered from the Custom House or bonded premises, it shall be properly drained and thoroughly rinsed out with such quantity of water as the Customs officer may deem sufficient, water being allowed to stand in the cask for not less than twenty-four hours before delivery, during which period the cask shall be rolled over several times. The rinsings shall be poured away in the presence of an officer.

6. The operation of putting wines or spirits together in a vat may only be performed in a compartment of a warehouse fitted and used for that purpose only, unless the vat is a close-covered vessel, which has been accurately gauged, and of which the hatch and discharge cock can be secured by locks, the keys of which shall remain with the Bonding Department.

7. Vats must be distinctly marked with their numbers and capacity in gallons. The strength of spirits taken from a vat is to be ascertained by a sample from each cask.

8. After any spirits have been racked from a vat, the remainder must be drawn off before any more spirits are put into the vat.

RULES FOR THE BLENDING OF SPIRITS OR WINES IN BOND OR FOR THE REDUCTION OF STRENGTH OF SPIRITS BY WATER OR FOR THE FLAVOURING OF SPIRITS.

9. Applications for permission to blend spirits or wines in bond, or to reduce the strength of such spirits, or to flavour them, must be presented to the Collector of Customs.

10. Each application must contain a full description of the spirits or wines to be mixed, reduced, or flavoured, and must be accompanied by a fee at the rate of Rs. 4 per diem, to cover the pay of an officer of Customs, to be deputed by the Collector, in whose presence the blending, reduction or flavouring must be effected.

11. Spirits in casks may be reduced with water. When water is to be added, so much spirit may be drawn off from each cask as is required to make room for the purpose. The overdrawings, if more than 9 gallons, may be re-warehoused; and, if less than the quantity specified, they must either be used in another operation or cleared on payment of duty.

12. The amount of liquor drawn from each cask for the purpose of blending or reducing the strength, must be shown as cleared or exported on the original bond. If any deficiency be found on emptying a cask, duty thereon must at once be levied, subject to the provisions of sections 116 and 117 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878.

13. The blend, when effected, shall be re-tested and re-gauged, and a fresh bond shall be made out for the duty found leviable thereon.

14. For the purpose of calculating the period of three years under section 103 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878, and the allowances for ullage and wastage under section 116 of that Act, the date of the new bond shall be taken to be the date on which the earliest of the bonds, relating to any of the spirits in the operation, was executed.

15. The spirits or wines blended must be the produce and manufacture of the same country.

16. Spirits in bond may be blended, or reduced by water, or flavoured only in a bonded warehouse specially approved for the purpose, and in the presence of an officer deputed by the Collector of Customs.

17. Spirits so compounded or reduced shall be assessed to duty before any obscuring matter is added, and after the addition of such matter no allowance for ullage or wastage shall be made.

18. Samples of the spirit which it is intended to compound, and of the flavouring materials to be used, shall be sent, whenever the Collector of Customs deems it desirable, to the Chemical Examiner to be examined as to their freedom from objectionable substances.

19. Flavouring materials shall be added only in such proportion as may be fixed by the Government of India.

20. The words "blend" or "reduced by water" or "reduced and flavoured" must be cut into or indelibly marked on the vat or casks containing the blended spirits or wines, or the spirits reduced in strength and flavoured. Original marks and brands must be removed unless all the spirits and wines be of the same mark.

BOTTLING.

21. Wines and spirits may only be bottled from casks in a *bottling warehouse*. No other operation may be performed in such warehouse at the same time.

22. Wines and spirits intended for bottling must be removed from the warehouse to a bottling warehouse in presence of a Customs Officer.

23. Bottles must be packed immediately after filling. Each package must contain a dozen, or a multiple of a dozen, of quarts or pints, and the bottles in each package must be of uniform size.

24. The officer deputed must record in his bottling book the number of bottles filled before they are packed; the bottles must then be packed without unnecessary delay. The officer must satisfy himself that the proper number of bottles are placed in each case, and must see that packed cases are at once closed and fastened.

25. The bonding officer shall keep the key of the door of the bottling warehouse.

26. The officer must see that in the labelling and corking of bottles, the provisions of the Indian Merchandise Marks Act, 1889, are observed.

27. Wines and spirits in bottle may, if it be necessary, be started into casks.

MISCELLANEOUS.

28. Wines and spirits imported in cases may, if it be necessary, be adjusted and repacked, but not more than once while in bond. Labels and capsules may be renewed, but not changed for others not identical in terms.

29. Samples may, with the previous sanction of the Collector, be drawn from any case or cask, whether in the bonded warehouse or in the warehouse for operations on wet goods in bond, a note being kept on the bond or Customs documents denoting the quantity so drawn.

30. Spirits may be methylated in a warehouse. The spirits are to be gauged and the strength ascertained prior to the operation; and any deficiency not exceeding the legal allowance may be written off.

31. After methylation, a sample must be drawn off and sent for the usual report to the Chemical Examiner.

N. B.—All applications under the above rules must, under Schedule II (1) (a) of the Court Fees Act, bear a stamp of one anna.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI,

Secretary.

No. 923B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1906-07 will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Thursday the 1st April 1909, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,600 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	1,800
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	1,800
		—
Total	...	3,600
		—

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 27th November 1908, and published in the *Government and Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 16th April 1909, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 8th April 1909, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Friday, the 16th April 1909.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates

specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE			Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday,	4th May	1909 ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday,	1st June	,, ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday,	6th July	,, ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday,	3rd August	,, ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday,	8th September	,, ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Monday,	4th October	,, ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday,	3rd November	,, ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday,	1st December	,, ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
Total			14,400	14,400	28,800

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, the 23rd February 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is notified that, at the recent general elections, the following gentlemen have been elected as members of the Katwa Local Board in the district of Burdwan:—

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| (1) Babu Gobinda Pada Singha. | (3) Babu Jotindra Nath Chaudhuri. |
| (2) „ Syresh Chandra Sanyal. | (4) „ Satya Kinkar Shaen. |

2. It is also notified that the following gentlemen have been appointed, under section 10 of the Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended by Act V of 1908, to be members of the said Local Board:—

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| (1) Babu Manindra Prosad Singha. | (2) Maulvi Navaj Khoda. |
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3. It is further notified that, under section 11 of the Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended by Act V of 1905, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the same Local Board:—

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|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| (1) Babu Kamala Pati Chatterjee. | (2) Babu Govinda Madhab Mallik. |
| (3) Babu Bun Behary Chandra. | |

KUMUD NATH MUKHARJI, for *Commissioner*.

COMMRS.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, the 10th February 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that, at the recent general election, Babu Srimohan Singha has been elected as a member of the Kalna Local Board in the district of Burdwan.

2. It is also notified that the following gentlemen have been appointed, under section 10 of the Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, to be members of the said Local Board:—

1. Mohammad Esamat Khan Bahadur.
2. Babu Kuli Pada Nandy Chaudhuri.
3. „ Jogesh Chandra Mukherjee.
4. „ Bunwari Lal Biswas.
5. „ Radha Prasanna Gon.

3. It is further notified that, under section 11 of the Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the same Local Board :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Kalna ... *Ex-officio*.
2. Chaudhuri Abdar Rajak.
3. Babu Ram Hriday Sil.

KUMAD NATH MUKHARJI, for *Commissioner*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, the 8th March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 32 of the Election Rules of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Part II, the following dates have been fixed for holding elections of members of Local Boards in the several thanas in the district of Jessore :—

Subdivision.		Thana.	Date of election.
Sadar	{	Keshabpur ...	20th May 1909.
		Manirampur ...	21st " "
		Godkhali ...	22nd " "
		Nowapara ...	23rd " "
		Chougacha ...	24th " "
		Kotowali ...	25th " "
		Bagherpara ...	26th " "
Magura	{	Mahmudpur ...	23rd " "
		Sripur ...	24th " "
		Salikba ...	25th " "
		Magura ...	26th " "
Narail	{	Narail ...	25th " "
		Lohagora ...	26th " "
		Kalia ...	27th " "
Jhenidah	{	Jhenidah ...	23rd " "
		Kotchandpur ...	24th " "
		Sailkupa ...	25th " "
		Harinakundu ...	26th " "
		Kaliganj ...	27th " "
Bangaon	{	Bangaon ...	24th " "
		Maheshpur ...	25th " "
		Sara ...	26th " "
		Gaighata ...	27th " "

S. K. AGASTI, *Magistrate*.

MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE, JESSORE, the 4th March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20 (c) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the several Committees for the management of the Charitable Dispensaries in the district of Monghyr :—

Names of Dispensaries.	Names of Members.
Jamui Dispensary	The Civil Surgeon of Monghyr.
	The Subdivisional Officer of Jamui.
	The Munsif of Jamui.
	The Sub-Registrar of Jamui.
	Rao Maheshwari Prasad Singh.
	Babu Bageswari Prasad Singh.
	M. Amir Safdar.
	„ Abdul Wahid.
	Babu Shib Kumar Jha.
	„ Makutdhari Prasad Singh.

Names of Dispensaries.	Names of Members.
Begusarai Dispensary	{ The Civil Surgeon of Monghyr. The Subdivisional Officer of Begusarai. Mr. L. O'Reill . Babu Achyutanand Sahay. „ Pasupati Chatterji. „ Nand Kishore Das. „ Sasibhushan Banerji. M. M. Najmuddin. Babu Debakinandan. „ Ram Sumran Prasad. „ Jagaddhar Narayan Prasad. M. Amiruddin Ashraf.
Teghra Dispensary	{ The Civil Surgeon of Monghyr. The Subdivisional Officer of Begusarai. Babu Harihar Prasad. The Rural Sub-Registrar, Teghra. M. Mohammad Syed. Mr. W. J. Marsham. „ E. G. Macpherson. Babu Bansi Singh. M. M. Najmuddin. M. Zainuddin. Babu Gopeswar Nath Dutt. „ Mahabir Prasad Singh. Maulvi Mohammad Khalil.
Gogri Dispensary	{ The Civil Surgeon of Monghyr. The Sub-Registrar, Gogri. Babu Harihar Prasad Singh. „ Behari Lal Mitra. Choudhuri Mohammad Natiq. Babu Baldeo Ram Marwari. M. Kamaluddin Ahmed. Babu Jaydeb Ram Sinha.
Chapraon Dispensary	{ The Civil Surgeon of Monghyr. Mr. P. T. Rebello. „ Herbert Ohristian. Maulvi Ajirul Haq.
Shekhpura Dispensary	{ The Civil Surgeon of Monghyr. S. Nasir Khan, M. Dildar Ali Khan. „ Feda Hossain Khan. „ Tafazul Hossain Khan. „ Nisar Ali Khan. „ Zawar Ali Khan. „ Mohammad Hossain. Babu Bahari Lal. Maulvi Eradat Hossain.
Surajgarha Dispensary	{ The Civil Surgeon of Monghyr. M. Shah Sami Ahmed. „ Fazal Karim. Babu Hemraj Shah. M. Ataullah. Babu Sani Lal.
Sagrampur Dispensary	{ The Civil Surgeon of Monghyr. Mr. F. B. Robinson. „ H. Manners. Babu Ramjiban Sanyal. „ Tapsi Narayan Singh. „ Ramdhari Bhagat. „ Nand Kumar Lal. „ Prayag Bhagat. Mr. H. L. Curtis.

Names of Dispensaries.	Names of Members.
Khagaria Dispensary	{ The Civil Surgeon of Monghyr.
	{ Babu Mahadev Lal.
	{ „ Madho Prasad.
	{ „ Maya Ram Marwari.
	{ „ Bhagwan Das.
•	{ „ Dund Bahadur Singh.
	{ „ Kesho Prasad Singh.
Lakhisarai Dispensary	{ The Civil Surgeon of Monghyr.
	{ M. Ali Kasim, Sub-Registrar.
	{ „ Asghar Hossain.
	{ „ Saiyad Hidayat Hossain.
	{ „ Mohammad Mobin.
	{ Babu Bhola Nath Chattarji.
	{ „ Bulaki Lal Varman.

COMM'R.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 8th March 1909.*

E. H. C. WALSH, *Commr.*

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20 (b) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Puri Pilgrim Hospital, in the district of Puri:—

1. Babu Jagabandhu Patnaik in place of Babu Harish Chandra Ghose, deceased.
2. Babu Jagabandhu Singh in place of Babu Kulamony Chowdhury, removed.

E. V. LEVINGE, *Commissioner.*

ORISSA COMM'R.'S OFFICE, CUTTACK, *the 13th March 1909.*



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PART I A.

[Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 13th March 1909.]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

JUDICIAL.

Calcutta, the 9th March 1909.

No. 364.—The Hon'ble Sir Francis William Maclean, Kt., K.C.I.E., having resigned the office of Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, with effect from the 12th March 1909, the Governor-General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of the Indian High Courts Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., C. 104), section 7, to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Harington, one of the Judges of the High Court, to perform the duties of Chief Justice until such time as Sir Lawrence Hugh Jenkins, Kt., K.C.I.E., whose appointment as Chief Justice has been approved by His Majesty the King-Emperor, enters on the discharge of the duties of his office, or until further orders.

The 10th March 1909.

No. 369.—Mr. A. B. Miller, Official Trustee, Bengal, is granted extraordinary leave for ten months, with effect from the 20th March 1909, or the subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it, under articles 658 and 332 of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 371.—Mr. C. E. Grey, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to act as Official Trustee of Bengal, during the absence, on extraordinary leave, of Mr. A. B. Miller, or until further orders.

No. 374.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Harington, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, having been appointed to perform the duties of Chief Justice of the said Court until such time as Sir Lawrence Hugh Jenkins, Kt., K.C.I.E., whose appointment as Chief Justice has been approved by His Majesty the King-Emperor, enters upon the discharge of the duties of his office, the Governor-General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of the Indian High Courts Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., C. 104), section 7, to appoint Mr. W. H. H. Vincent, 1 c.s., Judicial Commissioner, Chota Nagpur, to act as a Judge of the High Court for the period during which the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Harington performs the duties of the Chief Justice, or until further orders.

The 12th March 1909.

No. 378.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Holmwood, who was placed on deputation by the Home Department Notification No. 183, dated the 5th February 1909, to inspect and report to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on such of the Civil Courts

subordinate to its Appellate jurisdiction as it might direct, resumed his seat in the High Court on the 6th March 1909.

No. 579.—Mr. T. W. Richardson, I.C.S., Barrister-at-Law, took his seat as an acting Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on the 6th March 1909.

H. A. STUART,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 12th March 1909.

No. 628-G.—The following Resolution of the Government of India in the Foreign Department is published for general information:—

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Foreign Department, No. 627-G., dated Fort William, the 12th March 1909.

The Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following officer be added to those empowered in paragraph 2, clause (1) of the Resolution of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3001-I.A., dated the 27th June 1903, to grant licenses for the export of arms and ammunition to the Native State under his political charge:—

The Political Officer in Sikkim, Gantok.

*
S. H. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Fort William, the 12th March 1909.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps.

No. 231.—Commander Eaton Wallace Petley, C.I.E., Honorary Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Viceroy, V.D. (late Navigating Lieutenant, Royal Navy), Commandant, resigns his commission. Dated 31st March 1909.

Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 236.—Colonel Clement Alfred Rigby Browne, R.E., to be Commandant with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, *vice* Cowie, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 12th December 1908.

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART II B.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 448M.—The 11th March 1909.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. H. B. Poole to be a Commissioner of the Garden Reach Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Mr. J. E. B. Radcliffe.

No. 469M.—The 12th March 1909.—In accordance with the provisions of clause (c) of section 9 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Muzaffarpur Municipality, in the district of Muzaffarpur, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare his intention to include within the said Municipality, the local area of 977 square miles lying south-west of the Municipality and bounded as follows:—

1. **North.**—The boundary of the area proposed to be added commences at a point through which the course of the new Hajipur line passes at the junction of the boundary line of villages Maripur and Bhagwanpur and thence continued eastward along race course and Kalambag road till it meets the boundary line of villages Satpura and Ganipur.
East.—By the boundary line of village Ganipur till it meets the alignment of the old Hajipur Railway line.
South.—By the new Hajipur Railway line passing through the villages of Ganipur Khabra and Majhauria.
West.—By the curve of the new Hajipur Railway line passing through the villages of Barhanpura, Bhagwanpur till it meets the Bettiah Railway line.
2. The revised boundaries of the Muzaffarpur Municipality after the inclusion of the aforesaid local area, will be as follows:—
North.—The River Buri Gandak.
South.—The boundary line continues along the south towards the east by the old boundary line at the village of Bhikanpur, Atterdah and Sheerpur up to the Mithanpur unmetalled road.
East.—The boundary line runs along the western edge of the Mithanpura unmetalled road from its junction with the Sisoo road to its junction with the Pachrang Patti road, then turning east and then northward by the western edge of the Pachrang patti road up to its junction with the Kalibari road; then turning eastward by the northern edge of the unmetalled road called road to Trilouki Babu's garden up to its junction with Opium Godown road, thence by the eastern boundary of the Opium Godown compound to the old bed of the river Buri Gandak; thence westward and north along the eastern edge of the old bed to its junction with present Buri Gandak at Chandwara.

West.—The western edge of the Daudpur unmetalled road from its junction with the Daudpur embankment to the north-western corner of the Daudpur Indigo Factory, thence a line running south-west and south by the boundary line of the villages of Barhampura and Daudpur up to its junction of its boundary with the Bengal and North-Western Bettiah Railway line, thence eastward along the north of the Railway line up to its junction with the Hajipur line; thence westward following the curve of the Hajipur Railway line and passing through villages of Barhampura and Bhagwanpur up to the tangent point of the same curve, thence along the same line, south-eastward through villages of Majhowlia Khabra and Ganipur up to its junction with the alignment of the old Hajipur Railway line, thence along the old Railway line up to Baldeo Babu's Tank.

3. Any rate-payer of the said Municipality, or any inhabitant of the local area which it is proposed to include therein who objects to the said inclusion should submit his objection in writing, through the District Magistrate, to the undersigned within six weeks from the publication of this notification.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.



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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

PATNA DIVISION.

[Award of Middle Scholarship on the results of 1908-09.]

ERRATUM.

Read—

Name of Candidate.	Name of School from which appeared.	Name of School where the Scholarship is made tenable.
Matukdhari Lal	Barharwa M. E. School	Motihari Zilla School.
<i>for</i>		
Chandraket Narayan	Motihari Zilla School	Motihari Zilla School.

published on page 56, Part IC of the *Calcutta Gazette* of February 3, 1909.

E. V. PRESTON,
Inspector of Schools, Patna Division.

NOTIFICATION.

No candidate has been successful at the Pleader's Survey Examination held in February 1909.

CALCUTTA,
The 13th March 1909.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

SYED MUHAMMAD DAUD of Panchla Middle English School has been elected by the District Board, Howrah, to a special Muhammadan scholarship of Rs. 3 a month tenable for two years at the Panchla Middle English School.

The 13th March 1909.

H. LAMBERT,
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

NOTICE.

An examination in English Idiom and Pronunciation of the Teachers of High and Middle English Schools who have to teach English or other subjects through the medium of English will be held at the office of the Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division, on Tuesday, the 31st March 1909. Only those candidates who have passed the Entrance or one of the higher examinations of an Indian University will be eligible to appear at it.

2. The intending candidates should apply to this office on or before the 27th March 1909, and state in their applications the following particulars:—

- (a) Name.
- (b) Father's name.
- (c) Residence (village, thana and district).
- (d) Academical qualifications.
- (e) Name of school in which he at present serves.

3. The candidates should bring with them the certificates of having passed the University Examinations specified in their applications.

BHAGALPUR,

The 26th February 1909. }

M. PROTHERO,

Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

In addition to the books excluded under this office Notification, dated the 21st September 1908, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, the books detailed below have, on re-examination, been found unsuitable for retention on the list of approved books.

CALCUTTA,

The 1st March 1909. }

G. W. KÜCHLER,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

No.	Name of book.	Author.	Publisher.
<i>Bengali.</i>			
1	Sahitya Parijat ...	Narayan Chandra Vid-yaratna.	Siddheswar Press Depo-sitory.
2	Sahitya Siksha, Part I ...	Bireswar Pande ...	Bengal Medical Library.
3	Bhasha Siksha, Part I ...	Charusila Devi ...	Ditto.
4	Sahitya Path, Part I ...	.....	Guru Das Chatterji.
5	Sahitya Ratna (revised) ...	Sakti Prasanna Sen Gupta.	Sanskrit Press Deposi-tory.
6	Nutan Sish Path ...	Isan Chandra Ghose ...	.....
7	Patiganit, Part II ...	Hari Ballav Maudal ...	Sanyal & Co.; K. O. Sett & Co.
8	Patiganit and Suvankari (old edition).	P. Ghosh ...	.....
9	Patiganit, U. P. (old edition)	P. Ghose.—Adapted by E. P. Ghosh.	.....
10	Practical Geometry and Men-suration for Standard VI (old edition).	Ditto ditto	.....
11	Practical Geometry and Men-suration for Standards IV and V (old edition).	Ditto ditto	.....
12	Primary Pariksha ...	Ganga Das Saha ...	.....
13	Euclid's Geometry, Book I ...	Kedar Nath Dutt ...	A. K. Ray & Co.
14	The Lower Primary Science Reader.	.....	Longmans, Green & Co.
15	Bharat Samrajyer Itihas ...	.....	Chatterji & Co.
<i>Hindi.</i>			
1	Sahitya Bhushan ...	Ram Din Sinha ...	Khadga Vilas Press.
2	Hindi Kitab, No. I (Nagri and Kaithi).	Munshi Radha Lal ...	Ditto.

THE BENGAL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College :—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering.

Admission qualification—The Intermediate Examination of Science and Arts of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Application for admission by regular students, on or before May 15th.

" " by special students, on or before July 1st.

Session to commence on 1st Monday in November 1909.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination of the Joint, Technical Examination Board.

Admission qualification—

**To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University
Middle School Examination or equivalent.**

To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June.
 { To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Overseer Examination of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

Offered in two branches—

(a) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.

(b) Mining, leading to the Government of India Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial Classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Pattern-making;
Blacksmiths';	Turners';	Founding in Iron and Brass.

Also a class for the training of Motor Driver Mechanics.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Bengal Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIBPIR.

The 11th January 1909.

B. HEATON.

Principal, Bengal Engineering College.

**ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF
THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.**

In supersession of previous orders on the subject, the ensuing B. T. Examination will be held on Thursday, the 1st April and following days.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 15th March 1909.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

VERNACULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION, JANUARY 1909.

PATNA, BHAGALPUR AND CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISIONS.

The undermentioned candidates have passed the Vernacular Mastership Examination held in January 1909.

No.	Name of candidate.	Age.	Name of school.
FIRST GRADE.			
<i>(Arranged alphabetically).</i>			
MEDIUM.			
		Yrs. M.	
1	Dayal, Prabhu	15 10	Ranchi Training School.
2	Jha, Dharanath*	17 0	Patna Training School.
3	„ Ganouri	18 0	Ditto.
4	Lal, Suba*	18 2	Ditto.
5	Muhammad Umar	19 0	Second Master, Kako M. V. School.
6	Pandey, Balkishore*	19 10	Patna Training School.
7	„ Chatradhari*	17 11	Ditto.
8	Parmanand	21 9	Ditto.
9	Paulus, Topno*	20 9	Ranchi Training School.
10	Rai, Pasupati	19 1	Patna Training School.
11	Ram, Damri	19 4	Ditto.
12	Ram, Nathu*	19 1	Ranchi Training School.
13	Sahay, Brij Mohan*	17 1	Ditto.
14	Sahu, Raghunath*	17 2	Patna Training School.
15	Sinha, Baleswar	18 3	Ranchi Training School.
16	Tewari, Sachidanand	19 0	Patna Training School.
17	„ Ram Krishna	21 10	Ranchi Training School.
18	Upadhyay, Sukdeo	18 4	Ditto.
Low.			
1	Dubey, Raghunath	19 10	Ranchi Training School.
2	Lal, Ramanand	20 6	Patna Training School.
3	Pandey, Ramdhari	23 8	Ditto.
4	Prasad, Janki	17 0	Ditto.
5	Rai, Bhagwan	19 5	Ditto.
6	„ Nirvan	18 11	Ditto.
7	„ Ram Sudisht	19 1	Ditto.
8	Ram, Nakohhedi*	17 11	Ranchi Training School.
9	Tewari, Bhola	20 0	Patna Training School.
10	Upadhyay, Tirbeni	18 11	Ditto.
Candidates already passed in the old Course and taking up one or more new subjects— <i>Art of Teaching, Kindergarten and Object Lessons, Drill and Manual Work.</i>			
1	Pandey, Buldeo	29 0	Teacher, Sasseram H. E. School.
<i>Science, Art of Teaching, Kindergarten and Object Lessons, Drill and Manual Work.</i>			
1	Khoda Buksh	35 10	Head Pandit, Monghyr G. T. School.
2	Sahay, Chaturbhuj	29 0	Second Pandit, Rampur M. E. School.
<i>Science, Art of Teaching, Kindergarten and Object Lessons, Drawing and Practical Geometry, Drill, and Manual Work.</i>			
1	Chowdhry, Makund Narayan	24 0	Head Pandit, Patpri G. T. School.

* Entitled to certificates of special proficiency in Drawing and Practical Geometry.
N.B.—All passed in Manual Work.

VERNAACULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION, JANUARY, 1909—*contd.*

No.	Name of candidate.	Age.	Name of school.
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SECOND GRADE.

(Arranged alphabetically.)

HIGH.

		Yrs. M.	
1	Dubey, Dhup Narayan ...	19 9	Ranchi Training School.
2	Lal, Baleswar ...	17 3	Ditto.
3	Pandey, Kedar Nath ...	17 6	Daltonganj Training School.
4	Rai, Jai Nath ...	16 8	Ranchi ditto.
5	Sinhe, Bishun Dhari ...	16 0	Patna ditto.
6	" Sivapujan ...	17 10	Daltonganj ditto.
7	Towari, Ram Krishna ...	16 10	Ranchi ditto.
8	Upadhya, Gayetri ...	17 0	Patna ditto.

MEDIUM.

1	Chauboy, Chhabi Nath ...	18 9	Patna Training School.
2	" Jadu Nandan ...	17 5	Ranchi ditto.
		10 days.	
3	Dubey, Lakshmi ...	19 2	Motibari ditto.
4	Gir, Raj Kishore ...	21 1	Ranchi ditto.
5	Jha, Bhagwat ...	19 3	Patna Training School.
6	" Biswa Nath ...	16 11	Ditto.
7	" Kedar Nath ...	20 11	Ditto.
8	Lal, Jagdeo* ...	17 9	Ditto.
9	" Ram Naresh ...	14 1	Ranchi Training School.
10	Mahto, Ram Swarath ...	18 0	Patna Training School.
11	Mandar, Narsinha ...	16 1	Ditto.
12	Misra, Baldeo ...	15 10	Ranchi Training School.
13	" Dukhi ...	16 7	Ditto.
14	" Suraj Narayan ...	18 2	Patna ditto.
15	Muhammad Abul Qasim ...	18 0	Patna Training School.
16	" Ishaque ...	16 6	Ditto.
17	Pandey, Adalat ...	18 11	Motihari Training School.
18	" Chilmil* ...	18 5	Patna ditto.
19	" Dewa Bansa ...	15 11	Daltonganj ditto.
20	" Jokhu ...	16 2	Motihari ditto.
21	" Hari Kisore ...	18 2	Daltonganj ditto.
22	" Matadeen ...	16 10	Ranchi ditto.
23	" Ram Nath ...	16 11	Motihari ditto.
24	Prasad, Bhola ...	17 5	Patna ditto.
25	Rai, Deo Narayan ...	18 9	Ditto.
26	" Harnandan ...	16 8	Ranchi Training School
27	" Seo Tahal ...	33 1	Head Pandit, U. P. School attached to Daltonganj Training School.
28	Rai Varma, Shiva Ratan ...	18 4	Teacher attached L. P. School, Bankipore.
29	Ram, Bhatu ...	17 4	Ranchi Training School.
30	" Mohon ...	16 7	Ditto.
31	" Ram Sundar ...	19 0	Patna Training School.
32	" Sital ...	13 10	Ranchi ditto.
33	Sahay, Narang ...	14 9	Ditto.
34	Sinha, Ayodheya Prasad ...	21 0	Patna Training School.
35	" Kesho Sharan ...	17 1	Ranchi Training School.
36	" Satya Narain ...	21 0	Patna Training School.
37	" Suraj ...	18 3	Ditto.
38	Tewari, Rama Kant ...	19 7	Motihari ditto.

* Not passed in Manual work.

VERNACULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION, JANUARY, 1909—*concl'd.*

No.	Name of candidate.	Age.	Name of school.
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SECOND GRADE—*concl'd.*

(Arranged alphabetically.)

Low.

			Yrs. M.	
1	Kumar, Basudeo	...	17 5	Patna Training School.
2	Misra, Raja Ram	...	19 1	Motihari ditto.
3	" Damodar	...	16 10	Ranchi ditto.
4	Muhammad Ismail	...	20 4	Patna Training School.
5	" Sagiruddin	...	17 0	Ditto.
6	" Sharif Khan	...	17 10	Ditto.
7	Persad, Bhagwat	...	19 0	Head Guru, Narwara U. P. School.
8	Rai, Sahdeo	...	14 8	Ranchi Training School.
9	Ram, Punai	...	25 0	Head Guru, Makhdumpur U. P. School.
10	" Ram Charan	...	17 5	Ranchi Training School.
11	" Ram Kumar	...	21 1	Ditto.
12	Sinha, Jadu Nath	...	20 3	Patna Training School.
13	" Kamal	...	15 10	Daltonganj ditto.
14	" Nanhu Pershad	...	26 0	Head Guru, Ohahuta U. P. School.
15	" Nath Prashad	...	20 4	Pupil teacher, Lahera Sarai G. T. School.
16	" Rambaran	...	28 0	Head Guru, Silout U. P. School.
17	" Ram Prasad	...	17 11	Patna Training School.
18	" Sakhal Dip	...	25 0	2nd Pandit, Sewan G. T. School.
19	Tewari, Gajadhar	...	17 0	Patna Training School.

CALCUTTA,
The 16th March 1909.

JOHN RICHARD CUNNINGHAM,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Commercial Course Final and Special Examinations, 1909, will be held at 303, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta, on the dates and at the hours noted below :—

Final Examination—The 3rd, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 14th, and 16th April 1909, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4-30 P.M.

Special Examinations.

Shorthand	...	15th April 1909	...	11—1-30
Typewriting	...	17th "	...	11—1-30
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The 8th March 1909.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.



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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette" cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement for Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 26th March 1909, corresponding to 13th Choitra 1315 B. S.
The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of sale.

- 1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.
- 2nd.—The sale is subject to the existing leases and to rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and to the laws in force, and purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid at once.
- 4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, the one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the succeeding day the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to the Government), and the estate to be put up to sale again at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

List of Petty Government Estates of Hooghly Sadar subdivision to be sold on 26th March 1909.

Tauzi number.	Name of estate and thana or pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue.	REMARKS.
		A. B. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1998	Horibati, thana Hooghly ...	0 3 14	7 4 0	
2009	Horibati, ditto ...	2 10 10	0 8 0	
4071	Musuriab, thana Bolagori ...	0 0 9	4 13 0	
4636	Toreegram, thana Pandua ...	0 3 6	20 12 0	
4640	Telipara, ditto (old thana Pandua) ...	0 0 19½	5 6 0	
3092	Pandua, thana Pandua ...	0 7 5	2 0 0	
		1 1 10		
		3 19 6		
		0 1 7		
		0 17 12		
		0 1 2½		
		0 16 1		

Chinsurah, the 6th March 1909.

MIRZA SHENGUPTA BAKHT, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 18, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Patna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Rs. A. P. of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrear jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
227 Ijmal.	Nirandarpur Kharonia Vogairah, pargana Azimabad.	Rs. A. P. 5,869 13 0	.....	Simli Murarpur 8 Mosalahpur 16 Janarjanpur 16 Sultanpur Ghordaur 16 Lodipur Saket 5 Hazratpur Akharia 16 Himatpur Deara 16 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale. As	Mosamat Makhduman, Vogairah. Maulvi Abdul Latif, Vogairah. Mahanth Gayani Das, Vogairah. Siva Senkar Chowdhri himself and guardian of Bam Narain Chowdhri, Dip Narain Chowdhri, minors, Vogairah. Nabob Lal. Jang Bahadur Singh, Vogairah. Rup Lal Mahto, Vogairah.	Rs. A. P. 1,973 13 10	.....	1,270 5 8
227 1	Ditto	5,869 13 0	.....	Manpur Bairiya 8 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale. As. P.	Mohip Narain Singh	758 15 0	.....	424 10 6
227 2	Ditto	5,869 13 0	.....	Nirandarpur Kharonia 9 4 Kalyanpur 8 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale. A. P.	Babu Hira Singh Ditto.	779 5 9	.....	448 9 6
227 5	Ditto	5,869 13 0	.....	Nirandarpur Kharonia 8 8 Manpur Bairiya 8 0 Simli Murarpur 8 8 Sadikpur Jogi 8 0 Kalyanpur 8 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale. A. P. K.	Audhesh Kumar Singh Ditto. Ditto. Ditto. Ditto.	1,651 4 8	.....	937 14 11
228 Ijmal.	Ditto	1,818 11 0	.....	Himatpur Deara 16 0 0 Simli Murarpur 16 0 0 Mosalahpur 16 0 0 Sadikpur Jogi 16 4 10 Janarjanpur 16 0 0 Hazratpur Akharia 16 0 0 Sultanpur Ghordaur 16 0 0 Kalyanpur 16 0 0 Sakatpur Lodi 16 0 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale. As. P.	Mosamat Kanis Fatema, Vogairah. Shahkh Nurul Haq, Vogairah. Haji Ahmad Basir, Mohamad Basir, Vogairah. Balgobind Singh, Vogairah. Balkishun Mahto, Vogairah. Dayal Singh, Harihar Singh, Vogairah. Kuldip Singh, Vogairah. Ramdhan Lal. Babu Kamed Nath Sen Gupta, Vogairah.	883 4 2	.....	125 9 4
229 Ijmal.	Ditto	1,185 0 0	.....	Nirandarpur Kharonia 8 0 Mosalahpur 16 0 Sadikpur Jogi 16 0 Janarjanpur 16 0 Hazratpur Akharia 16 0 Hiranandpur 16 0 Sakatpur Lodi 8 8 Himatpur Deara 16 0 Kalyanpur 8 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale. As. P.	Mosamat Bechan Kuer, Vogairah. Ramkrishna Lal Sahu, Vogairah. Iswar Sahai, Vogairah. Mahanth Gayani Das, Vogairah. Dayal Singh, Vogairah. Mohamad Sartraj Hosain, under guardianship of Mosamat Saliman Nani. Audhbihari Prasad Singh. Gomai Rama Lalji Mahara, Vogairah. Mohar Lal, Vogairah.	935 0 0	.....	20 12 1
4563 196	Behra Nisul pargana Masaudha.	1,220 9 10	Entire ...	.....	Babu Siva Nandan Prasad Singh.	.....	39 5 11	.....
11060 196	Pawada Mundarje, tauzi Panwara, pargana Pillich.	873 12 1	Do. ...	.....	Mosamat Jaimurat Kuer, wife of Ram Hari Lal, Vogairah.	.....	217 15 1	.....

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Musaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909 at midday for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
238	Basahia Sheikh, pargana Bahra Ohamparan.	Rs. A. P. 1,083 10 8	Entire ...	.....	Mrs. Mary Christian.	.....	Rs. A. P. 62 15 10	
3538	Jahangirpur Sham, pargana Hajipur.	865 10 11	Do, ...	.....	Musammiat Rohage Kuar and others.	.....	4 2 5	

Musaffarpur, the 13th February 1909.

H. C. WOODMAN, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Saran will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909 at noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
304	Basant, pargana Bal.	Rs. A. P. 883 15 8	Nil ...	<p>Imali—</p> <p>Bampur 10 8</p> <p>Basant 8 0</p> <p>Masihon Tola 8 0</p> <p>Birtimshdar Bhadour ... 8 0</p> <p>All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.</p>	Musammnat Jainti Kuar.	Rs. A. P. 510 8 8	Rs. A. P. Nil	Rs. A. P. 67 8 9

Saran Collectorate, the 25th February 1909.

J. M. CHRISTIAN, Deputy Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue 13th February 1909.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3381	Digra, pargana Boro.	Rs. A. P. 830 8 5	Entire ...	Nil	Sasanta Lal Chattri ...	Rs. A. P. Nil ...	Rs. A. P. 107 15 11	Rs. A. P. Nil
3541	Kharasat, pargana Boro.	1,311 10 6	Nil ...	8 annas share of the estate ...	Bhagabati Charo ne Chatterjee and another.	655 13 0	Nil	53 13 6

The 13th February 1909.

B. DE, Collector, Hooghly.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, of Act XI of 1859 that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th March 1909 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 6, 8 and 10 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Consecutive No.	Tausi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1	2	Pargana Magura, kismat Kangamberia and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,223 8 0	Whole estate.	.....	Romanath Burmon and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 881 15 6	Rs. A. P.
2	8-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Julpia.	3,480 1 0	.....	Excluding 10 annas share, remaining 6 annas share.	Srimati Chandra Bala Debi, mother and guardian on behalf Haridhan Ray Chowdhuri.	1,306 10 8 1/2	.....	84 11 3
3	10	Pargana Magura, kismat Ohetia and others.	809 7 0	Whole estate.	.....	Ditto ... ..	.....	112 3 2 1/2	.....
4	15R.8.	Pargana Magura, kismat Khariberia and others.	4,076 8 0	.....	Excluding 3 annas share remaining 13 annas share.	Preonath Roy Chowdhuri and others.	3,812 6 8	.....	83 1 9
5	15-1	Ditto	4,076 8 0	.....	Excluding 13 annas share, remaining 3 annas share.	Kali Bohay Roy Chowdhuri	765 14 9	.....	19 10 3

Alipore, the 15th February 1909. A. MOOKERJI, for Collector, 24-Parganas.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2	Harnarainpur, pargana Pachrukhi.	Rs. A. P. 618 2 0	.....	Ijmali— Kita Dhab As. 8 Harnarainpur 16 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Mohamed Rafiuddin and others.	Rs. A. P. 597 5 6	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 81 13 10

Gaya Collectorate, the 17th February 1909. R. S. GREENSHIELDS, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 23rd March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
657	Raswan	Rs. A. P. 2,429 8 8	.....	Residuary share— 15a. 16a. 1k. and 1kt. share, excepting separate account Nos. 1, 2 and 3. All other shares than that specified will be included from the sale.	Khondkar Mehdi Hossain and others.	Rs. A. P. 3,818 35 10	.....	Rs. A. P. 13 9 0

Birbhum Collectorate, the 15th February 1909. M. CHATTERJI, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bengal and North-Western Railway, in the district of Purnea, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 20th April 1909, corresponding with the 15th Baisakh 1316 Fusli, at Purnea Sadar.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Purnea	Muradpoor, Kurula, pargana Dharampoor.	56-57	West side	5 0 6	1 2 25	...	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ayodhya Singh. North—Railway land. South—Ajodhya Singh.
2	Ditto	Ditto	56-57	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
3	Ditto	Ditto	56-57	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
4	Ditto	Ditto	56-57	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
5	Ditto	Ditto	56-57	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
6	Ditto	Ditto	56-57	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
7	Ditto	Ditto	56-57	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
8	Ditto	Ditto	56-57	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
9	Ditto	Ditto	56-57	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
10	Ditto	Ditto	56-57	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
11	Ditto	Ditto	56-57	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Raj parti. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
12	Ditto	Ditto	56-57	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Raj parti. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
13	Ditto	Ditto	56-57	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Raj parti. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
14	Ditto	Ditto	56-57	Ditto	1 13 6	0 2 8	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Mukhlal Seth. North—Ditto. South—Railway land.
15	Ditto	Ditto	56-57	East side	6 7 15	1 3 8	.....	.....	...	East—Porti. West—Do. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and manna.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
16	Purnea	Muradpoor, Karsila, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	East side	4 4 13	1 1 24	.....	.....	...	East—Bankoo Ganganta. West—Mongan Ganganta. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
17	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 7	1 1 39	.....	.....	...	East—Raj parti. West—Kanchan. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
18	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	3 13 1	1 0 33	.....	.....	...	East—Raj parti. West—Verungi Mandal and large ditch. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
19	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Large ditch. North—Rajmunder. South—Raj parti.
20	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rajmunder. South—Raj parti.
21	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal South—Raj parti.
22	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
23	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
24	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
25	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Meghoo Mandar. South—Raj parti.
26	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Meghoo Mandar. South—Raj parti.
27	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
28	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
29	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
30	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
31	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
32	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
33	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
34	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 4 2	1 2 35	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Raj parti. North—Ditto. South—Mahadeo.
35	Ditto	Mujdeea, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	Ditto	4 16 2	1 2 14	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.
36	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 3 5	1 2 33	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.
37	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 19 9	1 2 23	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
38	Purnea	Mujdeea, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	East side	2 17 16	0 3 38	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.
39	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	3 15 12	1 1 0	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Batesur Mandal. North—Railway land. South—Batesur Mandal.
40	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 5 3	1 1 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
41	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 6 5	1 1 28	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
42	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 6 5	1 1 28	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
43	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
44	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
45	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
46	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
47	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 14 5	1 2 9	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
48	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 15	1 2 12	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
49	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 17 10	1 2 18	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
50	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 18 14	1 2 21	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
51	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 0	1 2 24	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
52	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 3 6	1 2 33	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
53	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 5 10	1 2 30	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
54	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 13	1 3 2	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
55	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 10 0	1 3 11	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
56	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Zirat of Debipoo Factory. South—Batesur Mandal.
57	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Zirat of Debipoo Factory. South—Batesur Mandal.
58	Ditto	Muradpoor, Kuraila, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	Ditto	14 9 1	4 3 4	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Batesur Mandal. North—Zirat of Debipoo Factory. South—Railway land.
59	Ditto	Mujdeea, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5	.....	.....	...	East—Chandhula land Batesur Mandal. West—Railway land. North—Zirat of Debipoo Factory. South—Batesur Mandal.
Total					298 14 6	96 3 0				

Purnea, the 11th February 1909.

A. H. VERNÉLE, Collector.

Advertisement for Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 26th March 1909, corresponding to 13th Choitra 1915 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

- 1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.
- 2nd.—The sale is to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and to the laws in force; and purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.
- 4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, the one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by the noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the succeeding day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be put up to sale again at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

List of Petty Government Estates of the Arambagh Subdivision to be sold on the 26th March 1909.

Tauzi No.	Name of estate, thana or pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue.	REMARKS.
		A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4057	Kumarhat Nirbhoypur (Khanakul police-station) ...	0 1 30 1 6 10	2 5 0	
4232	Satberiah Goghat police-station ...	0 0 32 0 13 3	1 8 0	
4539	Gouranga alias Mandaran (Khanakul police-station)	3 3 3 11 8 3	28 5 0	
4686	Niranjanbati Khanakul police-station and Basantabati Arambagh police-station.	2 3 15 8 12 1	17 0 0	
4650	Kamchey Kurmona Goghat police-station ...	4 0 38 12 6 8	25 5 0	
4657	Kurmona Goghat police-station ...	6 0 24 18 11 15	43 9 0	
4662	Dwaripur ditto ...	4 3 23 14 16 1	48 10 0	
4675	Beurgram Arambagh ditto ...	4 1 4 12 18 11	22 10 0	
4693	Salepur alias Kurmona ditto ...	4 1 15 13 2 14	19 11 6	
4697	Betra ditto ...	5 0 38 15 16 12	38 6 0	
4700	Amarpur Goghat ditto ...	2 1 15 7 1 13	12 6 0	
4728	Kurmona alias Salepur Goghat police-station ...	3 2 27 11 1 13	19 12 0	
4792	Pantahori ditto ...	0 2 3 1 11 4	5 0 0	
4737	Arjungori Goghat ditto ...	4 1 31 13 8 13	20 3 0	
4742	Bharasole Goghat ditto ...	4 0 33 12 14 5	28 10 0	
4744	Kurmona alias Salepur Goghat ditto ...	1 3 20 5 13 4	9 12 0	
4745	Kamchey Goghat ditto ...	4 3 15 4 12 15	29 5 0	
4751	Niranjanbati, Basantabati Khanakul police-station	4 2 29 14 3 3	23 14 0	
4818	Mominpur Arambagh ditto ...	4 1 25 13 11 7	12 12 0	
4150	Gholepur Khanakul police-station ...	1 2 32½ 5 2 15	5 7 0	
4884	Jaroor Khanakul ditto ...	0 3 21 1 18 2	3 18 10	
4840	Pantahori ditto ...	3 0 5 9 3 6	36 0 11	

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, and the undermentioned estates situated in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate on the 26th March 1909, corresponding with 13th Chaitra B.S. 1315:—

Conditions of Sale.

- 1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.
- 2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.
- 4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
		A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4814	Dadhia, pargana Manohar ...	1 0 5	1 9 0	
6404	Nigon, pargana Dhenia ...	3 2 6	20 9 3	
6413	Ditto ditto ...	4 1 2½	28 5 0	
6396	Ditto ditto ...	7 1 10½	46 12 6	
6397	Ditto ditto ...	6 0 34½	36 15 0	
6398	Ditto ditto ...	7 1 30	47 15 9	
5034	Kotal Ghosh, pargana Amatsahi ...	0 3 82½	6 12 0	
6419	Sonpar, pargana Indram ...	11 2 3	48 8 0	
6552	Nigon, pargana Dhenia ...	7 1 24	33 16 0	
66 2	Ditto ditto ...	5 ½ 0	35 1 0	
6558	Khundrun, pargana Dhenia ...	2 1 20½	17 6 6	
4414	Gidhagrui, pargana Arsa ...	0 0 38	1 0 0	
6600	Karui, pargana Dhenia ...	3 3 28½	33 10 6	
121	Gangalikari, pargana Manaharsahi ...	0 0 38½	1 13 3	

Collector's Office, district Burdwan, the 12th February 1909.
17th

A. SAMAD, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Midnapore, will be put up to sale at the Midnapore Collectorate on Friday, the 26th March 1909, corresponding with Bengali 13th Chaitra 1315.
The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

- 1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to him subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.
- 2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.
- 4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
		A. R. P. 8 annas share of—	Rs. A. P.	
186	Nabanibar Srirampur, pargana Barada	1 2 12	9 2 0	
2908	Jagannathpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	14 3 17-6	14 0 0	
2982	Iswarpurbar, pargana Barada ...	9 0 33	45 10 0	
2986	Srirampur, pargana Barada	7 2 25 5	38 14 3	
2990	Harirampur, pargana Chetua ...	6 2 33-1	45 2 6	
2996	Syampur, pargana Chandrakona ...	13 3 24-4	108 11 0	
2997	Masakpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	4 2 25 7	30 6 6	
3004	Rhangadaha, pargana Barada ...	6 0 30	31 9 0	
3012	Kuran, pargana Barada ...	6 1 16-6	36 15 8	
3013	Rhagirathpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	20 2 21	134 1 3	
3014	Dewanchak, pargana Chandrakona ...	1 1 30-3	5 7 2	

Collector's Office, district Midnapore, the 19th February 1909.

A. T. DEB, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Toposi Extension, Nandi-Panuria section of the East Indian Railway, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, the 19th April 1909, corresponding to the 6th Baisakh B.S. 1916, Sitarampur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

- 1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than 3 feet from its foundation.
- 2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.
- 4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.
- 5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					H. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Burdwan	Mauza Ohurulia, pargana Shergarh.	7 & 8	Situated on the south side of the Railway.	7 18 11	3 3 19'67	.....	.....	The Lot contains two rectangular plots measuring (425 x 250) and (400 x 20) and lying between chains 36'00 and 37'390.	Bounded on all sides the khas danga land.

Hooghly, the 19th February 1909.

HUSIK LAL SEN, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
5218	Bisthasari Patti Momamat Sarwar Jahan Maum, etc., pargana Bisthasari.	Rs. A. P. 4,291 12 0	Whole ...	.....	Momamat Sarwar Jahan and others.	.....	Rs. A. P. 337 14 0	.....
5223	Bisthasari Patti Beni Singh, etc., pargana Bisthasari.	2,245 18 0	Do. ...	.....	Beni Singh and others	.....	5,019 4 0	.....

Monghyr Collectorate, the 20th February 1909.

H. C. LIDDELL, Civil Deputy Collector in charge.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of January 1909 Kist of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
54	Habibpur, pargana Ranibandh	Rs. A. P. 1,055 4 9	.....	Residuary share=9s. 10d. 1k. 1kg., is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Cheru Chandra Nandi and others.	Rs. A. P. 645 10 9	.....	Rs. A. P. 7 1 3

Burdwan Collectorate, the 22nd February 1909.

W. B. HAYCOCK, Collector of Burdwan.

Sale Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on Thursday, the 25th March 1909, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
815	Rampore diara, pargana Barabganwan.	Rs. A. P. 1,015 0 0	Whole ..	..	Jaikumar Chand ..	Rs. A. P. ..	2,321 3 7	..
1716	Itarihapatti Harakhnath Patak, pargana Chausa.	676 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Udit Patak and others ..	Nil	380 4 3	..
1785	Kataria Jalalpur, pargana Chausa.	1,223 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Ram Kanan Ahir and others.	Nil	1,239 9 6	..
1796	Kathtar Nawabad, pargana Chausa.	1,824 0 0	Do. ..	Nil	Sahadeo Rai and others ..	Nil	2,260 13 1	..
1798	Kusurpa, pargana Chausa	1,325 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Ram Soresh Pandey ..	Nil	150 15 6	..
1884	Mohempyro, pargana Chausa.	622 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Ramyaad Rai and others...	Nil	826 11 7	..
2021	Srinja, pargana Chausa	1,386 0 0	Do. ..	Nil	Ramtahal Rai and others	Nil	919 2 3	..
2022	Ditto ditto ..	774 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Ramawtar Rai and others	Nil	460 8 7	..
2025	Sikthi, pargana Chausa ..	631 6 4	Do. ..	Nil	Sheodher Singh and others	Nil	50 0 0	..
2075	Amson, pargana Chausa.	11,261 13 8	Do. ...	Nil	Nanak Chand and others	* Land revenue - 120 8 0 Road cess - 13 0 6 T. M. - 26 0 0 Fine - 10 0 0 Interest - 3 0 0	Nil	..
7880	Kanchri, pargana Chausa	355 0 0	Do. ..	Nil	Hasmati Kuar ..	Nil	970 7 8	..
9583	Fanarpore, pargana Chausa.	661 0 0	Do. ...	Nil	Mahadeo Tiwari ..	Nil	165 3 0	..

* These are the arrears due from Khatus 70 and 43 at September kist 1908 and the sale is held under section 14, Act XI of 1859.

Shahabad Collectorate, Arrah, the 24th February 1909.

W. A. MARR, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909, at 12 o' clock, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
242	Hijuli, pargana Manjousuli.	Rs. A. P. 955 13 10	No ..	242-1 8 annas. Besides the above the remaining share, 8 annas, is excluded from the sale.	Nogendra Nath Pal Chowdhuri and others.	Rs. A. P. 477 14 11	..	29 6 4
486	Shanka Chandra, pargana Shahajjal.	10,885 3 3	No ..	486-1 4 annas. Besides the above the remaining share, 12 annas, is excluded from the sale.	Pran Nath Chowdhuri and others.	1,824 1 3	..	6 7 2
891	Chur Ramnagar, Rudranagar, pargana Bagawan.	1,906 0 0	Whole ..	.....	Debendra Nath Singha Rai and others.	..	193 4 0	..
2319	Milmadia, pargana Rajpur.	1,720 8 10	Do. ...	.....	Priambada Gupta and others.	..	260 10 6	..
3194	Bansdebpur, pargana T.ragonla.	198 8 7	No ..	3194-1 8 annas. Besides the above the remaining share, 8 annas, is excluded from the sale.	Lalit Mohun Mukherji ..	208 4 4	..	60 7 8

Krishnagar, the 24th February 1909.

R. S. BHATTACHARJI, Deputy Collector in charge, Nadia.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, read with Act VII (B.O.) of 1868 that the undermentioned tenure in the estate of Kothdesh, district Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 22nd March 1909, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by above laws are realizable as arrears of land revenue:—

No. of tenure.	Name of tenure, mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole tenure.		Whether the whole tenure is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. All other shares besides that specified are excluded from sale.	Name of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.		If the whole tenure is to be sold, the arrear due from it.		If only a share is to be sold, the arrear due from it.		REMARKS.
		Rent.	Cess.				Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	Rent.	Cess.	
90 91	Ma. Biwanathpur, pargana Kothdesh, thana Pipili.	Rs. 1,297	...	Whole ...	.....	Gadadhar Pain and others.	.....	.....	Rs. A. P. 55 10 0	Rs. A. P. 1 8 11	.....	.....
223 231	Ma. Mahukhanda, pargana Kothdesh, thana Pipili.	520	...	Do. ...	.....	Mahanta Raghunandan Das.	.....	.....	48 10 0	2 10 7	.....	.....
315 323	Ma. Sarkana, pargana Kothdesh, thana Pipili.	1,337	...	Do. ...	.....	Parakram Mohapatra and others.	.....	.....	49 4 10	1 14 8	.....	.....
291 299	Ma. Ratilo, pargana Kothdesh, thana Pipili.	921	...	Do. ...	.....	Gopiprasad Bhagat and others.	.....	.....	175 10 6	6 13 11	.....	.....

Puri Collectorate, the 16th/₂₀ February 1909.

MURARI MISRA, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate on the 5th April 1909, corresponding with 23rd Chaitra 1315 B.S. (Bengali, Pusli, or Unli, according to the era current in the district.)

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

- 1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.
- The condition regarding the payment of a land revenue fixed in perpetuity are not applicable to estate in temporarily-settled districts in which the land revenue should be fixed for the term of the current settlement and be subject to periodical revision on expiry of each settlement. In the case of one estate, situated in a permanently-settled area and yielding an annual rental of less than Re. 1 there should be no condition regarding payment of land revenue.
- 2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.
- 4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
445	Raghunathpur, pargana Halisahar	53 26	Rs. A. 65 9	

Collector's Office, District Nadia, the 24th February 1909.

R. S. BHATTACHARYA, Dy. Collector in charge.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch of Gopalichuck Siding off Bhalgasa Joint Assisted Siding, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 8 o'clock on Wednesday, the 11th May 1909, corresponding with the 28th Baisakh 1316 Fual, at Dhanbad District Board Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. B. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. B. P.		
1	Manbhum	Mauza Jharla, pargana Jharla.	Mile 17½	South side of the Railway line.	5 11 178	1 3 1385	Nil	.....	From the dead end of the siding to chain a g e 39—12' 9".	

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 13th March 1909.

KANTI BRUSHAN SEN, Collector.

In the Court of Rai Durga Dass Bose Bahadur, Subordinate Judge of Patna,
Second Court.

EXECUTION CASE No. 139 of 1908.

(1) Balmakund Singh, (2) Dumdhahadul Singh, decree-holders, *versus* (1) Aditnarin, (2) Ajodhya Pershad, (3) Dularehand Babu, minor son of Aditnarin (through Babu Ramanath Banerjee), (4) Ramnarin Singh, (5) Benari Pershad Singh, (6) Deonandan Pershad Singh, (7) Gopaswer Pershad Singh, (8) Rameshur Pershad Singh, (9) Radhayswer Pershad Singh, minor sons of Duarka Pershad Singh, deceased (through Rameshar Kuar), (10) Jannu Lal, (11) Bandhu Lal, (12) Ramdubari Saron, (13) Jamunna Pershad and (14) Binda Pershad, minor sons of Bandhu Lal, judgment-debtors.

THE following property of the above named judgment-debtors will be sold by the Nazirs of the District Judge's Court in the verandah of the Court of the Second Munsif of Patna at Bankipore in the above execution case on the 19th day of April 1909 at 6 o'clock in the morning for realisation of the judgment-debt the sum of Rs. 8,490-4-4 only.

Tauzi number.	Name of village with pargana and sillah.	Jama sadar of mahal.	Thana.	Subdivision.	Share to be sold.
14	Mauza Annandpore Siananand, Mustafapore, <i>astimat</i> dakhli, pargana Beswak, zilla Patna.	Rs. A. 863 12	Silao ...	Bihar ...	Four annas out of sixteen annas share.

Bankipore, the 10th March 1909.

DURGA DASS BOSE, Sub-Judge.
(320—1)

District Charitable Society.

Abstract of cash Accounts of the Central Office for the month of January 1909.

Budget for 1909.	RECEIPTS.	January 1909.	From 1st January to 1909.	Budget for 1909.	PAYMENTS.	January 1909.	From 1st January to 1909.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
14,400	Subscriptions—			14,946	Grant to District Committee	1,350 0 0	
7,332	From Government	1,200 0 0		4,525	to Commission- (Casual relief	124 10 6	
8,168	the public	3,520 0 0		27,655	or of Police for Establishment	75 0 0	
	Donations and new subscriptions	627 0 0			Grant to Indian Committee	2,329 12 0	
	Allowances towards cost of establish- ment—			10,410	Pensions paid through Central Office	775 0 0	
3,000	From Government	250 0 0		900	Schooling fees ditto	65 0 0	
580	Interest on General Reserve Fund	140 0 0		2,535	Special Relief (on private orders)	326 11 0	
46,430	on Trust Funds	3,673 12 0		3,304	Alms House:—Establishment	227 0 0	
2,195	Bakery proceeds	†228 5 2	††	10,300	Dieting	†222 11 8	††
7,632	Workshed proceeds	725 15 0		1,700	Contingencies	159 15 0	
1,628	Refund on Casual Relief Account	104 5 6		500	Clothing and bedding		
2,585	on Special	157 2 2		190	Repairs	54 0 0	
	Legacies			50	Poultry yard		
2	Miscellaneous accounts			6,010	Bakery	625 9 3	
	Deposits	43 1 0		6,562	Workshed	145 12 0	
500	X'mas Dinner account			7,580	Central Office:—Establishment	628 0 0	
	G. P. Notes withdrawn from Bank's safe custody.			380	Commission on col- lections.	25 6 3	
	G. P. Notes by Corpus of Trust Funds			500	Auditing fees		
	by Security Deposit			510	Rent (nett)	53 6 3	
200	Donation to Indian Committee	50 0 0		500	Contingencies	20 8 0	
	Govt. grant for Alms House repairs			775	Printing and adver- tising.	9 12 0	
	Cash towards Corpus of Trust Funds			72	Bank's commission	11 10 4	
					Law charges		
				350	E. I. Railway Co. for Passes		
					Deposits	43 1 0	
				500	X'mas Dinner account	247 8 0	
					Safe custody deposit of G. P. Notes		
					Security refunded		
					Investment		
					Interest on overdraft	4 0 5	
94,614	Total	9,780 0 0		1,00,454	Total	8,131 5 3	

Excluding cost of bread from Bakery for A. H. Dieting † Rs. 395-7-6 ; †† Rs. ; Budget being Rs. 4,740.

MEMO.

Receipts as above	Rs. A. P.	Payments as above	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Opening cash balance on 1st January 1909	9,780 0 0	Overdraft in the Bank of Bengal on 1st January 1909.		8,131 5 3
	413 0 10	Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 31st January 1909	655 6 9	1,008 1 10
		Cash balance in hand on that date	607 12 0	
Total	10,202 9 10	Total		1,063 2 9
				10,202 9 10

CALCUTTA,

K. C. GANGULY,

H. S. CASHMAN,

The 15th February 1909

Cashier.

Secretary.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 9th March 1909.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
		Rs.	A. P.			Rs.	A. P.
Capital paid up	---	2,00,00,000	0 0	Government securities	---	2,98,60,576	0 0
Reserve Fund	---	1,65,00,000	0 0	Other authorised investments	---	38,22,450	0 0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs. 78,78,811 9 0	1,68,11,999	15 9	Loans on Government and other authorised securities	---	4,81,97,641	11 11
Ditto ditto at Branches	79,88,688 6 9	16,41,54,716	15 8	Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	---	5,29,04,874	4 3
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	---	7,36,403	7 11	Bills discounted and purchased	---	2,83,47,836	2 0
Bank Post Bills, &c.	---	17,01,179	10 6	Balances with other Banks	---	41,89,411	9 10
Sundries	---	---	---	Bullion	---	3,960	12 0
				Dead Stock	---	18,98,147	1 0
				Stamps	---	17,061	1 11
				Sundries	---	2,66,478	0 3
						16,94,57,930	11 2
				Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office	Rs. 2,54,42,661 4 11	4,94,46,369	6 2
				Cash & Currency Notes at Branches	Rs. 2,40,03,708 1 3		
Rupees	---	21,89,04,300	1 4			21,89,04,300	1 4

* Includes Govt. & J. Govt. value Rs. 1,38,480 0 0
† L.o. do. " 1,59,282 8 0
" 2,97,712 8 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 11th March 1909.

Rate for Demand Loans, 8 per cent

Percentage 27.10.

C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,

(315-1) Secretary and Treasurer.

Estate Dwarkanath Dutt, deceased.

TO be sold by K. S. Bonnerjee, Esq., Receiver of the above estate at his office in the High Court pursuant to a decree of the High Court made on the 9th day of December 1907, in suit No. 409 of 1892 (Preo-lall Dutt *versus* Amritolall Dutt and others), being a suit for administration of the estate of the deceased abovenamed on Saturday, the 17th day of April 1909, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, by public auction (unless previously disposed of by private treaty) the under-mentioned properties:—

1. The premises No. 23, Khairoo Lane, Calcutta, being a one-storied house with 1 cottah 8 chitaks and 11 square feet of land, more or less, situate on the east of Khairoo's Lane.
2. The premises No. 66, Monohur Dass' Street, Calcutta, being a one-storied house with 3 chitaks and 9 square feet of land, more or less, situate on the east of Monohur Dass' Street.
3. The premises No. 4, Kristo Das Pal's Lane, Calcutta, being a partly one and partly two-storied house with 1 cottah and 5 chitaks of land, more or less, situate on the west of Chorebagan Lane.
4. The premises No. 32, Chorebagan Lane, being a partly one-storied, partly two-storied and partly three-storied house with 1 cottah and 5 chitaks of land, more or less, situate on the east of Radhamadhub Shah's Lane, and on the west of Chorebagan Lane.
5. The premises No. 22, Madhu Roy's Lane, being a piece of bustee land measuring 15 cottahs and 6 chitaks, more or less, situate on the south of Madhu Roy's Lane.

Further particulars and the abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the undersigned on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

RUTTER & Co.,

Attorneys for the Receiver.

Calcutta, 8-2, Hastings Street, the 1st March 1909.
(294-1-102)

Notification.

SUIT UNDER Rs. 1,000.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to the decree and orders of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, made in Suit No. 201 of 1892 (wherein Hurry Churn Bose, Assignee of the plaintiff), Shib Kristo Dutt and Upendra Nath Sircar and others are defendants and dated, respectively, the 26th day of May 1882 and

31st day of July 1906 and 25th August 1908 by the Registrar of the said Court in his sale-room in the Court-house, on Saturday, the 20th day of March 1909, the following property:—

Lot 1.—An undivided 1/4th part or share belonging to Dwarka Nath Sircar, deceased, of and in his family dwelling-house No. 79, Neemtollah Ghât Street, a partly one and partly two-storied brick-built house with land thereto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by estimation as to the entirety 12 cottahs more or less, and bounded as to the said entirety, on the west by Basak's tenanted land, on the east and north by the house of Kashy Prosad Dutt and on the south by Neemtollah Ghât Street.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the Office of the said Registrar and at the Office of Babu Khagendra Nath Dey, the Attorney of the plaintiff at No. 12, Old Post Office Street, any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Khagendra Nath Dey, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, the 20th day of January 1909.
(187-1-103)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of BIRAJ BISWAS and SEW LALL BISWAS, insolvents.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvents, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 22nd day of March instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Any creditor of the said insolvents desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Surendra Chunder Ghosh, Attorney. (330-1)

In the matter of ANATH NATH GHOSH, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 22nd day of March instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Sailendra Nath Ghosh, Attorney. (331-1)

In the matter of **MOHUN SIWE**, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 22nd day of March instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Syama Charan Basak, Attorney. (332-1)

Insolvency Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned dividends are lying unclaimed:—

Estate Shakhbailly Meah, an insolvent.

No.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.	1st dividend at Rs. 4 per cent.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Beharilal Sunkaria	1,308 0 0	50 11 9
2	Kanpal	1,350 0 0	50 0 0

Estate George Edward Bailey, an insolvent.

		Rs. A. P.	1st dividend at Rs. 10-10 per cent.
15	Sultan Md. Abdul Rohim	877 14 0	103 14 5

Estate Panna Lal Addy, an insolvent.

		Rs. A. P.	2nd dividend at Rs. 25 per cent.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
24	Hon'ble G. H. P. Evans	184 0 0	53 14 1
41	Moharajah of Oooch Behar	320 12 9	70 10 6
68	The Statesman	263 15 5	64 7 6
67	J. D. Jones	303 12 0	125 10 11
68	Bengal Telephone Co., Ltd.	250 0 0	60 0 0
70	The Editor, Morning Post	160 0 0	51 3 2
75	W. Mackintosh	310 2 0	98 3 10
74	The Englishman Newspaper	1,321 7 6	423 12 11
75	Receiver of the High Court and Receiver of the Estate of Mutty Lal Seal.	888 15 6	224 7 6
77	N. C. Bose	1,000 0 0	320 0 0
88	Nag Ram Dobay	1,379 11 8	421 8 2
85	S. B. Levy	364 3 0	90 14 9
90	Tootsie Dass, proprietor of Dass & Co.	317 0 0	101 7 0

Estate Lotit Mohun Pal Chowdry, an insolvent.

		Rs. A. P.	1st dividend at Rs. 17-5 per cent.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
<i>Creditors of the business at No. 15-B, Wellington Street.</i>			
3	M. S. Manthani Co.	490 7 0	86 15 3
<i>Creditors of the business at No. 40, Khanpuratty.</i>			
1	Khetter Nath Dutt	479 13 0	83 15 6
2	Nilmoney Paul	300 3 3	52 5 7
4	Jadoo Nath Dass and Notobar Dass.	416 12 6	72 15 2
13	Bengal Silk Mills & Co.	465 5 0	81 6 10
40	Upendra Chunder Chatterbutty	465 14 7	76 4 5
<i>Creditors of the business at No. 33, Cross Street.</i>			
3	Bhogaban Dass Ram Kissen Dass	1,983 15 9	347 3 2
5	Juggaram Mawariram	1,015 9 9	177 11 7
11	Radha Krieto Sur	347 1 0	60 11 9
23	Ram Chunder Ram Narain	982 9 6	171 15 3
24	Belgoid Bengamen	1,359 10 9	237 15 1
30	Anup Chand Ashore Chand	1,091 7 9	191 9 2
34	Bhow Narain Ram Narain	332 11 6	55 3 7
41	Jouline Carpalas Co.	984 5 0	172 4 1
49	Tripura Prosad Pal Chowdry	533 14 9	93 4 2
63	Lall Chand Ram Narain	568 7 6	99 7 9
68	Gopas Nath Peornattum Dass	435 0 9	74 14 6
73	Nani Lali Banerjee	20,477 8 0	3,563 9 6
75	Bukmal	500 0 0	87 8 0

Estate Hera Lal Addy, an insolvent.

No.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.	3rd dividend at Rs. 57 per cent.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
47	Hon'ble G. H. P. Evans	184 0 0	63 1 3
78	H. Mullins	145 9 0	83 13 9
83	W. Mackintosh	310 2 0	114 11 11
85	Moharajah of Oooch Behar	320 12 9	51 11 1
113	Heralal Seal	174 0 0	64 6 1
123	The Englishman	1,321 7 6	488 15 1
123	The Indian Daily News	125 8 0	80 2 2
124	The Statesman	403 0 0	140 1 9
128	J. D. Jones	303 12 0	145 5 1
129	Bengal Telephone Co., Ltd.	250 0 0	92 8 0
130	Receiver, High Court and Receiver of the Estate of Mutty Lal Seal.	888 15 6	328 14 8
132	The Editor, Morning Post	160 0 0	50 3 2
133	Gopaul Chunder Ghose	203 11 6	297 6 0
136	Nemy Churn Bose	1,090 0 0	370 0 0
144	Calcutta Municipal Corporation	373 6 6	100 12 8

A. B. MILLER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 10th March 1909. (311-1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Upendranath Manji, son of Parashnath Manji of Khila, thana Amta, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 6 of 1909, and that the 3rd April next has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

W. N. DELEVINCKX, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 10th March 1909. (313-1-111)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Panchkari Kole, son of Kali Oharan Kole of Alumpur, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 7 of 1909, and that the 5th April 1909 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

W. N. DELEVINCKX, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 10th March 1909. (314-1-110)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Matial Ghosh, son of Ramanath Ghosh of Islampur, thana Haripal, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 8 of 1909, and that the 15th April 1909 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

W. N. DELEVINCKX, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 12th March 1909. (325-1-109)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Satish Chandra Gupta, son of Prasanna Kumar Gupta of Mahesh, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 9 of 1909, and that the 15th April next has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

W. N. DELEVINCKX, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 15th March 1909. (326-1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Jyotishchandra Gupta, son of Prasanna Kumar Gupta of Mahesh, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court, as No. 10 of 1909, and that the 17th April next has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.
Chinsura, the 18th March 1909. (327-1-107)

In the Court of the District Judge of Muzaffarpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1909.

In the matter of Gosain Ramruttan Gir, son of Muhanth Deoraj Gir, resident of mauza Hooseineer, police-station Kesaria, district Champaran, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the above named petitioner has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent, and his case has been fixed for hearing on 22nd April 1909.

D. H. KINGSFORD, District Judge.
Muzaffarpur Judge's Court, the 12th March 1909.
(322-1-118)

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE Nos. 56-58.

Sashi Bhushan Roy, appellant.

NOTICE is hereby given that Sashi Bhushan Roy, of Raipur, station Budge-Budge, district 24-Parganas, is, on the 22nd February 1909, declared an insolvent. Schedule of debts to be drawn up on the 22nd March 1909.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.
Alipore, the 9th March 1909. (321-1-106)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 11 OF 1909.

Makhon Lal Madak, of Barasat, thana Juynagar, applicant, *versus* Jogendra Nath Kundu of Posta, in Calcutta, and others, creditors, opposite party.

ON the 1st March 1909 it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the applicant will be heard on the 29th March 1909, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE, District Judge, 24-Parganas.
Alipore, the 12th March 1909. (323-1-104)

SURENDRIO NATH GUPTA BHAYA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a vakil, High Court, Calcutta.
(281-4-88)

FOUND in Manki Khal, Sundarbans State Forests, one door of corrugated iron fastened on angle iron considerably bent belonging to a flat. The owners should apply to the undersigned who will deliver it at any time and date agreed upon on the Aura Shipsha river on the despatch Route.

Deputy Conservator of Forests,
Sundarbans Division, Khulna.
Khulna, the 1st March 1909.

WANTED a Treasurer for the Balasore Collectorate on a salary of Rs. 65 a month.

None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination of the Calcutta University and has no experience of office work. The selected candidate will have to furnish a security of Rs. 10,000 in cash or in Government Promissory notes.

Applications with the testimonials will be received by the Collector up to 25th March 1909.

B. C. SAN, for Collector.
Balasore Collectorate, the 10th March 1909.

WANTED a graduate, strong in Science and Mathematics, for the Bhagalpur Zilla School. Candidates are requested to apply with copies of testimonials stating the lowest salary that they will accept. Preference will be given to Biharis.

M. PROTHERO,
Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.
Bhagalpur, the 9th March 1909.

Wanted

A GRADUATE strong in Persian and possessing a knowledge of Hindi and Urdu. Salary Rs. 50 a month with a place in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service. Apply with copies of testimonials.

S. JHARKHANDI,
Hindi and Urdu Translator to the Government of Bengal.
Calcutta, Writers' Buildings, the 15th March 1909.

Wanted.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Librarian of the Patna College on Rs. 50 a month outside the graded service. They must reach the undersigned on or before the 20th March 1909. The selected candidate will have to furnish a security deposit of Rs. 250.

V. H. JACKSON,
Offg. Principal, Patna College.
Bankipore, the 4th March 1909.

Wanted.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Librarian of the Patna Collegiate School on Rs. 20 a month. They must reach the undersigned on or before the 20th March 1909. The selected candidate is required to furnish a security deposit of Rs. 250.

AMJAD ALI,
Offg. Head-Master, Patna Collegiate School.
Bankipore, the 5th March 1909.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Workshop Foreman to the Port Commissioners of Chittagong, pay Rs. 160-10-200 per month, subject to sanction by Government. The post is pensionable and one second class passage will be paid to Chittagong. Appointment will be for six months' probation in the first instance.

Applicants must have a thorough knowledge of machine, tools, and be good mechanics. A knowledge of marine boilers, engines and boats is essential. Applications stating age, character, and qualifications, together with copies of testimonials, will be received by the undersigned up to the 18th March 1909. No applications will be considered unless they fulfil the above conditions.

W. H. NEILSON,
Port Engineer, Chittagong.
Chittagong, the 8th March 1909. (310-1)

Notice.

WANTED a Bihari graduate for the post of an Assistant Master in the Palamau Zilla School on a salary of Rs. 50 a month in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service. Applications must reach the undersigned on or before the 1st April 1909.

E. A. LEFEBVRE,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division
Purulia, the 9th March 1909.

Notice.

WANTED an apprentice for the Ulubaria Sub-divisional Office. None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination. Applications with certificates required under rule 2, appendix B, page 83, of the Board's Rules, will be received by the undersigned up to the 31st March 1909.

R. D. CHATTERJEE,
Subdivisional Officer, Ulubaria.
Ulubaria Subdivisional Office, the 10th March 1909.

Notice.

WANTED a Lady Doctor for the Local Board of Kishorganj on a salary of Rs. 50 per mensem with free quarters.

None need apply who is not duly qualified. Applications with copies of Diploma and other testimonials to be submitted to the Chairman of the District Board, Mymensingh, before the 31st instant.

MUHAMMAD ISMAIL,

Vice-Chairman, District Board.

Mymensingh District Board Office, the 10th March 1909. (325—2)

Wanted

A HEAD CLERK for the District Board office at Gaya, on Rs. 50 per month, for 15 months for the present, with effect from the 1st May 1909.

No one need apply who has not passed the F. A. Examination of the Calcutta University and who has not experience in District Board and official correspondence.

Applications stating age, qualifications, past service, &c., with attested copies of testimonials will be received up to 31st March 1909.

R. S. GREENSHIELDS,

Chairman, District Board, Gaya.

Gaya, the 9th March 1909. (316—2)

Advertisement.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Librarian, Krishnagar College, on a salary of Rs. 50 a month. The candidate must be a graduate, and have some experience of the work of Librarian. Applications will be received up to the 30th instant.

J. R. CANNINGHAM,

Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
The 19th March 1909.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given for general information that the Teer Canal with its Distributary Lakhoura, in the district of Champaran, will be closed from the 25th March 1909 to 15th June 1909 for repairs.

W. J. KERR,

for Executive Engineer, Champaran Division.

Motihari, the 11th March 1909.

Howrah Municipality.

APPLICATIONS with copies of testimonials are invited for the post of Sanitary Overseer on Rs. 50-5-75 in five years.

Candidates must be qualified as Lower Subordinates under the P. W. Rules, and with experience in conservancy work.

Applications should be addressed to the Chairman and will be received up to the 23rd March 1909.

The selected candidates will be required to join at once.

K. N. TAGORE, Secretary.

Howrah, the 10th March 1909. (312—1)

Notice.

THE Directors have made the following change in the Bank's European Establishment:—

Mr. S. A. H. Sitwell to act as Agent, Dacca, vice Mr. D. S. McClure, transferred to Head Office.

By order of the Directors,

W. D. CRICKSHANK,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, the 16th March 1909.

(329—1)

Notice.

THE Christian Burial Board hereby notify that several Tombs, Monuments and Masonry graves are at present in a ruinous condition in the undernoted cemeteries. They should be repaired within two months from date, failing which, the Board propose to level them, if necessary.

Any person willing to undertake the repair of the graves should communicate with the undersigned:—

- (1) North Cemetery, Park Street.
- (2) South " "
- (3) Mission " "
- (4) French or Tirettas " "
- (5) Lower Circular Road Cemetery.

It is also notified that a number of old iron railings belonging to the tombs in the Park Street Cemeteries have fallen away. These should also be restored, otherwise the Board will deal with them as may appear most expedient.

By order,

G. O'CONNELL,

Secretary, Christian Burial Board.

Office of the Christian Burial Board, 185, Lower Circular Road, the 14th March 1909. (307—2—114)

Irrigation Department, Bengal.**NOTICE**

IS hereby given that the undermentioned estates will be leased out by public auction at the Public Works Irrigation Department Bungalow at Seijberia, near Ulubariah, on Saturday, the 27th March 1909, at 12 noon. For further particulars and conditions of the lease enquire at the Executive Engineer's office, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, 13, Kyd Street, Calcutta.

Tauzi No. 4770 for the next three official years commencing from 1st April 1909.

Dancoonee Drainage Boat License.

1. Bonderbill to Pakirbagan.
2. Jhankari to Bonderbill.

Tauzi No. 4766 for the next three official years.

Dancoonee Drainage Spoil Bank.

1. From Gobiindapore to Boidabati.
2. Jhankari to Digra.

Tauzi No. 4826 for the next three official years commencing from 1st April 1909.

Howrah drainage Fishery.

Tauzi No. 4828 for the next three official years.

Rajapore Burrojolla Boat License.

Tauzi No. 4841 for the next three official years commencing from 1st April 1909.

Hogla Jama of Dauko Hatia khal in Burrojolla drainage works.

C. ADDAMS WILLIAMS,

Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage & Embankment Division.

The 13th March 1909.

Lost or Stolen.

THE lower halves of the Government Promissory Notes Nos 016922 and 089342 of the 3½ per cent. loans of 1900-01 and 1854-55, respectively, for Rs. 500 each originally standing in the name of Hari Dass Sreemaney and the Bank of Bengal, respectively, and last endorsed to Agabeg Brothers, the proprietors, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been lost or stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietors. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities.

Advertiser—AGABEG BROTHERS.

Residence—Jogta, Sijua P. O.

Manbhum, the 10th February 1909. (168—3)

Lost or Stolen.

- THE Government Promissory Note No. 082062 of the 3½ per cent. of 1900-01 for Rs. 25,000, originally standing in the name of Bank of Bengal and last endorsed to Tejpal Jumna Dass, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person but was endorsed in blank having been lost, or stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

Name of the Advertiser - Tejpal Jumna Dass.

- Residence—No. 95, Lower Chitpur Road, Calcutta.
(295—3—94)

Estate Francis Samuel Peck, Col., I.M.S., late of Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the Estate of the deceased above-named are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King Hamilton & Co., 4 and 5, Koilaghat Street, Calcutta, on or before the third day of April 1909, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the Estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 3rd day of March 1909.

W. H. TAYLOR,

Administrator with Will annexed of the
Property and Credits of the deceased,
4 & 5, Koilaghat Street, Calcutta.
(289—3—100)

The Bengal Pottery Works, Limited.

Extract from the proceedings of the third Extraordinary General Meeting of shareholders held on 13th May 1908, at No. 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta, at 6-30 p.m.

Resolved—

THAT the shareholders present are of opinion that considering the financial position of the Company and the prospects of improving it, it would not be possible to keep the business of the Company going for any appreciable period with any profit to the Company or to the shareholders, and under the circumstances it is advisable to wind up the Company in its present condition under article 127 of its Articles of Association.

Extract from the proceedings of the fourth Extraordinary General Meeting of shareholders held at No. 20, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta, on the 13th June 1908, at 6 p.m.

Resolved—

That the Company is wound up from to-day.

That Babu Rakhai Chandra Hazra, the Solicitor of the Company, be appointed the Liquidator of the Company without any remuneration.

Extract from the proceedings of the fifth Extraordinary General Meeting of shareholders held at the Ripon College, on the 20th September 1908, at 4 p.m.

That Babu Rakhai Chandra Hazra, Solicitor, appointed Liquidator on 13th June 1908, having declined to accept the appointment, Babus Anadi Nath Mookerjee, Manmatha Nath Mookerjee and Mr. G. C. Bose, the former Directors, be appointed the Liquidators of the Company, and they do take necessary steps for the purposes of liquidation.

N.B.—All communications with regard to the above to be made with the Liquidators at 31, Harrison Road, Calcutta.

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NOTICE.

In the matter of the Calcutta Motors, Limited.

BY an order made by the Honourable High Court, on the 18th day of January last, Mr. K. Shelley Bonnerjee has been appointed the Official Liquidator of the above Company, and by the said order it has been further directed that the creditors of the above Company should on or before the 28th day of March instant, forward to the said K. S. Bonnerjee, Esq., Official Liquidator, High Court, their names, addresses and the full particulars of their claims and debts and the names and addresses of their respective attorneys (if any) and in default thereof they would be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts or claims are proved.

U. L. Bosa, Attorney.

6, Old Post Office, Street, Calcutta, the 4th March 1909.
(303—1—106)

Bengal Stone Company Limited.

IN pursuance of section 75 of the Indian Company's Act of 1882, a General Meeting of the share holders of the above Company will be held at the Registered office, No. 100, Clive Street, Calcutta, on Friday next, the 19th instant, at 3 p.m., to transact such business as may be brought before the Meeting.

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The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given that unless the bale of Jute Cuttings marked D.S. which is lying in "B" Shed, Kidderpore Docks, is removed before the 29th March 1909, and all charges due thereon paid, it will be sold by public auction.

C. H. WINDLE,
Traffic Manager.

Calcutta, the 10th March 1909.
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CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

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J. F. BARKER,

Offg. Presidency Postmaster.

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE,

The 16th March 1909.

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F. G. WIGLEY,

Secy. to the Bengal Council,

and Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,

Legislative Dept.

LEGISLATIVE DEPT.;

BOOK DEPÔT BRANCH,

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(Part I.—Constitution and Powers of Court.)

An Act to amend the Law of Insolvency in the Presidency-towns and the Town of Rangoon.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law relating to insolvency in the Presidency-towns and the town of Rangoon; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

PRELIMINARY.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Presidency-towns Insolvency Act, 1909.
Short title and commencement.

(2) It shall come into force on the first day of January 1910.

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—
Definitions.

- (a) "creditor" includes a decree-holder;
- (b) "debt" includes a judgment-debt, and "debtor" includes a judgment-debtor;
- (c) "official assignee" includes an acting official assignee;
- (d) "prescribed" means prescribed by rules;
- (e) "property" includes any property over which or the profits of which any person has a disposing power which he may exercise for his own benefit;
- (f) "rules" means rules made under this Act;
- (g) "secured creditor" includes a landlord who under any enactment for the time being in force has a charge on land for the rent of that land;
- (h) "the Court" means the Court exercising jurisdiction under this Act; and
- (i) "transfer of property" includes a transfer of any interest therein and any charge created thereon.

PART I.

CONSTITUTION AND POWERS OF COURT

Jurisdiction.

3. The Courts having jurisdiction in insolvency under this Act shall be—
Courts having jurisdiction in insolvency.

- (a) the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay; and
- (b) the Chief Court of Lower Burma.

4. All matters in respect of which jurisdiction is given by this Act shall be exercised by a single ordinarily transacted and Judge. disposed of by or under the direction of one of the Judges of the Court, and the Chief Justice or Chief Judge shall, from time to time, assign a Judge for that purpose.

5. Subject to the provisions of this Act and of rules, the Judge of a Court exercising jurisdiction in insolvency may exercise in chambers the whole or any part of his jurisdiction.

6. (1) The Chief Justice or Chief Judge may, from time to time, direct that, in any matters in respect of which jurisdiction is given to the Court by this Act, an officer of the Court appointed by him in this behalf shall have all or any of the powers in this section mentioned; and any order made or act done by such officer in the exercise of the said powers shall be deemed the order or act of the Court.

(2) The powers referred to in sub-section (1) are the following, namely :—

- (a) to hear insolvency petitions presented by debtors, and to make orders of adjudication thereon;
- (b) to hold the public examination of insolvents;
- (c) to make any order or exercise any jurisdiction which is prescribed as proper to be made or exercised in chambers;
- (d) to hear and determine any unopposed or *ex parte* application;
- (e) to examine any person summoned by the Court under section 36.

(3) An officer appointed under this section shall not have power to commit for contempt of Court.

7. Subject to the provisions of this Act, the Court shall have full power to decide all questions of priorities, and all other questions whatsoever, whether of law or fact, which may arise in any case of insolvency coming within the cognizance of the Court, or which the Court may deem it expedient or necessary to decide for the purpose of doing complete justice or making a complete distribution of property in any such case.

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8. (1) The Court may review, rescind or vary any order made by it under its insolvency jurisdiction.

(2) Orders in insolvency matters shall, at the instance of any person aggrieved, be subject to appeal as follows, namely:—

- (a) an appeal from an order made by an officer of the Court empowered under section 6 shall lie to the Judge assigned under section 4 for the transaction and disposal of matters in insolvency and no further appeal shall lie except by leave of such Judge;
- (b) save as otherwise provided in clause (a), an appeal from an order made by a Judge in the exercise of the jurisdiction conferred by this Act shall lie in the same way and be subject to the same provisions as an appeal from an order made by a Judge in the exercise of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of the Court.

PART II.

PROCEEDINGS FROM ACT OF INSOLVENCY TO DISCHARGE.

Acts of insolvency.

9. A debtor commits an act of insolvency in each of the following cases, namely:—

- (a) if, in British India or elsewhere, he makes a transfer of all or substantially all his property to a third person for the benefit of his creditors generally;
- (b) if, in British India or elsewhere, he makes a transfer of his property or of any part thereof with intent to defeat or delay his creditors;
- (c) if, in British India or elsewhere, he makes any transfer of his property or of any part thereof, which would, under this or any other enactment for the time being in force, be void as a fraudulent preference if he were adjudged an insolvent;
- (d) if, with intent to defeat or delay his creditors,—
 - (i) he departs or remains out of British India,

(ii) he departs from his dwelling-house or usual place of business or otherwise absents himself,

(iii) he secludes himself so as to deprive his creditors of the means of communicating with him;

(e) if any of his property has been sold or attached for a period of not less than twenty-one days in execution of the decree of any Court for the payment of money;

(f) if he petitions to be adjudged an insolvent;

(g) if he gives notice to any of his creditors that he has suspended, or that he is about to suspend, payment of his debts;

(h) if he is imprisoned in execution of the decree of any Court for the payment of money.

Explanation.—For the purposes of this section, the act of an agent may be the act of the principal, even though the agent have no specific authority to commit the act.

Order of adjudication.

10. Subject to the conditions specified in this Power to adjudicate. Act, if a debtor commits an act of insolvency, an insolvency petition may be presented either by a creditor or by the debtor, and the Court may on such petition make an order (hereinafter called an order of adjudication) adjudging him an insolvent.

Explanation.—The presentation of a petition by the debtor shall be deemed an act of insolvency within the meaning of this section, and on such petition the Court may make an order of adjudication.

11. The Court shall not have jurisdiction to Restrictions on make an order of adjudication, unless— jurisdiction.

(a) the debtor is, at the time of the presentation of the insolvency petition, imprisoned in execution of the decree of a Court for the payment of money in any prison to which debtors are ordinarily committed by the Court in the exercise of its ordinary original jurisdiction; or

(b) the debtor, within a year before the date of the presentation of the insolvency petition, has ordinarily resided or had a dwelling-house or has carried on business either in person or through an agent within the limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of the Court; or

(c) the debtor personally works for gain within those limits; or

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- (d) in the case of a petition by or against a firm of debtors the firm has carried on business within a year before the date of the presentation of the insolvency petition within those limits.

12. (1) A creditor shall not be entitled to present an insolvency petition against a debtor unless—

- (a) the debt owing by the debtor to the creditor, or, if two or more creditors join in the petition, the aggregate amount of debts owing to such creditors, amounts to five hundred rupees, and
- (b) the debt is a liquidated sum payable either immediately or at some certain future time, and
- (c) the act of insolvency on which the petition is grounded has occurred within three months before the presentation of the petition.

(2) If the petitioning creditor is a secured creditor, he shall in his petition either state that he is willing to relinquish his security for the benefit of the creditors in the event of the debtor being adjudged insolvent or give an estimate of the value of the security. In the latter case he may be admitted as a petitioning creditor to the extent of the balance of the debt due to him after deducting the value so estimated in the same way as if he were an unsecured creditor.

13. (1) A creditor's petition shall be verified by affidavit of the creditor, or of some person on his behalf having knowledge of the facts.

(2) At the hearing the Court shall require proof of—

- (a) the debt of the petitioning creditor, and
- (b) the act of insolvency or, if more than one act of insolvency is alleged in the petition, some one of the alleged acts of insolvency.

(3) The Court may adjourn the hearing of the petition and order service thereof on the debtor.

(4) The Court shall dismiss the petition—

- (a) if it is not satisfied with the proof of the facts referred to in sub-section (2); or
- (b) if the debtor appears and satisfies the Court that he is able to pay his debts, or that he has not committed an act of insolvency or that for other sufficient cause no order ought to be made.

(5) The Court may make an order of adjudication if it is satisfied with the proof

above referred to, or if on a hearing adjourned under sub-section (3) the debtor does not appear and service of the petition on him is proved, unless in its opinion the petition ought to have been presented before some other Court having insolvency jurisdiction.

(6) Where the debtor appears on the petition and denies that he is indebted to the petitioner, or that he is indebted to such an amount as would justify the petitioner in presenting a petition against him, the Court, on such security (if any) being given as the Court may require for payment to the petitioner of any debt which may be established against the debtor in due course of law, and of the costs of establishing the debt, may, instead of dismissing the petition, stay all proceedings on the petition for such time as may be required for trial of the question relating to the debt.

(7) Where proceedings are stayed, the Court may, if by reason of the delay caused by the stay of proceedings or for any other cause it thinks just, make an order of adjudication on the petition of some other creditor, and shall thereupon dismiss, on such terms as it thinks just, the petition on which proceedings have been stayed as aforesaid.

(8) A creditor's petition shall not, after presentation, be withdrawn without the leave of the Court.

14. A debtor shall not be entitled to present an insolvency petition unless—

- (a) his debts amount to five hundred rupees, or
- (b) he has been arrested and imprisoned in execution of the decree of any Court for the payment of money, or
- (c) an order of attachment in execution of such a decree has been made and is subsisting against his property.

15. (1) A debtor's petition shall allege that the debtor is unable to pay his debts, and, if the debtor proves that he is entitled to present the petition, the Court may thereupon make an order of adjudication, unless in its opinion the petition ought to have been presented before some other Court having insolvency jurisdiction.

(2) A debtor's petition shall not, after presentation, be withdrawn without the leave of the Court.

16. The Court may, if it is shown to be necessary for the protection of the estate, at any time after the presentation of an insolvency petition and before an order of adjudication is made, appoint the official assignee to be interim receiver of the property of the debtor, or of any part thereof,

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and direct him to take immediate possession thereof or any part thereof, and the official assignee shall thereupon have such of the powers conferable on a receiver appointed under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, as may be prescribed.

17. On the making of an order of adjudication, the property of the insolvent wherever situated shall vest in the official assignee and shall become divisible among his creditors, and thereafter, except as directed by this Act, no creditor to whom the insolvent is indebted in respect of any debt provable in insolvency proceedings, have any remedy against the property of the insolvent in respect of the debt or shall commence any suit or other legal proceeding except with the leave of the Court and on such terms as the Court may impose:

Provided that this section shall not affect the power of any secured creditor to realize or otherwise deal with his security in the same manner as he would have been entitled to realize or deal with it if this section had not been passed.

18. (1) The Court may, at any time after the making of an order of adjudication, stay any suit or other proceeding pending against the insolvent before any Judge or Judges of the Court or in any other Court subject to the superintendence of the Court.

(2) An order made under sub-section (1) may be served by sending a copy thereof, under the seal of the Court, by post to the address for service of the plaintiff or other party prosecuting such suit or proceeding, and notice of such order shall be sent to the Court before which the suit or proceeding is pending.

(3) Any Court in which proceedings are pending against a debtor may on proof that an order of adjudication has been made against him under this Act, either stay the proceedings or allow them to continue on such terms as it may think just.

19. (1) If in any case the Court, having regard to the nature of the debtor's estate or business or to the interests of the creditors generally, is of opinion that a special manager of the estate or business ought to be appointed to assist the official assignee, the Court may appoint a manager thereof accordingly to act for such time as the Court may authorize, and to have such powers of the official assignee as may be entrusted to him by the official assignee or as the Court may direct.

(2) The special manager shall give security and furnish accounts in such manner as the

Court may direct, and shall receive such remuneration as the Court may determine.

20. Notice of every order of adjudication, stating the name, address and description of the insolvent, the date of the adjudication, the Court by which the adjudication is made and the date of presentation of the petition, shall be published in the Gazette of India and in the local official Gazette and in such other manner as may be prescribed.

Annulment of adjudication.

21. (1) Where, in the opinion of the Court, a debtor ought not to have been adjudged insolvent, or where it is proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the debts of the insolvent are paid in full, the Court may, on the application of any person interested, by order annul the adjudication.

(2) For the purposes of this section, any debt disputed by a debtor shall be considered as paid in full, if the debtor enters into a bond, in such sum and with such sureties as the Court approves, to pay the amount to be recovered in any proceeding for the recovery of or concerning the debt, with costs, and any debt due to a creditor who cannot be found or cannot be identified shall be considered as paid in full if paid into Court.

22. Where it is proved to the satisfaction of the Court that insolvency proceedings are pending in any other British Court whether within or without British India against the same debtor and that the property of the debtor can be more conveniently distributed by such other Court, the Court may annul the adjudication or may stay all proceedings thereon.

23. (1) Where an adjudication is annulled, all sales and dispositions of property and payments duly made, and all acts theretofore done, by the official assignee or other person acting under his authority, or by the Court, shall be valid, but the property of the debtor who was adjudged insolvent shall vest in such person as the Court may appoint, or, in default of any such appointment, shall revert to the debtor to the extent of his right or interest therein on such terms and subject to such conditions (if any) as the Court may declare by order.

(2) Where a debtor has been released from custody under the provisions of this Act and the order of adjudication is annulled as aforesaid, the Court may, if it thinks fit, recommit the debtor to his former custody, and the

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jailor or keeper of the prison to whose custody such debtor is so recommitted shall receive such debtor into his custody according to such recommitment, and thereupon all processes which were in force against the person of such debtor at the time of such release as aforesaid shall be deemed to be still in force against him as if such order had not been made.

(3) Notice of the order annulling an adjudication shall be published in the Gazette of India and in the local official Gazette and in such other manner as may be prescribed.

Proceedings consequent on order of adjudication.

24. (1) Where an order of adjudication is made against a debtor, he shall prepare and submit to the Court a schedule verified by affidavit, in such form and containing such particulars of and in relation to his affairs as may be prescribed.

(2) The schedule shall be so submitted within the following times, namely:—

(a) if the order is made on the petition of the debtor, within thirty days from the date of the order,

(b) if the order is made on the petition of a creditor, within thirty days from the date of service of the order.

(3) If the insolvent fails, without reasonable excuse, to comply with the requirements of this section, the Court may, on the application of the official assignee or of any creditor, make an order for his committal to the civil prison.

(4) If the insolvent fails to prepare and submit any such schedule as aforesaid, the official assignee may, at the expense of the estate, cause such a schedule to be prepared in manner prescribed.

25. (1) Any insolvent who shall have submitted his schedule as aforesaid may apply to the Court for protection, and the Court may, on such application, make an order for the protection of the insolvent from arrest or detention.

(2) A protection order may apply either to all the debts mentioned in the schedule or to any of them as the Court may think proper, and may commence and take effect at and for such time as the Court may direct, and may be revoked or renewed as the Court may think fit.

(3) A protection order shall protect the insolvent from being arrested or detained in prison for any debt to which such order shall apply, and any insolvent arrested or detained contrary to the terms of such order shall be entitled to his release:

Provided that no such order shall operate to prejudice the right of any creditor in the event of such order being revoked or the adjudication annulled.

(4) Any creditor shall be entitled to appear and oppose the grant of a protection order, but the insolvent shall be *prima facie* entitled to such order on production of a certificate signed by the official assignee that he has so far conformed to the provisions of this Act.

(5) The Court may make a protection order before an insolvent has submitted his schedule if it thinks it necessary to do so in the interests of the creditors.

26. (1) At any time after the making of an order of adjudication against an insolvent, the Court, on the application of a creditor or of the official assignee, may direct that a meeting of creditors shall be held to consider the circumstances of the insolvency and the insolvent's schedule and his explanation thereof and generally as to the mode of dealing with the property of the insolvent.

(2) With respect to the summoning of and proceedings at a meeting of creditors the rules in the First Schedule shall be observed.

27. (1) Where the Court makes an order of adjudication it shall hold a public sitting on a day to be appointed by the Court, of which notice shall be given to creditors in the prescribed manner, for the examination of the insolvent, and the insolvent shall attend thereat, and shall be examined as to his conduct, dealings and property.

(2) The examination shall be held as soon as conveniently may be after the expiration of the time for the filing of the insolvent's schedule.

(3) Any creditor who has tendered a proof or a legal practitioner on his behalf may question the insolvent concerning his affairs and the causes of his failure.

(4) The official assignee shall take part in the examination of the insolvent; and for the purpose thereof, subject to such directions as the Court may give, may be represented by a legal practitioner.

(5) The Court may put such questions to the insolvent as it may think expedient.

(6) The insolvent shall be examined upon oath, and it shall be his duty to answer all such questions as the Court may put or allow to be put to him. Such notes of the examination as the Court thinks proper shall be taken down in writing and shall be read over either to or by the insolvent and signed by him, and may thereafter be used in evidence against him and shall be open to the inspection of any creditor at all reasonable times.

(7) When the Court is of opinion that the affairs of the insolvent have been sufficiently investigated, it shall, by order, declare that his examination is concluded, but such order shall

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not preclude the Court from directing further examination of the insolvent whenever it may deem fit to do so.

(8) Where the insolvent is a lunatic or suffers from any such mental or physical affliction or disability as in the opinion of the Court makes him unfit to attend his public examination, or is a woman who according to the customs and manners of the country ought not to be compelled to appear in public, the Court may make an order dispensing with such examination, or directing that the insolvent be examined on such terms, in such manner and at such place as to the Court seems expedient.

Composition and schemes of arrangement.

28. (1) An insolvent may at any time after the making of an order of adjudication submit a proposal for a composition in satisfaction of his debts or a proposal for a scheme of arrangement of his affairs in the prescribed form, and such proposal shall be submitted by the official assignee to a meeting of creditors.

(2) The official assignee shall send to each creditor who is mentioned in the schedule, or who has tendered a proof before the meeting, a copy of the insolvent's proposals with a report thereon, and if on the consideration of such proposal the majority in number and three-fourths in value of all the creditors whose debts are proved resolve to accept the proposal, the same shall be deemed to be duly accepted by the creditors.

(3) The insolvent may at the meeting amend the terms of his proposal if the amendment is in the opinion of the official assignee calculated to benefit the general body of creditors.

(4) Any creditor who has proved his debt may assent to or dissent from the proposal by a letter, in the prescribed form addressed to the official assignee so as to be received by him not later than the day preceding the meeting, and any such assent or dissent shall have effect as if the creditor had been present and had voted at the meeting.

29. (1) The insolvent or the official assignee may after the proposal is accepted by the creditors apply to the Court to approve it, and notice of the time appointed for hearing the application shall be given to each creditor who has proved.

(2) Except where an estate is being summarily administered or special leave of the Court has been obtained, the application shall not be heard until after the conclusion of the public examination of the insolvent. Any creditor who has proved may be heard by the Court in opposition to the application notwithstanding that he may at a meeting of creditors have voted for the acceptance of the proposal.

(3) The Court shall before approving the proposal hear a report of the official assignee as to the terms thereof and as to the conduct of the insolvent and any objections which may be made by or on behalf of any creditor.

(4) Where the Court is of opinion that the terms of the proposal are not reasonable or are not calculated to benefit the general body of creditors or in any case in which the Court is required to refuse the insolvent's discharge, the Court shall refuse to approve the proposal.

(5) Where any facts are proved on proof of which the Court would be required either to refuse, suspend or attach conditions to the debtor's discharge, the Court shall refuse to approve the proposal unless it provides reasonable security for payment of not less than four annas in the rupee on all the unsecured debts provable against the debtor's estate.

(6) No composition or scheme shall be approved by the Court which does not provide for the payment in priority to other debts of all debts directed to be so paid in the distribution of the property of an insolvent.

(7) In any other case the Court may either approve or refuse to approve the proposal.

30. (1) If the Court approves the proposal, the terms shall be embodied in an order of the Court, and an order shall be made annulling the adjudication, and the provisions of section 23, sub-sections (1) and (3), shall thereupon apply, and the composition or scheme shall be binding on all the creditors so far as relates to any debt due to them from the insolvent and provable in insolvency.

(2) The provisions of the composition or scheme may be enforced by the Court on application by any person interested, and any disobedience of an order of the Court made on the application shall be deemed a contempt of Court.

31. (1) If default is made in the payment of any instalment due in pursuance of any composition or scheme, approved as aforesaid, or if it appears to the Court that the composition or scheme cannot proceed without injustice or undue delay or that the approval of the Court was obtained by fraud, the Court may, if it thinks fit, on application by any person interested, re-adjudge the debtor insolvent and annul the composition or scheme, and the property of the debtor shall thereupon vest in the official assignee but without prejudice to the validity of any transfer or payment duly made or of anything duly done under or in pursuance of the composition or scheme.

(2) Where a debtor is re-adjudged insolvent under sub-section (1), all debts provable in other respects which have been contracted before the date of such re-adjudication shall be provable in the insolvency.

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32. Notwithstanding the acceptance and approval of a composition or scheme, the composition or scheme shall not be binding on any creditor so far as regards a debt or liability from which, under the provisions of this Act, the insolvent would not be discharged by an order of discharge in insolvency, unless the creditor assents to the composition or scheme.

Control over person and property of insolvent.

33. (1) Every insolvent shall, unless prevented by sickness or other sufficient cause, attend any meeting of his creditors which the official assignee may require him to attend, and shall submit to such examination and give such information as the meeting may require.

(2) The insolvent shall--

- (a)** give such inventory of his property, such list of his creditors and debtors, and of the debts due to and from them respectively,
- (b)** submit to such examination in respect of his property or his creditors,
- (c)** wait at such times and places on the official assignee or special manager,
- (d)** execute such powers-of-attorney, transfers and instruments, and
- (e)** generally do all such acts and things in relation to his property and the distribution of the proceeds amongst his creditors,

as may be required by the official assignee or special manager or may be prescribed or be directed by the Court by any special order or orders made in reference to any particular case, or made on the occasion of any special application by the official assignee or special manager, or any creditor or person interested

(3) The insolvent shall aid, to the utmost of his power, in the realization of his property and the distribution of the proceeds among his creditors.

(4) If the insolvent wilfully fails to perform the duties imposed upon him by this section, or to deliver up possession to the official assignee of any part of his property, which is divisible amongst his creditors under this Act, and which is for the time being in his possession or under his control, he shall, in

addition to any other punishment to which he may be subject, be guilty of a contempt of Court, and may be punished accordingly.

34. (1) The Court may, either of its own motion or at the instance of the official assignee or of any creditor, by warrant addressed to any police-officer or prescribed officer of the Court, cause an insolvent to be arrested, and committed to the civil prison or if in prison to be detained until such time as the Court may order, under the following circumstances namely:—

- (a)** if it appears to the Court that there is probable reason for believing that he has absconded or is about to abscond with a view of avoiding examination in respect of his affairs, or of otherwise avoiding, delaying or embarrassing proceedings in insolvency against him; or
- (b)** if it appears to the Court that there is probable reason for believing that he is about to remove his property with a view of preventing or delaying possession being taken of it by the official assignee, or that there is probable reason for believing that he has concealed or is about to conceal or destroy any of his property or any books, documents or writings which might be of use to his creditors in the course of his insolvency; or
- (c)** if he removes any property in his possession above the value of fifty rupees without the leave of the official assignee.

(2) No payment or composition made or security given after arrest made under this section shall be exempt from the provisions of this Act relating to fraudulent preferences.

35. Where the official assignee has been appointed interim receiver of or an order of adjudication is made, the Court, on the application of the official assignee, may, from time to time, order that for such time, not exceeding three months, as the Court thinks fit, all post letters, whether registered or unregistered, parcels and money orders addressed to the debtor at any place or places mentioned in the order for re-direction,

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shall be re-directed, or delivered by the Postal authorities in British India, to the official assignee, or otherwise as the Court directs; and the same shall be done accordingly.

36. (1) The Court may, on the application of the official assignee or of any creditor who has proved his debt, at any time after an order of adjudication has been made, summon before it in such manner as may be prescribed the insolvent or any person known or suspected to have in his possession any property belonging to the insolvent, or supposed to be indebted to the insolvent, or any person whom the Court may deem capable of giving information respecting the insolvent, his dealings or property; and the Court may require any such person to produce any documents in his custody or power relating to the insolvent, his dealings or property.

(2) If any person so summoned, after having been tendered a reasonable sum, refuses to come before the Court at the time appointed, or refuses to produce any such document, having no lawful impediment made known to the Court at the time of its sitting and allowed by it, the Court may, by warrant, cause him to be apprehended and brought up for examination.

(3) The Court may examine any person so brought before it concerning the insolvent, his dealings or property, and such person may be represented by a legal practitioner.

(4) If on the examination of any such person the Court is satisfied that he is indebted to the insolvent, the Court may, on the application of the official assignee, order him to pay to the official assignee, at such time and in such manner as to the Court seems expedient, the amount in which he is indebted, or any part thereof, either in full discharge of the whole amount or not, as the Court thinks fit, with or without costs of the examination.

(5) If, on the examination of any such person, the Court is satisfied that he has in his possession any property belonging to the insolvent, the Court may, on the application of the official assignee, order him to deliver to the official assignee that property, or any part thereof, at such time, in such manner and on such terms as to the Court may seem just.

(6) Orders made under sub-sections (4) and (5) shall be executed in the same manner as decrees for the payment of money or for the delivery of property under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, respectively.

(7) Any person making any payment or delivery in pursuance of an order made under sub-section (4) or sub-section (5) shall by such payment or delivery be discharged from all liability whatsoever in respect of such debt or property.

37. The Court shall have the same powers to issue commissions and letters of request for the examination on commission or otherwise of any person liable to examination under section 36 as it has for the examination of witnesses under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.

Discharge of Insolvent.

38. (1) An insolvent may, at any time after the order of adjudication, apply to the Court for an order of discharge, and the Court shall appoint a day for hearing the application, but, save where the public examination of the insolvent has been dispensed with under the provisions of this Act, the application shall not be heard until after such examination has been concluded. The application shall be heard in open Court.

(2) On the hearing of the application, the Court shall take into consideration any report of the official assignee as to the insolvent's conduct and affairs, and, subject to the provisions of section 39, may—

- (a) grant or refuse an absolute order of discharge, or
- (b) suspend the operation of the order for a specified time, or
- (c) grant an order of discharge subject to any conditions with respect to any earnings or income which may afterwards become due to the insolvent, or with respect to his after-acquired property.

39. (1) The Court shall refuse the discharge in all cases where the insolvent has committed any offence under this Act, or under sections 421 to 424 of the Indian Penal Code, and shall, on proof of any of the facts hereinafter mentioned, either—

- (a) refuse the discharge; or
- (b) suspend the discharge for a specified time; or
- (c) suspend the discharge until a dividend of not less than four annas in the rupee has been paid to the creditors;

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- (d) require the insolvent as a condition of his discharge to consent to a decree being passed against him in favour of the official assignee for any balance or part of any balance of the debts provable under the insolvency which is not satisfied at the date of his discharge; such balance or part of any balance of the debts to be paid out of the future earnings or after-acquired property of the insolvent in such manner and subject to such conditions as the Court may direct; but in that case the decree shall not be executed without leave of the Court, which leave may be given on proof that the insolvent has since his discharge acquired property or income available for payment of his debts.
- (2) The facts hereinbefore referred to are—
- (a) that the insolvent's assets are not of a value equal to four annas in the rupee on the amount of his unsecured liabilities, unless he satisfies the Court that the fact that the assets are not of such value has arisen from circumstances for which he cannot justly be held responsible;
- (b) that the insolvent has omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his insolvency;
- (c) that the insolvent has continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent;
- (d) that the insolvent has contracted any debt provable under this Act without having at the time of contracting it any reasonable or probable ground of expectation (the burden of proving which shall lie on him) that he would be able to pay it;
- (e) that the insolvent has failed to account satisfactorily for any loss of assets or for any deficiency of assets to meet his liabilities;
- (f) that the insolvent has brought on or contributed to his insolvency by rash or hazardous speculations or by unjustifiable extravagance in living or by gambling, or by culpable neglect of his business affairs;
- (g) that the insolvent has put any of his creditors to unnecessary expense by a frivolous or vexatious defence to any suit properly brought against him;
- (h) that the insolvent has within three months preceding the time of presentation of the petition incurred unjustifiable expense by bringing a frivolous or vexatious suit;
- (i) that the insolvent has within three months preceding the date of the presentation of the petition, when unable to pay his debts as they become due, given an undue preference to any of his creditors;
- (j) that the insolvent has concealed or removed his books or his property or any part thereof or has been guilty of any other fraud or fraudulent breach of trust.
- (3) The power of suspending and of attaching conditions to an insolvent's discharge may be exercised concurrently.
- (4) On any application for discharge the report of the official assignee shall be *prima facie* evidence and the Court may presume the correctness of any statement contained therein.
40. Notice of the appointment by the Court of the day for hearing the application for discharge shall be published in the prescribed manner and sent one month at least before the day so appointed to each creditor who has proved, and the Court may hear the official assignee and may also hear any creditor. At the hearing the Court may put such questions to the insolvent and receive such evidence as it may think fit.
41. If an insolvent does not appear on the day so appointed for hearing his application for discharge or if an insolvent shall not apply to the Court for an order of discharge within such time as may be prescribed, the Court, on the application of the official assignee or of a creditor or of its own motion, may annul the adjudication or make such other order as it may think fit, and the provisions of section 23 shall apply on such annulment.
42. (1) Where the Court refuses the discharge of the insolvent it may, after such time and in such circumstances as may be prescribed, permit him to renew his application.
- (2) Where an order of discharge is made subject to conditions and at any time after the expiration of two years from the date of the order the insolvent shall satisfy the Court that there is no reasonable probability of his being in a position to comply with the terms of such order, the Court may modify the terms of the order, or of any substituted order, in such manner and upon such conditions as it may think fit.

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43. A discharged insolvent shall, notwithstanding his discharge, be under a duty to assist in giving such assistance as may be required for the realization of property. The official assignee may require in the realization and distribution of such of his property as is vested in the official assignee, and, if he fails to do so, shall be guilty of a contempt of Court; and the Court may also, if it thinks fit, revoke his discharge, but without prejudice to the validity of any sale, disposition or payment duly made or thing duly done subsequent to the discharge, but before its revocation.

Fraudulent settlements. 44. In either of the following cases, that is to say:—

- (1) in the case of a settlement made before and in consideration of marriage where the settlor is not at the time of making the settlement able to pay all his debts without the aid of the property comprised in the settlement; or
- (2) in the case of any covenant or contract made in consideration of marriage for the future settlement on or for the settlor's wife or children of any money or property wherein he had not at the date of his marriage any estate or interest (not being money or property of or in right of his wife);

if the settlor is adjudged insolvent or compounds or arranges with his creditors, and it appears to the Court that the settlement, covenant or contract was made in order to defeat or delay creditors, or was unjustifiable having regard to the state of the settlor's affairs at the time when it was made, the Court may refuse or suspend an order of discharge or grant an order subject to conditions or refuse to approve a composition or arrangement.

45. (1) An order of discharge shall not release the insolvent from —

Effect of order of discharge.

- (a) any debt due to the Crown;
- (b) any debt or liability incurred by means of any fraud or fraudulent breach of trust to which he was a party; or
- (c) any debt or liability in respect of which he has obtained forbearance by any fraud to which he was a party; or
- (d) any liability under an order for maintenance made under section 488 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(2) Save as otherwise provided by sub-section (1), an order of discharge shall release the insolvent from all debts provable in insolvency.

(3) An order of discharge shall be conclusive evidence of the insolvency, and of the validity of the proceedings therein.

(4) An order of discharge shall not release any person who at the date of the presentation of the petition was a partner or co-trustee with the insolvent or was jointly bound or had made any joint contract with him, or any person who was surety or in the nature of a surety for him.

PART III.

ADMINISTRATION OF PROPERTY.

Proof of debts.

46. (1) Demands in the nature of unliquidated damages arising otherwise than by reason of a contract or breach of trust shall not be provable in insolvency.

(2) A person having notice of the presentation of any insolvency petition by or against the debtor shall not prove for any debt or liability contracted by the debtor subsequently to the date of his so having notice.

(3) Save as provided by sub-sections (1) and (2), all debts and liabilities, present or future, certain or contingent, to which the debtor is subject when he is adjudged an insolvent or to which he may become subject before his discharge by reason of any obligation incurred before the date of such adjudication, shall be deemed to be debts provable in insolvency.

(4) An estimate shall be made by the official assignee of the value of any debt or liability provable as aforesaid which by reason of its being subject to any contingency or contingencies, or for any other reason, does not bear a certain value:

Provided that if in his opinion the value of the debt or liability is incapable of being fairly estimated, he shall issue a certificate to that effect, and thereupon the debt or liability shall be deemed to be a debt not provable in insolvency.

Explanation.—For the purposes of this section "liability" includes any compensation for work or labour done, any obligation or possibility of an obligation to pay money or money's worth on the breach of any express or implied covenant, contract, agreement or undertaking, whether the breach does or does not occur, or is or is not likely to occur or capable of occurring,

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before the discharge of the debtor, and generally it includes any express or implied engagement, agreement or undertaking to pay, or capable of resulting in the payment of, money, or money's worth, whether the payment is, as respects amount, fixed or unliquidated; as respects time, present or future, certain or dependent on any contingency or contingencies; as to mode of valuation, capable of being ascertained by fixed rules, or as matter of opinion.

47. Where there have been mutual dealings between an insolvent and a creditor proving or claiming to prove a debt under this Act, an account shall be taken of what is due from the one party to the other in respect of such mutual dealings, and the sum due from the one party shall be set off against any sum due from the other party, and the balance of the account, and no more, shall be claimed or paid on either side respectively :

Provided that a person shall not be entitled under this section to claim the benefits of any set-off against the property of an insolvent in any case where he had at the time of giving credit to the insolvent notice of the presentation of any insolvency petition by or against him.

48. With respect to the mode of proving debts, the right of proof by secured and other creditors, the admission and rejection of proofs, and the other matters referred to in the Second Schedule, the rules in that schedule shall be observed.

49. (1) In the distribution of the property of the insolvent there shall be paid in priority to all other debts—

(a) all debts due to the Crown or to any local authority ;

(b) all salary or wages of any clerk, servant or labourer in respect of services rendered to the insolvent during four months before the date of the presentation of the petition, not exceeding three hundred rupees for each such clerk, and one hundred rupees for each such servant or labourer, and

(c) rent due to a landlord from the insolvent: provided the amount payable under this clause shall not exceed one month's rent.

(2) The debts specified in sub-section (1) shall rank equally between themselves, and shall be paid in full, unless the property of the insolvent is insufficient to meet them, in which case they shall abate in equal proportions between themselves.

(3) Subject to the retention of such sums as may be necessary for the expenses of administration or otherwise, the debts specified in sub-section (1) shall be discharged forthwith in so far as the property of the insolvent is sufficient to meet them.

(4) In the case of partners the partnership property shall be applicable in the first instance in payment of the partnership debts, and the separate property of each partner shall be applicable in the first instance in payment of his separate debts. Where there is a surplus of the separate property of the partners, it shall be dealt with as part of the partnership property; and where there is a surplus of the partnership property, it shall be dealt with as part of the respective separate property in proportion to the rights and interests of each partner in the partnership property.

(5) Subject to the provisions of this Act, all debts proved in insolvency shall be paid rateably according to the amounts of such debts respectively and without any preference.

(6) Where there is any surplus after payment of the foregoing debts, it shall be applied in payment of interest from the date on which the debtor is adjudged an insolvent at the rate of six per centum per annum on all debts proved in the insolvency.

50. After an order of adjudication has been made no distress for rent due before such order shall be made upon the goods or effects of the insolvent, unless the order be annulled, but the landlord or party to whom the rent may be due shall be entitled to prove in respect of such rent.

Property available for payment of debts.

51. The insolvency of a debtor, whether the same takes place on the debtor's own petition or upon that of a creditor or creditors, shall be deemed to have relation back to and to commence at—

(a) the time of the commission of the act of insolvency on which an order of adjudication is made against him, or

(b) if the insolvent is proved to have committed more acts of insolvency than one, the time of the first of the acts of insolvency proved to have been committed by the insolvent within three months next preceding the date of the presentation of the insolvency petition :

Provided that no insolvency petition or order of adjudication shall be rendered invalid by reason of any act of insolvency committed anterior to the debt of the petitioning creditor.

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52. (1) The property of the insolvent divisible amongst his creditors, and in this Act referred to as the property of the insolvent, shall not comprise the following particulars, namely:—

Description of insolvent's property divisible amongst creditors.

(a) property held by the insolvent on trust for any other person ;

(b) the tools (if any) of his trade and the necessary wearing apparel, bedding, cooking vessels, and furniture of himself, his wife and children, to a value, inclusive of tools and apparel and other necessities as aforesaid, not exceeding three hundred rupees in the whole.

(2) Subject as aforesaid, the property of the insolvent shall comprise the following particulars, namely:—

(a) all such property as may belong to or be vested in the insolvent at the commencement of the insolvency or may be acquired by or devolve on him before his discharge ;

(b) the capacity to exercise and to take proceedings for exercising all such powers in or over or in respect of property as might have been exercised by the insolvent for his own benefit at the commencement of his insolvency or before his discharge ; and

(c) all goods being at the commencement of the insolvency in the possession, order or disposition of the insolvent, in his trade or business by the consent and permission of the true owner, under such circumstances that he is the reputed owner thereof :

Provided that things in action other than debts due or growing due to the insolvent in the course of his trade or business shall not be deemed goods within the meaning of clause (c) :

Provided also that the true owner of any goods which have become divisible among the creditors of the insolvent under the provisions of clause (c) may prove for the value of such goods.

Effect of insolvency on antecedent transactions.

53. (1) Where execution of a decree has been issued against the property of a debtor, no person shall be entitled to the benefit of the execution against the official assignee, except in respect of assets realized in the course of the execution by sale or otherwise before the date of the order of adjudication and before he had

Restriction of rights of creditor under execution.

notice of the presentation of any insolvency petition by or against the debtor.

(2) Nothing in this section shall affect the right of a secured creditor in respect of property against which a decree is executed.

(3) A person who in good faith purchases the property of a debtor under a sale in execution shall in all cases acquire a good title to it against the official assignee.

54. Where execution of a decree has issued against any property of a debtor which is saleable in execution, and before the sale thereof notice is given to the Court executing the decree that an order of adjudication has been made against the debtor, the Court shall, on application, direct the property, if in the possession of the Court, to be delivered to the official assignee, but the costs of the execution shall be a first charge on the property so delivered, and the official assignee may sell the property or an adequate part thereof for the purpose of satisfying the charge.

55. Any transfer of property, not being a transfer made before and in consideration of marriage, or made in favour of a purchaser or incumbrancer in good faith and for valuable consideration, shall, if the transferor is adjudged insolvent within two years after the date of the transfer, be void against the official assignee.

56. (1) Every transfer of property, every payment made, every obligation incurred, and every judicial proceeding taken or suffered by any person unable to pay his debts as they become due from his own money in favour of any creditor, with a view of giving that creditor a preference over the other creditors, shall, if such person is adjudged insolvent on a petition presented within three months after the date thereof, be deemed fraudulent and void as against the official assignee.

(2) This section shall not affect the rights of any person making title in good faith and for valuable consideration through or under a creditor of the insolvent.

57. Subject to the foregoing provisions with respect to the effect of insolvency on an execution and with respect to the avoidance of certain transfers and preferences, nothing in this Act shall invalidate in the case of an insolvency—

Protection of bona fide transactions.

(a) any payment by the insolvent to any of his creditors ;

(b) any payment or delivery to the insolvent ;

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(c) any transfer by the insolvent for valuable consideration ; or

(d) any contract or dealing by or with the insolvent for valuable consideration :

Provided that any such transaction takes place before the date of the order of adjudication and that the person with whom such transaction takes place has not at the time notice of the presentation of any insolvency petition by or against the debtor.

Realization of property.

58. (1) The official assignee shall, as soon as Possession of property by official assignee. may be, take possession of the deeds, books and documents of the insolvent and all other parts of his property capable of manual delivery.

(2) The official assignee shall, in relation to and for the purpose of acquiring or retaining possession of the property of the insolvent, be in the same position as if he were a receiver of the property appointed under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, and the Court may on his application enforce such acquisition or retention accordingly.

(3) Where any part of the property of the insolvent consists of stock, shares in ships, shares, or any other property transferable in the books of any company, office or person, the official assignee may exercise the right to transfer the property to the same extent as the insolvent might have exercised it, if he had not become insolvent.

(4) Where any part of the property of the insolvent consists of things in action, such things shall be deemed to have been duly transferred to the official assignee.

(5) Any treasurer or other officer, or any banker, attorney or agent of an insolvent, shall pay and deliver to the official assignee all money and securities in his possession or power as such officer, banker, attorney or agent, which he is not by law entitled to retain as against the insolvent or the official assignee. If he fails so to do, he shall be guilty of a contempt of Court, and shall be punishable accordingly on the application of the official assignee.

59. (1) The Court may grant a warrant to any prescribed officer of the Court or any police-officer above the rank of a constable to seize any part of the property of an insolvent in the custody or possession of the insolvent or of any other person, and with a view to such seizure to break open any house, building or room of the insolvent where the insolvent is supposed to be, or any building or receptacle of the insolvent where any of his property is supposed to be.

(2) Where the Court is satisfied that there is reason to believe that property of the insolvent is concealed in a house or place not belonging to him, the Court may, if it thinks fit, grant a search-warrant to any such officer as aforesaid who may execute it according to its tenor.

60. (1) Where an insolvent is an officer of the Army or Navy or of His Majesty's Royal Indian Marine Service, or an officer or clerk or otherwise employed or engaged in the civil service of the Crown, the official assignee shall receive for distribution amongst the creditors so much of the insolvent's pay or salary liable to attachment in execution of a decree as the Court may direct.

(2) Where an insolvent is in the receipt of a salary or income other than as aforesaid, the Court may, at any time after adjudication and from time to time, make such order as it thinks just for the payment to the official assignee, for distribution among the creditors of so much of such salary or income as may be liable to attachment in execution of a decree, or of any portion thereof.

61. The property of the insolvent shall pass from official assignee to official assignee, and shall vest in the official assignee for the time being during his continuance in office, without any transfer whatever.

62. (1) Where any part of the property of an insolvent consists of land of any tenure burdened with onerous covenants, of shares or stocks in companies, of unprofitable contracts, or of any other property that is unsaleable, or not readily saleable, by reason of its binding the possessor thereof to the performance of any onerous act or to the payment of any sum of money, the official assignee may, notwithstanding that he may have endeavoured to sell or have taken possession of the property, or exercised any act of ownership in relation thereto, but subject always to the provisions hereinafter contained in that behalf, by writing signed by him, at any time within twelve months after the insolvent has been adjudged insolvent, disclaim the property :

Provided that, where any such property has not come to the knowledge of the official assignee within one month after such adjudication as aforesaid, he may disclaim the property at any time within twelve months after he has first become aware thereof.

(2) The disclaimer shall operate to determine as from the date thereof, the rights, interests

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and liabilities of the insolvent and his property in or in respect of the property disclaimed, and shall also discharge the official assignee from all personal liability in respect of the property disclaimed as from the date when the property vested in him, but shall not, except so far as is necessary for the purpose of releasing the insolvent and his property and the official assignee from liability, affect the rights or liabilities of any other person.

63. Subject always to such rules as may be

Disclaimer of lease- made in this behalf, the holds. official assignee shall not be entitled to disclaim any leasehold interest without the leave of the Court; and the Court may, before or on granting such leave, require such notices to be given to persons interested, and impose such terms as a condition of granting leave, and make such orders with respect to fixtures, tenant's improvements and other matters arising out of the tenancy, as the Court thinks just.

64. The official assignee shall not be entitled

Power to call on to disclaim any property in official assignee to dis- pursuant to section 62 in claim. any case where an application in writing has been made to the official assignee by any person interested in the property requiring him to decide whether he will disclaim, and the official assignee has for a period of twenty-eight days after the receipt of the application, or such extended period as may be allowed by the Court, declined or neglected to give notice that he disclaims the property; and in the case of a contract, if the official assignee, after such application as aforesaid, does not within the said period or extended period disclaim the contract, he shall be deemed to have adopted it.

65. The Court may, on the application of

Power for Court to any person who is, as rescind contract. against the official assignee, entitled to the benefit or subject to the burden of a contract made with the insolvent, make an order rescinding the contract on such terms as to payment by or to either party of damages for the non-performance of the contract, or otherwise, as to the Court may seem equitable, and any damages payable under the order to any such person may be proved by him as a debt under the insolvency.

66. (1) The Court may, on the application of

Power for Court to any person either claim- make vesting order in ing any interest in any respect of disclaimed disclaimed property, or property. under any liability not discharged by this Act in respect of any disclaimed property, and on hearing such persons as it thinks fit, make an order for the vesting of the property in or delivery thereof to any person entitled thereto, or to whom it may seem just that the same should be delivered by way of compensation for such liability as aforesaid, or a trustee for him, and on such terms as the Court thinks just; and on any such vesting order being made, the property comprised therein shall vest accordingly in the person therein named in that behalf without any transfer for the purpose:

Provided always, that where the property disclaimed is of a leasehold nature, the Court shall not make a vesting order in favour of any person claiming under the insolvent, whether as under-lessee or as mortgagee except upon the terms of making such person subject to the same liabilities and obligations as the insolvent was subject to under the lease in respect of the property at the date when the insolvency petition was filed, and any under-lessee or mortgagee declining to accept a vesting order upon such terms shall be excluded from all interest in and security upon the property, and if there is no person claiming under the insolvent who is willing to accept an order upon such terms, the Court shall have power to vest the insolvent's interest in the property in any person liable either personally or in a representative character, and either alone or jointly with the insolvent, to perform the lessee's covenants in such lease, freed and discharged from all estates, incumbrances and interests created therein by the insolvent.

(2) The Court may, if it thinks fit, modify the terms prescribed by the foregoing proviso so as to make a person in whose behalf the vesting order may be made subject only to the same liabilities and obligations as if the lease had been assigned to him at the date when the insolvency petition was filed, and (if the case so requires) as if the lease had comprised only the property comprised in the vesting order.

67. Any person injured by the operation of a

Persons injured by disclaimer under the fore- disclaimer may prove. going provisions shall be deemed to be a creditor of the insolvent to the amount of the injury, and may accordingly prove the same as a debt under the insolvency.

68. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Act,

Duty and powers of the official assignee shall, official assignee as to with all convenient speed, realization. realize the property of the insolvent, and for that purpose may—

(a) sell all or any part of the property of the insolvent;

(b) give receipts for any money received by him;

and may, by leave of the Court, do all or any of the following things, namely:—

(c) carry on the business of the insolvent so far as may be necessary for the beneficial winding up of the same;

(d) institute, defend or continue any suit or other legal proceeding relating to the property of the insolvent;

(e) employ a legal practitioner or other agent to take any proceedings or do any business which may be sanctioned by the Court;

(f) accept as the consideration for the sale of any property of the insolvent a sum of money payable at a future time

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or fully paid shares, debentures or debenture stock in any limited company subject to such stipulations as to security and otherwise as the Court thinks fit;

- (g) mortgage or pledge any part of the property of the insolvent for the purpose of raising money for the payment of his debts or for the purpose of carrying on the business;
- (h) refer any dispute to arbitration, and compromise all debts, claims and liabilities, on such terms as may be agreed upon;
- (i) divide in its existing form amongst the creditors, according to its estimated value, any property which, from its peculiar nature or other special circumstances, cannot readily or advantageously be sold.

(2) The official assignee shall account to the Court and pay over all monies and deal with all securities in such manner as is prescribed or as the Court directs.

Distribution of property.

69. (1) The official assignee shall, with all convenient speed, declare and distribute dividends amongst the creditors who have proved their debts.

(2) The first dividend (if any) shall be declared and be distributed within six months after the adjudication, unless the official assignee satisfies the Court that there is sufficient reason for postponing the declaration to a later date.

(3) Subsequent dividends shall, in the absence of sufficient reason to the contrary, be declared and be payable at intervals of not more than six months.

(4) Before declaring a dividend, the official assignee shall cause notice of his intention to do so to be published in the prescribed manner, and shall also send reasonable notice thereof to each creditor mentioned in the insolvent's schedule who has not proved his debt.

(5) When the official assignee has declared a dividend, he shall send to each creditor who has proved a notice showing the amount of the dividend, and when and how it is payable, and if required by any creditor a statement in the prescribed form as to the particulars of the estate.

70. Where one partner in a firm is adjudged insolvent, a creditor to whom the insolvent is indebted jointly with the other partners in the firm or any of them shall not receive any dividend out of the sepa-

rate property of the insolvent until all the separate creditors have received the full amount of their respective debts.

71. (1) In the calculation and distribution of dividends, the official assignee shall retain in his hands sufficient assets to meet—

- (a) debts provable in insolvency and appearing from the insolvent's statements or otherwise to be due to persons resident in places so distant that in the ordinary course of communication they have not had sufficient time to tender their proofs;
- (b) debts provable in insolvency the subject of claims not yet determined;
- (c) disputed proofs or claims; and
- (d) the expenses necessary for the administration of the estate or otherwise.

(2) Subject to the provisions of sub-section (1), all money in hand shall be distributed as dividends.

72. Any creditor who has not proved his debt before the declaration of any dividend or dividends shall be entitled to be paid out of any money for the time being in the hands of the official assignee any dividend or dividends which he may have failed to receive, before that money is applied to the payment of any future dividend or dividends, but he shall not be entitled to disturb the distribution of any dividend declared before his debt was proved by reason that he has not participated therein.

73. (1) When the official assignee has realized all the property of the insolvent, or so much thereof as can, in his opinion, be realized without needlessly protracting the proceedings in insolvency, he shall, with the leave of the Court, declare a final dividend; but, before so doing, he shall give notice in manner prescribed to the persons whose claims to be creditors have been notified to him but not proved that, if they do not prove their claims, to the satisfaction of the Court, within the time limited by the notice, he will proceed to make a final dividend without regard to their claims.

(2) After the expiration of the time so limited, or, if the Court on application by any such claimant grants him further time for establishing his claim, then on the expiration of that further time, the property of the insolvent shall be divided among the creditors who have proved their debts, without regard to the claims of any other persons.

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74. No suit for a dividend shall lie against the official assignee, but, where the official assignee refuses to pay any dividend, the Court may, on the application of the creditor who is aggrieved by such refusal, order him to pay it, and also to pay out of his own money interest thereon at such rate as may be prescribed for the time that it is withheld, and the costs of the application.

75. (1) Subject to such conditions and limitations as may be prescribed, the official assignee may appoint the insolvent himself to superintend the management of the property of the insolvent or of any part thereof, or to carry on the trade (if any) of the insolvent for the benefit of his creditors, and in any other respect to aid in administering the property in such manner and on such terms as the official assignee may direct.

(2) Subject as aforesaid, the Court may, from time to time, make such allowance as it thinks just to the insolvent out of his property, for the support of the insolvent and his family, or in consideration of his services, if he is engaged in winding up his estate, but any such allowance may at any time be varied or determined by the Court.

76. The insolvent shall be entitled to any surplus remaining after payment in full of his creditors, with interest, as provided by this Act and of the expenses of the proceedings taken thereunder.

PART IV.**OFFICIAL ASSIGNEES.**

77. (1) The Chief Justice of each of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay, and the Chief Judge of the Chief Court of Lower Burma, may from time to time appoint substantively or temporarily such person as he thinks fit to the office of official assignee of insolvents' estates for each of the said Courts respectively, and may, with the concurrence of a majority of the other Judges of the Court, remove the person for the time being holding that office for any cause appearing to the Court sufficient.

(2) Every official assignee shall give such security and shall be subject to such rules and shall act in such manner as may be prescribed.

(3) Notwithstanding anything in sub-section (1), the persons substantively or temporarily holding the office of official assignee immediately before the commencement of this Act in the Courts for the relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay respectively under the Indian

Insolvency Act, 1848, and in the Chief Court of Lower Burma under that Act as applied by the Lower Burma Courts Act, 1900, shall, without further appointment for that purpose, become the official assignees, substantive or temporary, as the case may be, under this Act in the High Courts at Fort William, Madras and Bombay and in the Chief Court of Lower Burma, respectively.

78. An official assignee may, for the purpose of administering oaths, administer affidavits verifying proofs, petitions or other proceedings under this Act, administer oaths.

79. (1) The duties of an official assignee shall have relation to the conduct of the insolvent as well as to the administration of his estate.

(2) In particular it shall be the duty of the official assignee—

- (a)** to investigate the conduct of the insolvent and to report to the Court upon any application for discharge, stating whether there is reason to believe that the insolvent has committed any act which constitutes an offence under this Act or under sections 421 to 424 of the Indian Penal Code in connection with his insolvency or which would justify the Court in refusing, suspending or qualifying an order for his discharge;
- (b)** to make such other reports concerning the conduct of the insolvent as the Court may direct or as may be prescribed; and
- (c)** to take such part and give such assistance in relation to the prosecution of any fraudulent insolvent as the Court may direct or as may be prescribed.

80. The official assignee shall, whenever required by any creditor so to do, and on payment by the creditor of the prescribed fee, furnish and send to the creditor by post a list of the creditors showing in the list the amount of the debt due to each of the creditors.

81. (1) Such remuneration shall be paid to the official assignee as may be prescribed.

(2) No remuneration whatever beyond that referred to in sub-section (1) shall be received by an official assignee as such.

82. The Court shall call the official assignee to account for any misfeasance, neglect or omission which may appear in his accounts or otherwise, and may require the official assignee to make

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good any loss which the estate of the insolvent may have sustained by reason of the misfeasance, neglect or omission.

83. The official assignee may sue and be sued by the name of "the Name under which to sue or be sued. official assignee of the property of , an insolvent," inserting the name of the insolvent, and by that name may hold property of every description, make contracts, enter into any engagements binding on himself and his successors in office, and do all other acts necessary or expedient to be done in the execution of his office.

84. If an order of adjudication is made against an official assignee, he shall Office vacated by insolvency. thereby vacate the office of official assignee.

85. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Act and to the directions of the Discretionary powers and control thereof. Court, the official assignee shall, in the administration of the property of the insolvent and in the distribution thereof amongst his creditors, have regard to any resolution that may be passed by the creditors at a meeting.

(2) The official assignee may, from time to time, summon meetings of the creditors for the purpose of ascertaining their wishes, and it shall be his duty to summon meetings at such times as the creditors, by resolution at any meeting, or the Court may direct, or whenever requested in writing to do so by one-fourth in value of the creditors who have proved.

(3) The official assignee may apply to the Court for directions in relation to any particular matter arising under the insolvency.

(4) Subject to the provisions of this Act, the official assignee shall use his own discretion in the management of the estate and its distribution among the creditors.

86. If the insolvent or any of the creditors or any other person, is Appeal to Court. aggrieved by any act or decision of the official assignee, he may appeal to the Court, and the Court may confirm, reverse or modify the act or decision complained of, and make such order as it thinks just.

87. (1) If any official assignee does not faithfully perform his duties and Control of Court. duly observe all the requirements imposed on him by any enactment, rules or otherwise, with respect to the performance of his duties, or if any complaint is made to the Court by any creditor in regard thereto, the Court shall enquire into the matter and take such action thereon as may be deemed expedient.

(2) The Court may at any time require any official assignee to answer any enquiry made by it in relation to any insolvency in which he is engaged, and may examine him or any other person on oath concerning the insolvency.

(3) The Court may also direct an investigation to be made of the books and vouchers of the official assignee.

PART V.

COMMITTEE OF INSPECTION.

88. The Court may, if it so thinks fit, authorize the creditors Committee of inspection. who have proved to appoint from among the creditors or holders of general proxies or general powers-of-attorney from such creditors, a committee of inspection for the purpose of superintending the administration of the insolvent's property by the official assignee :

Provided that a creditor who is appointed a member of a committee of inspection shall not be qualified to act until he has proved.

89. The committee shall have such powers of Control of committee of inspection over official assignee. control over the proceedings of the official assignee as may be prescribed.

PART VI.

PROCEDURE.

90. (1) In proceedings under this Act the Powers of the Court. Court shall have the like powers and follow the like procedure as it has and follows in the exercise of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction :

Provided that nothing in this sub-section shall in any way limit the jurisdiction conferred on the Court under this Act.

(2) Subject to the provisions of this Act and rules, the costs of and incidental to any proceeding in the Court shall be in the discretion of the Court.

(3) The Court may at any time adjourn any proceedings before it upon such terms, if any, as it thinks fit to impose.

(4) The Court may at any time amend any written process or proceeding under this Act upon such terms, if any, as it thinks fit to impose.

(5) Where by this Act or by rules the time for doing any act or thing is limited, the Court may extend the time either before or after the expiration thereof, upon such terms, if any, as the Court thinks fit to impose.

(6) Subject to rules, the Court may in any matter take the whole or any part of the evidence either *viva voce* or by interrogatories, or upon affidavit, or by commission.

(7) For the purpose of approving a composition or scheme by joint debtors the Court may, if it thinks fit, and on the report of the official assignee that it is expedient so to do, dispense with the public examination of one of the joint debtors if he is unavoidably prevented from

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attending the examination by illness or absence abroad.

(8) For the purposes of this Act the Chief Court of Lower Burma shall have all the powers to punish for contempt of Court which are possessed by the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay respectively.

91. Where two or more insolvency petitions are presented against the same debtor or against joint debtors, or where joint debtors file separate petitions, the Court may consolidate the proceedings or any of them on such terms as the Court thinks fit.

92. Where the petitioner does not proceed with due diligence on his petition, the Court may substitute as petitioner any other creditor to whom the debtor is indebted in the amount required by this Act in the case of a petitioning creditor.

93. If a debtor by or against whom an insolvency petition has been presented dies, the proceedings in the matter shall, unless the Court otherwise orders, be continued as if he were alive.

94. The Court may, at any time, for sufficient reason, make an order staying the proceedings under an insolvency petition, either altogether or for a limited time, on such terms and subject to such conditions as the Court thinks just.

95. Any creditor whose debt is sufficient to entitle him to present an insolvency petition against all the partners in a firm may present a petition against any one or more partners in the firm without including the others.

96. Where there are more respondents than one to a petition, the Court may dismiss the petition as to one or more of them without prejudice to the effect of the petition as against the other or others of them.

97. Where an order of adjudication has been made on an insolvency petition against or by one partner in a firm, any other insolvency petition against or by a partner in the same firm shall be presented in or transferred to the Court in which the first-mentioned petition is in course of prosecution; and such Court may give such directions for consolidating the proceedings under the petitions as it thinks just.

98. (1) Where a partner in a firm is adjudged insolvent, the Court may authorize the official assignee to continue or commence and carry on any suit or other proceeding in his name and that of the insolvent's partner; and any release

by the partner of the debt or demand to which the proceeding relates shall be void.

(2) Where application for authority to continue or commence any suit or other proceeding has been made under sub-section (1), notice of the application shall be given to the insolvent's partner and he may show cause against it, and on his application the Court may, if it thinks fit, direct that he shall receive his proper share of the proceeds of the proceeding, and if he does not claim any benefit therefrom he shall be indemnified against costs in respect thereof as the Court directs.

99. (1) Any two or more persons, being partners, or any person carrying on business under a partnership name, may take proceedings or be proceeded against under this Act in the name of the firm:

Provided that in that case the Court may, on application by any person interested, order the names of the persons who are partners in the firm, or the name of the person carrying on business under a partnership name, to be disclosed in such manner and verified on oath or otherwise, as the Court may direct.

(2) In the case of a firm in which one partner is an infant, an adjudication order may be made against the firm other than the infant partner.

100. (1) A warrant of arrest issued by the Warrants of Insol- Court may be executed in vency Courts. the same manner and subject to the same conditions as a warrant of arrest issued under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, may be executed.

(2) A warrant to seize any part of the property of an insolvent, issued by the Court under section 59, sub-section (1), shall be in the form prescribed, and sections 77 (2), 79, 82, 83, 84 and 102 of the said Code shall, so far as may be, apply to the execution of such warrant.

(3) A search-warrant issued by the Court under section 59, sub-section (2), may be executed in the same manner and subject to the same conditions as a search-warrant for property supposed to be stolen may be executed under the said Code.

PART VII.

LIMITATION.

101. The period of limitation for an appeal from any act or decision of the official assignee or from an order made by an officer of the Court empowered under section 6 shall be twenty days from the date of such act, decision or order, as the case may be.

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102. An undischarged insolvent obtaining credit to the extent of fifty rupees or upwards from any person without informing such person that he is an undischarged insolvent shall, on conviction by a Magistrate, be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine, or with both.

103. Any person adjudged insolvent who—

(a) fraudulently with the intent to conceal the state of his affairs or to defeat the objects of this Act,

(i) has destroyed or otherwise wilfully prevented or purposely withheld the production of any book, paper or writing relating to such of his affairs as are subject to investigation under this Act, or

(ii) has kept or caused to be kept false books, or

(iii) has made false entries in or withheld entries from, or wilfully altered or falsified, any book, paper or writing relating to such of his affairs as are subject to investigation under this Act, or

(b) fraudulently with intent to diminish the sum to be divided amongst his creditors or of giving an undue preference to any of the said creditors,

(c) has discharged or concealed any debt due to or from him, or

(d) has made away with, charged, mortgaged or concealed any part of his property of what kind soever,

shall on conviction be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two years.

104. (1) Where the official assignee reports to the Court that in his opinion an insolvent has been guilty of any offence under section 103,

or where the Court is satisfied upon the representation of any creditor that there is ground to believe that the insolvent has been guilty of any such offence, the Court may direct that a notice be served on the insolvent in the prescribed manner to show cause why a charge or charges should not be framed against him.

(2) The notice shall set forth the substance of the offence and any number of offences may be set forth in the same notice.

(3) At the hearing of such notice and of any charge framed in pursuance thereof the

Court shall, so far as may be, follow the procedure for the trial of warrant cases by Magistrates prescribed by Chapter XXI of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, and nothing in Chapter XXIII of the said Code relating to trials before High Courts and Courts of Session shall be applicable to such trial.

(4) Any number of offences under this Act may be charged at the same time.

105. Where an insolvent has been guilty of any of the offences specified in section 102 or section 103, he shall not be exempt from being proceeded against therefor by reason that he has obtained his discharge or that a composition or scheme of arrangement has been accepted or approved.

PART IX.**SMALL INSOLVENCIES.**

106. Where the Court is satisfied by affidavit or otherwise, or the official assignee reports to the Court, that the property of an insolvent is not likely to exceed in value three thousand rupees or such other less amount as may be prescribed, the Court may make an order that the insolvent's estate be administered in a summary manner, and thereupon the provisions of this Act shall be subject to the following modifications, namely:—

(a) no appeal shall lie from any order of the Court, except by leave of the Court;

(b) no examination of the insolvent shall be held except on the application of a creditor or the official assignee;

(c) the estate shall, where practicable, be distributed in a single dividend;

(d) such other modifications as may be prescribed with the view of saving expense and simplifying procedure;

Provided that nothing in this section shall permit the modification of the provisions of this Act relating to the discharge of the insolvent.

(2) The Court may at any time, if it thinks fit, revoke an order for the summary administration of an insolvent's estate.

PART X**SPECIAL PROVISIONS.**

107. No insolvency petition shall be presented against any corporation or against any association or company registered under any enactment for the time being in force.

Exemption of corporation, etc., from insolvency proceedings.

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108. (1) Any creditor of a deceased debtor in whose debt would have been sufficient to support an insolvency petition against the debtor, had he been alive, may present to the Court within the limits of whose ordinary original civil jurisdiction the debtor resided or carried on business for the greater part of the six months immediately prior to his decease, a petition in the prescribed form praying for an order for the administration of the estate of the deceased debtor under this Act.

(2) Upon the prescribed notice being given to the legal representative of the deceased debtor, the Court may, upon proof of the petitioner's debt, unless the Court is satisfied that there is a reasonable probability that the estate will be sufficient for the payment of the debts owing by the deceased, make an order for the administration in insolvency of the deceased debtor's estate, or may upon cause shown dismiss the petition with or without costs.

(3) A petition for administration under this section shall not be presented to the Court after proceedings have been commenced in any Court of justice for the administration of the deceased debtor's estate; but that Court may in that case, on proof that the estate is insufficient to pay its debts, transfer the proceedings to the Court exercising jurisdiction in insolvency under this Act, and thereupon the last-mentioned Court may make an order for the administration of the estate of the deceased debtor, and the like consequences shall ensue as under an administration order made on the petition of a creditor.

109. (1) Upon an order being made for the administration of a deceased debtor's estate under section 108, the property of the debtor shall vest in the official assignee of the Court, and he shall forthwith proceed to realize and distribute the same in accordance with the provisions of this Act.

(2) With the modification hereinafter mentioned, all the provisions of Part III, relating to the administration of the property of an insolvent, shall, so far as the same are applicable, apply to the case of such administration order in like manner as to an order of adjudication under this Act.

(3) In the administration of the property of the deceased debtor under an order of administration, the official assignee shall have regard to any claims by the legal representative of the deceased debtor to payment of the proper funeral and testamentary expenses incurred by him in and about the debtor's estate; and those claims shall be deemed a preferential debt under the order, and be payable in full, out of the debtor's estate, in priority to all other debts.

(4) If, on the administration of a deceased debtor's estate, any surplus remains in the hands of the official assignee after payment in full of all the debts due from the debtor, together with the costs of the administration and interest as provided by this Act in case of insolvency, such surplus shall be paid over to the legal representative of the deceased debtor's estate, or dealt with in such other manner as may be prescribed.

110. (1) After notice of the presentation of a petition under section 108 no payment or transfer of property made by the legal representative shall operate as a discharge to him as between himself and the official assignee.

(2) Save as aforesaid nothing in section 108 or section 109 or this section shall invalidate any payment made or act or thing done in good faith by the legal representative or by a District Judge acting under the powers conferred on him by section 64 of the Administrator General's Act, 1874, before the date of the order for administration.

111 The provisions of section 108, 109 and 110 shall not apply to any case in which probate or letters of administration to the estate of a deceased debtor have been granted to an Administrator General.

PART XI.**RULES.**

112. (1) The Courts having jurisdiction under this Act may from time to time make rules for carrying into effect the objects of this Act.

(2) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may provide for and regulate—

- (a) the fees and percentages to be charged under this Act and the manner in which the same are to be collected and accounted for and the account to which they are to be paid;
- (b) the investment, whether separately or collectively, of unclaimed dividends, balances and other sums appertaining to the estates of insolvent debtors whether adjudicated insolvent under this or any former enactment; and the application of the proceeds of such investment;
- (c) the proceedings of the official assignee in taking possession of and realizing the estates of insolvent debtors;
- (d) the remuneration of the official assignee;
- (e) the receipts, payments and accounts of the official assignee;
- (f) the audit of the accounts of the official assignee;

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- (g) the payment of the remuneration of the official assignee, of the costs, charges and expenses of his establishment, and of the costs of the audit of his accounts out of the proceeds of the investments in his hands;
- (h) the payment of the costs incurred in the prosecution of fraudulent debtors and in legal proceedings taken by the official assignee under the direction of the Court out of the proceeds aforesaid;
- (i) the payment of any civil liability incurred by an official assignee acting under the order or direction of the Court;
- (j) the proceedings to be taken in connection with proposals for composition and schemes of arrangement with the creditors of insolvent debtors;
- (k) the intervention of the official assignee at the hearing of applications and matters relating to insolvent debtors and their estates;
- (l) the examination by the official assignee of the books and papers of account of undischarged insolvent debtors;
- (m) the service of notices in proceedings under this Act;
- (n) the appointment, meetings and procedure of committees of inspection;
- (o) the conduct of proceedings under this Act in the name of a firm;
- (p) the forms to be used in proceedings under this Act;
- (q) the procedure to be followed in the case of estates to be administered in a summary manner;
- (r) the procedure to be followed in the case of estates of deceased persons to be administered under this Act.

113. Rules made under the provisions of this Part shall be subject, in the case of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, to the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, and, in the case of any other Court, of the Local Government.

114. Rules so made and sanctioned shall be published in the Gazette of India or in the local official Gazette, as the case may be, and shall thereupon have the same force and effect with regard to proceedings under this Act in the Court which made them as if they had been enacted in this Act.

115. (1) Every transfer, mortgage, assign^{ment}, power-of-attorney, duty of transfers, proxy paper, certificate, etc., under this Act, affidavit, bond or other proceedings, instrument or writing whatsoever before or under any order of the Court, and any copy thereof shall be exempt from payment of any stamp or other duty whatsoever.

(2) No stamp-duty or fee shall be chargeable for any application made by the official assignee to the Court under this Act, or for the drawing and issuing of any order made by the Court on such application.

116. (1) A copy of the official Gazette containing any notice inserted in pursuance of this Act shall be evidence of the facts stated in the notice.

(2) A copy of the official Gazette containing any notice of an order of adjudication shall be conclusive evidence of the order having been duly made, and of its date.

117. Any affidavit may be used in a Court having jurisdiction under this Act if it is sworn—

(a) in British India, before—

(i) any Court or Magistrate, or

(ii) any officer or other person appointed to administer oaths under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908; V of 1908

(b) in England, before any person authorized to administer oaths in His Majesty's High Court of Justice, or in the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster, or before any Registrar of a Bankruptcy Court, or before any officer of a Bankruptcy Court authorized in writing in that behalf by the Judge of the Court or before a Justice of the Peace for the county or place where it is sworn;

(c) in Scotland or in Ireland, before a Judge Ordinary, Magistrate or Justice of the Peace; and,

(d) in any other place, before a Magistrate or Justice of the Peace or other person qualified to administer oaths in that place (he being certified to be a Magistrate or Justice of the Peace, or qualified as aforesaid, by a British Minister or British Consul or British Political Agent or by a notary public).

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118. (1) No proceeding in insolvency shall be invalidated by any formal defect or by any irregularity unless the Court before which an objection is made to the proceeding is of opinion that substantial injustice has been caused by the defect or irregularity, and that the injustice cannot be remedied by any order of that Court.

(2) No defect or irregularity in the appointment of an official assignee or member of a committee of inspection shall vitiate any act done by him in good faith.

119. Where an insolvent is a trustee within the Indian Trustee Act, 1866, section 35 of that Act shall have effect so as to authorize the appointment of a new trustee in substitution for the insolvent (whether voluntarily resigning or not), if it appears expedient to do so, and all provisions of that Act, and of any other Act relative thereto, shall have effect accordingly.

120. Save as herein provided, the provisions of this Act relating to the remedies against the property of a debtor, the priorities of debts, the effect of a composition or scheme of arrangement, and the effect of a discharge shall bind the Crown.

121. Nothing in this Act, or in any transfer of jurisdiction effected thereby, shall take away or affect any right of audience that any person may have had immediately before the commencement of this Act, or shall be deemed to confer such right in insolvency matters on any person who had not a right of audience before the Courts for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors.

122. Where the official assignee has under his control any dividend which has remained unclaimed dividends, claimed for fifteen years from the date of declaration or such less period as may be prescribed, he shall pay the same to the account and credit of the Government of India, unless the Court otherwise directs.

123. Any person claiming to be entitled to any monies paid to the account and credit of the Government of India under section 122, may apply to the Court for an order for payment to him of the same; and the Court, if satisfied that the person claiming is entitled, shall make an order for payment to him of the sum due:

Provided that, before making an order for the payment of a sum which has been carried to the account and credit of the Government of India, the Court shall cause a notice to be served on such officer as the Governor General in Coun-

cil may appoint in this behalf, calling on the officer to show cause, within one month from the date of the service of the notice, why the order should not be made.

124. (1) No person shall, as against the official assignee, be entitled to withhold possession of the books of accounts belonging to the insolvent or to set up any lien thereon.

(2) Any creditor of the insolvent may, subject to the control of the Court, and on payment of such fee, if any, as may be prescribed, inspect at all reasonable times, personally or by agent, any such books in the possession of the official assignee.

125. Such fees and percentages shall be charged for and in respect of proceedings under this Act as may be prescribed.

126. All Courts having jurisdiction under this Act shall make such orders and do such things as may be necessary to give effect to section 118 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1883, and to section 50 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, 1907. 46 & Vict. III of

127. (1) The enactments mentioned in the third schedule are hereby repealed to the extent specified in the fourth column thereof.

(2) Notwithstanding the repeal effected by this Act, the proceedings under an insolvency petition under the Indian Insolvency Act, 1848, pending at the commencement of this Act shall, except so far as any provision of this Act is expressly applied to pending proceedings, continue, and all the provisions of the said Indian Insolvency Act shall, except as aforesaid, apply thereto, as if this Act had not been passed. 11 & c. 21.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

(See section 26.)

MEETINGS OF CREDITORS

1. The official assignee may at any time summon a meeting of creditors, and shall do so whenever so directed by the Court or by the creditors by resolution at any meeting or whenever requested in writing by one-fourth in value of the creditors who have proved.

2. Meetings shall be summoned by sending notice of the time and place thereof to each creditor at the address given in his proof, or, if he has not proved, at the address given in the insolvent's schedule, or such other address as may be known to the official assignee.

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3. The notice of any meeting shall be sent off not less than seven days before the day appointed for the meeting and may be delivered personally or sent by prepaid post letter, as may be convenient. The official assignee may, if he thinks fit, also publish the time and place of any meeting in any local newspaper or in the local official Gazette.

4. It shall be the duty of the insolvent to attend any meeting which the official assignee may, by notice, require him to attend, and any adjournment thereof. Such notice shall be either delivered to him personally or sent to him at his address by post at least three days before the date fixed for the meeting.

5. The proceedings held and resolutions passed at any meeting shall, unless the Court otherwise orders, be valid notwithstanding that any creditor has not received the notice sent to him.

6. A certificate of the official assignee that the notice of any meeting has been duly given, shall be sufficient evidence of such notice having been duly sent to the person to whom the same was addressed.

7. Where on the request of creditors the official assignee summons a meeting, there shall be deposited with the written request the sum of five rupees for every twenty creditors for the costs of summoning the meeting, including all disbursements: Provided that the official assignee may require such further sum to be deposited as in his opinion shall be sufficient to cover the costs and expenses of the meeting.

8. The official assignee shall be the chairman of any meeting.

9. A creditor shall not be entitled to vote at a meeting unless he has duly proved a debt provable in insolvency to be due to him from the insolvent, and the proof has been duly lodged one clear day before the time appointed for the meeting.

10. A creditor shall not vote at any such meeting in respect of certain debts, any unliquidated or contingent debt, or any debt the value of which is not ascertained.

11. For the purpose of voting, a secured creditor shall, unless he surrenders his security, state in his proof the particulars of his security, the date when it was given, and the value at which he assesses it, and shall be entitled to vote only in respect of the balance, if any, due

to him after deducting the value of his security. If he votes in respect of his whole debt, he shall be deemed to have surrendered his security, unless the Court on application is satisfied that the omission to value the security has arisen from inadvertence.

12. Where a creditor seeks to prove in respect of a bill of exchange, promissory note, or other negotiable instrument or security on which the insolvent is liable, such bill of exchange, note, instrument or security must, subject to any special order of the Court made to the contrary, be produced to the official assignee before the proof can be admitted for voting.

13. It shall be competent to the official assignee, within twenty-eight days after a proof of a security has been made use of in voting at any meeting, to require the creditor to give up the security for the benefit of the creditors generally, on payment of the value so estimated.

14. If one partner in a firm is adjudged insolvent, any creditor to whom that partner is indebted jointly with the other partners in the firm, or any of them, may prove his debt for the purpose of voting at any meeting of creditors and shall be entitled to vote thereat.

15. The official assignee shall have power to admit or reject a proof for the purpose of voting, but his decision shall be subject to appeal to the Court. If he is in doubt whether the proof of a creditor should be admitted or rejected, he shall mark the proof as objected to, and shall allow the creditor to vote, subject to the vote being declared invalid in the event of the objection being sustained.

16. A creditor may vote either in person or by proxy.

17. Every instrument of proxy shall be in the prescribed form and shall be issued by the official assignee.

18. A creditor may give a general proxy to his attorney or to his manager or clerk, or any other person in his regular employment. In such case the instrument of proxy shall state the relation in which the person to act thereunder stands to the creditor.

19. A proxy shall not be used unless it is deposited with the official assignee one clear day before the time appointed for the meeting at which it is to be used.

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20. A creditor may appoint the official assignee as assignee to act as his proxy.

21. The official assignee may adjourn the Adjournment of meeting from time to time and from place to place, and no notice of the adjournment shall be necessary.

22. The official assignee shall draw up a Minute of proceedings. a minute of the proceedings at the meeting and shall sign the same.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

(See section 48.)

PROOF OF DEBTS.*

Proofs in ordinary cases.

1. Every creditor shall lodge the proof of his Time for lodging debt as soon as may be after the making of an order of proof. adjudication.

2. A proof may be lodged by delivering or Mode of lodging sending by post in a registered letter to the official assignee an affidavit verifying the debt.

3. The affidavit may be made by the creditor Authority to make himself or by some person authorized by or on behalf of the creditor. If made by a person so authorized, it shall state his authority and means of knowledge.

4. The affidavit shall contain or refer to a Contents of affidavit. statement of account showing the particulars of the debt, and shall specify the vouchers, if any, by which the same can be substantiated. The official assignee may at any time call for the production of the vouchers.

5. The affidavit shall state whether the creditor Affidavit to state if creditor is or is not a secured creditor holds security. creditor.

6. A creditor shall bear the cost of proving Cost of proving his debt unless the Court otherwise specially orders. debts.

7. Every creditor who has lodged a proof Right to see and examine proof. shall be entitled to see and examine the proofs of other creditors at all reasonable times.

8. A creditor in lodging his proofs shall Deduction to be made from proof. deduct from his debt all trade discounts, but he shall not be compelled to deduct any discount, not exceeding five per centum on the net amount of his claim, which he may have agreed to allow for payment in cash.

Proof by secured creditors.

9. If a secured creditor realizes his security, Proof where security he may prove for the realized. balance due to him, after deducting the net amount realized.

10. If a secured creditor surrenders his security to the official assignee for the general benefit of the creditors, he may prove for his whole debt.

11. If a secured creditor does not either realize or surrender his security, he shall, before ranking for dividend, state in his proof the particulars of his security, the date when it was given and the value at which he assesses it, and shall be entitled to receive a dividend only in respect of the balance due to him after deducting the value so assessed.

12. (1) Where a security is so valued the official assignee may at any time redeem it on payment to the creditor of the assessed value.

(2) If the official assignee is dissatisfied with the value at which a security is assessed, he may require that the property comprised in any security so valued be offered for sale at such times and on such terms and conditions as may be agreed on between the creditor and the official assignee, or as, in default of agreement, the Court may direct. If the sale is by public auction, the creditor, or the official assignee on behalf of the estate, may bid or purchase :

Provided that the creditor may at any time, by notice in writing, require the official assignee to elect whether he will or will not exercise his power of redeeming the security or requiring it to be realized, and if the official assignee does not, within six months after receiving the notice, signify in writing to the creditor his election to exercise the power, he shall not be entitled to exercise it; and the equity of redemption, or any other interest in the property comprised in the security which is vested in the official assignee, shall vest in the creditor, and the amount of his debt shall be reduced by the amount at which the security has been valued.

13. Where a creditor has so valued his security, he may at any time amend the valuation and proof on showing to the satisfaction of the official assignee, or the Court, that the valuation and proof were made *bond fide* on a mistaken estimate, or that the security has diminished or increased in value since its previous valuation; but every such amendment shall be made at the cost of the creditor, and upon such terms as the Court shall order, unless the official assignee shall allow the amendment without application to the Court.

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(*The Second Schedule.—Proof of Debts.*)

14. Where a valuation has been amended in accordance with the foregoing rule, the creditor shall forthwith repay any surplus dividend which he has received in excess of that to which he would have been entitled on the amended valuation, or, as the case may be, shall be entitled to be paid out of any money for the time being available for dividend any dividend or share of dividend which he has failed to receive by reason of the inaccuracy of the original valuation, before that money is made applicable to the payment of any future dividend, but he shall not be entitled to disturb the distribution of any dividend declared before the date of the amendment.

15. If a creditor after having valued his security subsequently realizes it, or if it is realized under the provisions of rule 12, the net amount realized shall be substituted for the amount of any valuation previously made by the creditor and shall be treated in all respects as an amended valuation made by the creditor.

16. If a secured creditor does not comply with the foregoing rules, he shall be excluded from all share in any dividend.

17. Subject to the provisions of rule 12, a creditor shall in no case receive more than sixteen annas in the rupee and interest as provided by this Act.

Taking Accounts of Property Mortgaged, and of the Sale thereof.

18. Upon application by any person claiming to be a mortgagee of any part of the insolvent's real or leasehold estate and whether such mortgage is by deed or otherwise, and whether the same is of a legal or equitable nature, or upon application by the official assignee with the consent of such person claiming to be a mortgagee as aforesaid, the Court shall proceed to inquire whether such person is such mortgagee, and for what consideration and under what circumstances; and if it is found that such person is such mortgagee, and if no sufficient objection appears to the title of such person to the sum claimed by him under such mortgage, the Court shall direct such accounts and inquiries to be taken as may be necessary for ascertaining the principal, interest and costs due upon such mortgage, and of the rents and profits, or dividends, interest or other proceeds received by such person, or by any other person by his order or for his use in case he has been in possession of the property over which the mortgage extends, or any part thereof, and the Court, if satisfied

that there ought to be a sale, shall direct notice to be given in such newspapers as the Court thinks fit, when and where, and by whom and in what way, the said premises or property, or the interest therein so mortgaged, are to be sold, and that such sale be made accordingly, and that the official assignee (unless it is otherwise ordered) shall have the conduct of such sale; but it shall not be imperative on any such mortgagee to make such application. At any such sale the mortgagee may bid and purchase.

19. All proper parties shall join in the conveyance to the purchaser, as the Court directs.

20. The monies to arise from such sale shall be applied, in the first place, in payment of the costs, charges and expenses of and occasioned by the application to the Court, and of such sale and the commission (if any) of the official assignee, and in the next place in payment and satisfaction, so far as the same extend, of what shall be found due to such mortgagee, for principal, interest and costs, and the surplus of the sale moneys (if any) shall then be paid to the official assignee. But if the moneys to arise from such sale are insufficient to pay and satisfy what is so found due to such mortgagee, then he shall be entitled to prove as a creditor for such deficiency, and receive dividends thereon rateably with the other creditors, but so as not to disturb any dividend then already declared.

21. For the better taking of such inquiries and accounts, and making proceedings on inquiry, all parties may be examined by the Court upon interrogatories or otherwise as the Court thinks fit, and shall produce before the Court upon oath all deeds, papers, books and writings in their respective custody or power relating to the estate or effects of the insolvent as the Court directs.

Periodical payments.

22. When any rent or other payment falls due at stated periods, and the order of adjudication is made at any time other than one of those periods, the person entitled to the rent or payment may prove for a proportionate part thereof up to the date of the order as if the rent or payment grew due from day to day.

Interest.

23. (1) On any debt or sum certain whereon interest is not reserved or agreed for, and which is overdue when the debtor is adjudged an insolvent, and which is provable under this Act, the

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• (*The Second Schedule.—Proof of Debts. Third Schedule.—Enactments repealed.*)

creditor may prove for interest at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum—

(a) if the debt or sum is payable by virtue of a written instrument at a certain time, from the time when such debt or sum was payable to the date of such adjudication ; or,

(b) if the debt or sum is payable otherwise, from the time when a demand in writing has been made giving the debtor notice that interest will be claimed from the date of the demand until the time of payment to the date of such adjudication.

(2) Where a debt which has been proved in insolvency includes interest or any pecuniary consideration in lieu of interest, the interest or consideration shall, for the purposes of dividend, be calculated at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, without prejudice to the right of a creditor to receive out of the debtor's estate any higher rate of interest to which he may be entitled after all the debts proved have been paid in full.

Debt payable at a future time.

* 24. A creditor may prove for a debt not payable when the debtor is adjudged an insolvent as if it were payable presently, and may receive dividends equally with the other creditors, deducting therefrom only a rebate of interest at the rate of six per centum per annum computed from the declaration of a dividend to the time when the debt would have become payable, according to the terms on which it was contracted.

Admission or rejection of proofs.

25. The official assignee shall examine every Admission or rejection of proof. proof and the grounds of the debt, and in writing admit or reject it in whole or in part, or require further evidence in support of it. If he rejects a proof, he shall state in writing to the creditor the grounds of the rejection.

26. If the official assignee thinks that a proof Court may expunge has been improperly admitted, the Court may, on proof improperly received. the application of the official assignee, after notice to the creditor who made the proof, expunge the proof or reduce its amount.

27. The Court may also expunge or reduce a Power for Court to proof upon the application expunge or reduce of a creditor if the official assignee declines to interfere in the matter, or in the case of a composition or scheme upon the application of the insolvent.

THE THIRD SCHEDULE.

(See section 127.)

ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

Year.	No.	Short title.	Extent of repeal.
<i>I.—Statute.</i>			
1848	11 & 12 Vict., c. 21.	The Indian Insolvency Act, 1848.	So much as has not been repealed.
<i>II—Acts of the Governor General in Council.</i>			
1841	XXVII	The Insolvent Estates (Unclaimed Dividends) Act, 1841.	So much as has not been repealed.
1898	X	The Indian Insolvency Rules Act, 1898.	Sections 2 and 3.
1900	VI	The Lower Burma Courts Act.	Section 8, sub-section (1), clause (d), and sub-section (2); and in section 17, in sub-section (1) the words "an official assignee", and in sub-sections (4) and (4) the words "official assignee."
1908	V	The Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.	Section 120, sub-section (2).

J. M. MACPHERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART VI.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making
Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 23.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 12th March 1909:—

NO. 2 OF 1909.

A Bill to amend certain enactments relating to the Army.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend certain enactments relating to the Army in manner hereinafter appearing; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. This Act may be called the Amending (Army) Act, 1909.

Short title.

2. The enactments specified in the Schedule are hereby amended to the extent and in the manner mentioned in the fourth column thereof.

Amendment of enactments in Schedule.

THE SCHEDULE.

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Year	No.	Short title.	Amendments.
<i>Acts of the Governor General in Council.</i>			
1869	XX	The Indian Volunteers' Act, 1869.	After section 7 insert the following:— "7-A. (1) The Commanding Officer of a Volunteer Corps may strike

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Year.	No.	Short title.	Amendments.
<i>Acts of the Governor General in Council—</i> contd.			
1869	X	The Indian Volunteers' Act, 1869—contd.	off the rolls any volunteer, not being an officer, of the Corps under his command, who has been absent without leave for not less than six months, or has quitted the Corps otherwise than in accordance with section 13, or has been classed as non-efficient for two consecutive years. (2) Every volunteer so struck off the rolls shall be deemed to have been removed from the Corps."
1877	XI	The Military Lunatics Act, 1877.	In section 15, insert the words "removal or" before the words "dismissal therefrom". For section 3 substitute the following:— "3. Whenever a European officer, warrant officer, non-commissioned officer, soldier or other person subject to the provisions of the Army Act has been declared a lunatic in accordance with the provisions of the military regulation in force for the time being, and it appears to any administrative medical officer that it is inexpedient that he should be removed to England or

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Year.	No.	Short title.	Amendments.	Year.	No.	Short title.	Amendments.
<i>Acts of the Governor General in Council—contd.</i>				<i>Acts of the Governor General in Council— concl.</i>			
1877	XI— <i>contd.</i>	The Military Lunatics Act, 1877— <i>contd.</i>	<p>that he should be detained in military custody until he can be conveniently sent to England, such administrative medical officer may, if he thinks fit, make an order under his hand for the reception of the said lunatic into any lunatic asylum which has been duly authorized for the purpose by the Governor General in Council ;</p> <p>and the officer in charge of such asylum shall receive the lunatic into the asylum and detain him therein until he is discharged therefrom, in accordance with the military regulations in force for the time being or until such administrative medical officer applies for his transfer to the military authorities in view to his removal to England."</p> <p>In section 7, for the words "general officer commanding the district or force" substitute the words "general or other officer commanding the division, district, brigade or force," and omit the word "other" before the words "officer authorized".</p>	1902	II— <i>contd.</i>	The Cantonments (House Accommodation) Act, 1902— <i>contd.</i>	<p>In section 11, clause (d), for the words "General Officer of the Command" substitute the words "Officer Commanding the Division."</p> <p>In section 15, sub-section (i), for the word "District" substitute the word "Division."</p> <p>In section 35, sub-section (i), for the words "General Officer of the Command" substitute the words "Officer Commanding the Division."</p> <p>In section 36, sub-sections (2) and (3), for the words "General Officer of the Command", wherever they occur, substitute the words "Officer Commanding the Division."</p> <p>In section 37, for the words "General Officer of the Command" substitute the words "Officer Commanding the Division."</p> <p>In section 39, sub-sections (2), (3) and (4), for the word "District" substitute the word "Division."</p>
1889	XIII	The Cantonments Act, 1889.	<p>In section 13, for the words "European soldier, or to or for the use of any European or Eurasian being a follower or a soldier's wife" substitute the words "soldier, or follower, or soldier's wife".</p> <p>In section 15, sub-section (i), after the words "police-officer," insert the words "or excise-officer".</p>	1903	VII	The Indian Works of Defence Act, 1903.	<p>In section 2, for clauses (c) and (d) substitute the following :—</p> <p>"(c) the expression 'Division' means one of the Divisions into which the Army in India is, for the time being, divided, and includes the Bannu, Derajat and Kohat Independent Brigades ;</p> <p>(d) the expression 'General Officer Commanding the Division' means the General Officer Commanding a Division, and includes the General Officers Commanding the Bannu, Derajat and Kohat Brigades."</p> <p>In section 7—</p> <p>(i) in clause (a), sub-clauses (i) and (iv), and clause (b), sub-clauses (i) and (ii), for the words "General Officer of the Command" substitute the words "General Officer Commanding the Division";</p> <p>(2) in clause (a), sub-clause (ii), and clause (b), sub-clause (i), for the word "District" substitute the words "Division, District or Brigade."</p>
1902	II	The Cantonments (House Accommodation) Act, 1902.	<p>In section 2, sub-section (i), for clauses (b) and (c) substitute the following :—</p> <p>"(b) 'Division' means one of the Divisions into which the Army in India is, for the time being, divided, and includes the Bannu, Derajat and Kohat Independent Brigades ;</p> <p>(c) 'Officer Commanding the Division' means the Officer Commanding a Division, and includes the Officers Commanding the Bannu, Derajat and Kohat Brigades";</p> <p>in clause (e), for the words "General Officer of the Command" substitute the words "Officer Commanding the Division."</p> <p>In section 10, sub-section (i), for the words "General Officer of the Command" substitute the words "Officer Commanding the Division."</p>				

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE principal object of this Bill is to effect certain amendments in the Military Lunatics Act, 1877, the Cantonments (House Accommodation) Act, 1902, and the Indian Works of Defence Act, 1903, which are necessitated by the abolition of Commands and the reorganization of the Army in India.

The opportunity is also taken to remedy certain other defects in the Military Lunatics Act, 1877. All Administrative Medical Officers are now given power by section 3 to make an order for the reception of a military lunatic into any asylum (duly authorized by the Governor General in Council,) or to apply for his transfer to the military authorities with a view to his removal to England.

In section 7 the word "other" before the words "officer authorized" is meaningless and has been omitted.

It has been found that the names of volunteers remain on the rolls of their corps after they have become ineffective from various causes, as the Commanding Officer has not the power to remove the name of a man from the rolls of the Corps in such circumstances.

The opportunity is taken of remedying this defect in the Act.

It is considered desirable, for the purpose of admitting of better control over the sale or supply of spirituous liquors or intoxicating drugs to Native troops and followers in cantonments or within such limits around a cantonment as the Local Government may prescribe by notification in the official Gazette, that section 13 of the Cantonments Act, 1889, should be made applicable to Native troops and followers, so as to provide for the infliction of penalties in cases where a person sells such liquors or drugs to the said Native troops or followers, without having first obtained the necessary permission from the Commanding Officer of the cantonment or from some person authorized by the Commanding Officer to grant such permission.

With the object of facilitating the apprehension of offenders who sell liquor to soldiers or their families or to followers contrary to law, it is considered desirable to expand the provisions of section 15 of the Cantonments Act, 1889, so as to empower excise-officers to take action under that section, that is to say, to arrest without an order from a Magistrate, and without a warrant, any person committing an offence under sections 13 and 14.

KITCHENER,
General.

The 11th March 1909.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.



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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

CALCUTTA, the 13th March 1909.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

BAY OF BENGAL.—BURMA COAST.

Krishna shoal light-vessel—Temporarily relieved.

No. 119 (first publication)—

Subject.—On or about the 25th March 1909 the present light-vessel on Krishna shoal will be temporarily relieved by *Martaban* as undermentioned.

Position.—Lat. $15^{\circ} 37\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $95^{\circ} 36\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Character.—White flashing of five seconds' duration, eclipse forty seconds.

Chart affected.—No. 823, Koronge island to white point.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, No. 366.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, page 345.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Burma, Telegram dated 12th March 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL.—COCO ISLANDS.

Table island light—Discontinuance of; Provisional light exhibited.

No. 120 (first publication)—

Subject.—On or about the 20th of May 1909, Table island light (white fixed) will be discontinued for the purpose of installing a white double flashing second order light. The character of the new light, when exhibited, will be two flashes every 10 seconds. During the period of alteration of the existing light, 20th May to 9th June 1909, a temporary light of the undermentioned description will be exhibited from the lantern of the light-house. A blue flare will also be shown from the balcony of the light-house every half hour during the above period.

*Position (approximate).—*Lat. 14° 11' N., long. 93° 21' E.

*Character.—*White fixed.

*Power.—*1,300 candles.

*Charts affected.—*No. 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang, etc.

„ 825, Andaman islands.

„ 3103, North Andaman islands, with adjacent channels.

*Publications.—*List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, No. 384.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 334.

*Authority.—*Principal Port Officer, Burma, Notice dated 15th February 1909.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Dusky sound—Rock.

*No. 121 (first publication).—*The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 236 of 1909), are republished :—

*Subject.—*A rock exists in Dusky sound.

*Positions.—*South-west extreme of Parrot island, bearing N. 71° W., distant 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ cables, and the eastern extreme of Pigeon island, N. 23° E.

Lat. 45° 43 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' S., long. 166° 33 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' E.

*Depth.—*Dries at low water.

*Remarks.—*The rock appears to be a continuation of the reef extending from the islet situated 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ cables to the south-westward of it.

*Variation.—*18° E.

*Charts affected.—*No. 719, Dusky and Breaksea sounds.

„ 2589, Foveaux strait to River Awarua.

*Publication.—*New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 300.

*Authority.—*H. M. S. *Pioneer*, Hydrographical Note No. 4 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Drinkwater point light-vessel—Temporarily replaced.

*No. 122 (first publication).—*The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 237 of 1909), are republished :—

*Subject.—*On or about the 2nd January 1909, Drinkwater point light-vessel would be temporarily replaced by a reserve light-vessel, as undermentioned.

*Position.—*Lat. 31° 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' N., long. 121° 50 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' E.

*Character of lights.—*Two fixed white lights, placed vertically, 15 feet apart, from each yardarm of yard on mainmast.

*Elevation.—*Upper lights, 50 feet.

*Visibility.—*10 miles.

*Description of Vessel.—*Steam lighter *Wai Tung*, painted a dark colour, black funnel, one derrick and two masts. Black ball on mainmast.

*Fog signal.—*A gong sounded at intervals of one minute.

*Remarks.—*A white riding light is carried on the forestay.

Should the light-vessel be driven from the station, the usual lights will not be exhibited, but a small red light will be shown at each end of the vessel; also, the ball will be struck as soon as possible, and until struck will be surmounted by a red flag.

*Caution.—*It may possibly happen that one or both of the vertical lights on one yardarm may be obscured by the masts or funnel of the light-vessel to a vessel that is approaching her.

*Charts temporarily affected.—*No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 1199, Kueshan islands to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.

*Publications.—*List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 813.

China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1904, page 402; Supplement, 1907.

*Authority.—*Shanghai Notice (Special) No. 325 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—INNER ROUTE.

Frankland islands and Great Barrier reef—Shoals near.

No. 123 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 240 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—Shoals of the undermentioned description exist near the Frankland islands and the Great Barrier reef.

(a) *Position.*—Situated at a distance of about 3 cables off the western side of the reef joining Russell and Normandy islands.

Lat. $17^{\circ} 13' 36''$ S., long. $146^{\circ} 5' 20''$ E., on chart No. 2350.

Depth.—3 fathoms, coral.

(b) *Position.*—Lat. $16^{\circ} 49' 23''$ S., long. $146^{\circ} 21' 52''$ E., on chart No. 2350.

Depth.— $2\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Remarks.—This coral bank extends N. 15° W. for a distance of $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles from the above position with a breadth of $2\frac{1}{2}$ cables, having depths of $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 6 fathoms over it.

(c) *Position.*—Lat. $16^{\circ} 42' 58''$ S., long. $146^{\circ} 16' 52''$ E., on chart No. 2350.

Depth.— $4\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms, coral.

Variation.— 6° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2350, Double point to Cape Grafton.

„ 2763, Coral sea, etc., sheet I.

„ 2764, Coral sea, etc., sheet II.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, pages 334 and 382.

Authority.—H.M. Surveying Ship *Fantome*, Hydrographical Note No. 3 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MINDANAO, NORTH COAST.

Polo point light—Alterations in.

No. 124 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 250 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The fixed light shown from the lighthouse on Polo point, North coast of Mindanao, has been altered as undermentioned:—

Position.—Lat. $8^{\circ} 36'$ N., long. $123^{\circ} 45'$ E.

Alterations. (a) Colour altered from white to red.

(b) Visibility decreased to 9 miles.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Sulu or Mindoro sea, eastern part.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 608.

Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 319; Supplement, 1906.

Notice to Mariners, No. 1542 of 1908. (*This office No. 430 of 6th November 1908.*)

Authority.—United States Hydrographic Office, Notice No. 169 of 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, EAST COAST.

Kanimo island light—Character altered.

No. 125 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 251 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The fixed red light exhibited from Kanimo island, east coast of Luzon, has been replaced by a light of the undermentioned character:—

Position.—Lat. $14^{\circ} 6'$ N., long. $123^{\circ} 1'$ E., on Chart No. 2577.

Character.—Occulting white light every ten seconds, thus:—

<u>Light</u>	<u>eclipse,</u>
7 secs.	3 secs.

Visibility.—15 miles.

Order.—6th.

Remarks.—The elevation of the light is presumably unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, San Bernardino strait to Mindoro strait.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 689.

Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 375.

Notices to Mariners, No. 835 of 1907 and 1545 of 1908. (*This office*
Nos. 340 of 1907 and 433 of 1908).

Authority.—United States, Hydrographic Office, Notice No. 172 of 1909.

NEW ZEALAND.—SOUTH ISLAND—PEGASUS BAY.

Waimakariri harbour—Lights established.

No. 126 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 261 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—On the 5th January 1909, the undermentioned lights would be established at Waimakariri harbour, Pegasus bay.

(a) Occasional light:

Position.—On north bank of river entrance.

Lat. 43° 25' S., long. 172° 43½' E.

Character.—Fixed white.

Visibility.—5 miles.

Structure.—Flagstaff.

Remarks.—This light is shown when vessels are expected or are leaving the river.

(b) Leading lights:

Position.—Near river entrance.

Character.—Front light, *fixed red.*

Rear light, *fixed white.*

Structure.—Front light, beacon 15 feet in height.

Rear light, beacon 20 feet in height.

Remarks.—These beacons or lights in line, bearing S. 66° W., lead over the bar in the best water. They will be moved as necessary to meet the changes in the channel.

Caution.—During the last few years the river has worked to the southward, so that the Admiralty chart does not show any opening at the present entrance. It is liable to shift either to the north or south with any freshet.

Variation.—17° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2529, Cape Campbell to Banks peninsula.

„ 3629, Hokitika to Otago harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 341.

New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 235.

Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 102 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—PANAY, EAST COAST.

Apiton strait—Shoal.

No. 127 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 268 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal exists in Apiton strait, east coast of Panay.

Position.—In mid-channel of northern entrance to strait, at a distance of about one mile to the eastward of Bakahan bluff.

Lat. 11° 10½' N., long. 123° 7½' E., on chart No. 2578.

Depth.— $3\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of Sulu or Mindoro sea.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 266.

Authority.—Manila Notice No. 7 of 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL.

HUGHLI RIVER.

Saugor island light—Alteration in character.

No. 128 (first publication)—

Subject.—From the 13th March 1909, the existing light shown from the Saugor island light-house will be replaced by a new light of the undermentioned description:—

Position.—Lat. $21^{\circ} 39' N.$; long. $88^{\circ} 2' E.$

Character.—White flashing of about $\frac{1}{4}$ second's duration every 3 seconds.

Power.—32,000 candles.

Visibility.—15 miles.

Charts affected.—No. 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.

„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 814, The Sandheads.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, No. 352.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 225.

Authority.—Port Commissioners, Calcutta, River Notices Nos. 335 and 358 of 1909.

The 4th March 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches light-vessel—Replaced in position.

No. 109 (second publication),—

Subject.—The South Patches light-vessel has been replaced in position.

Position.—Lat. $21^{\circ} 29' N.$, long. $91^{\circ} 36' E.$

Character.—Fixed white.

Visibility.—11 miles.

Charts affected.—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 829, Coconada to Bassein river.

„ 859, Mutlah river to Elephant point.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, No. 360a, page 63.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 250.

Notice to Mariners No. 457 of 13th November 1908.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, telegram dated 3rd March 1909.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—INNER ROUTE.

Frankland islands—Non-existence of rock north-westward of—.

No. 110 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 186 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—An exhaustive search having been made for the 4-fathom rock, shown on the charts to the north-westward of the Frankland islands, without any trace of its existence being discovered, it has been expunged from the chart.

Position on Charts.—At a distance of about $8\frac{1}{2}$ cables, N. $68^{\circ} W.$, from the summit of High island.

Lat. $17^{\circ} 9' 10'' S.$, long. $146^{\circ} 0' 20'' E.$, on chart No. 2350.

Variation—6° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2350, Double point to Cape Grafton.

„ 2763, Coral sea and Great Barrier reef, sheet I.

„ 2764, „ „ „ „ II.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, page 334.

Authority.—H.M. Surveying Vessel *Fantome*, 5th December 1908.

KOREA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—MASANPHO APPROACH.

Douglas inlet—Rock.

No. 111 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 195 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A pinnacle rock exists in Douglas inlet, Masanpho approach.

Position.—Summit of Tai pong island (283 feet) bearing N. 68° W., distant 5 $\frac{1}{8}$ cables, and Neuk Do Δ N. 16° E.

Lat. 35° 0 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' N., long. 128° 45 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' E.

Depth.—About 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1065, Masanpho harbour and approaches.

„ 3866, Fusan harbour to Port Hamilton.

„ 104, Korean archipelago, S. portion.

„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Nipon.

„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.

Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, pages 111, 116.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1283 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO.

Surabaya strait, northern entrance—Position of Pilot-vessel altered.

No. 112 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 198 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The position of the Pilot-vessel in the northern entrance to Surabaya strait has been altered, and is now as given below.

New position.—Moved about 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ cables, in a N. 17° E. direction, and now situated at a distance of 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ miles, N. 17° E., from Cape Piring lighthouse.

Lat. 6° 51 $\frac{3}{4}$ ' S., long. 112° 44 $\frac{3}{4}$ ' E.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 934, Plan of Surabaya strait.

„ 1654, Island of Java.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 123.

Notice to Mariners, No. 1489 of 1908. (*This Office No. 418 of 17th October 1908.*)

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 121 of 1909.

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA).

Shimonoseki kaikyo, eastern approach—Wreck removed.

No. 113 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 199 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The wreck of the sailing vessel, sunk in the eastern approach to Shimonoseki strait, has been removed.

Position.—About 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles to the south-eastward of He saki lighthouse.

Lat. 33° 56' N., long. 131° 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ ' E.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3225, Shimonoseki kaikyo to Maruyama saki.
2875, Naikai.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 497.

Notice to Mariners, No. 94 of 1909. (*This office No. 85 of 15th February 1909.*)

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 1285 of 1908.

CHINA SEA.

Banka island, north and north-east coasts—Intended light buoys.

No. 114 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 201 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoys on the north and north-east coasts of Banka island will be replaced by light buoys; and a light buoy will be established as given below:—

1. Buoys to be replaced by light buoys:

(a) Black can buoy:

Position.—On western side of Penyusu island, Klabat bay.

Lat. 1° 32' S., long. 105° 40½' E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Light buoy, painted black, exhibiting an *occulting white light every twenty seconds*, thus:—

<u>Light.</u>	<u>eclipse.</u>
10 sec.	10 sec.

(b) Black can buoy with truncated cone topmark:

Position.—On south-west side of Sullivan rocks.

Lat. 2° 1½' S., long. 106° 16½' E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Light buoy, painted white, exhibiting an *occulting white light with period similar to (a)*.

(c) Black can buoy:

Position.—North side of reef in approach to Koba.

Lat. 2° 26½' S., long. 106° 25½' E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Light buoy, painted black, exhibiting an *occulting white light with period similar to (a)*.

2. Light buoy to be established:

Position.—On eastern side of Malan Tate (Fokke reef).

Lat. 1° 55½' S., long. 106° 14½' E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Light buoy, painted white, exhibiting an *occulting white light with period similar to (a)*.

Charts affected.—No. 2597, Banka strait.

„ 2757, Banka strait to Singapore (1) (a).

„ 2149, Gaspar and Banka straits.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1906, pages 493, 494, 529, 532.

Notice to Mariners No. 1198 of 1908. (*This office No. 358 of 26th August 1908.*)

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 120 of 1909.

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Tungsha light-vessel—Replaced on Station.

*No. 115 (second publication).—*The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 202 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—The Tungsha light-vessel, which had been temporarily removed for repairs, has been replaced on her station, and the temporary light-vessel has been withdrawn.

Position.—Lat. $31^{\circ} 8' N$, long. $121^{\circ} 59\frac{1}{2}' E$.

Remarks.—The characteristics of this light-vessel are as described in the Admiralty List of Lights.

Charts affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 1199, Kueshan islands to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki, &c.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 811.

China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1904, page 406; Supplement, 1907.

Notice to Mariners No. 2045 of 1908. (*This Office No. 52 of 28th January 1909.*)

Authority.—Shanghai Notice (Special), No. 324 of 1908.

JAPAN—NAIKAI—HIROSHIMA WAN.

Hotaka jima—Reef eastward of.

*No. 116 (second publication).—*The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 214 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A reef exists to the eastward of Hotaka jima, Hiroshima wan.

Position.—North-east extreme of Hotaka jima, bearing N. $78^{\circ} W$., distant $1\frac{1}{2}$ cables, and summit of Hashira jima S. $8^{\circ} E$.

Lat. $34^{\circ} 4\frac{1}{2}' N$., long. $132^{\circ} 23\frac{1}{2}' E$.

Depth.— $4\frac{1}{2}$ feet.

Remarks.—This reef has a depth of 13 fathoms close eastward of it, and between it and Hotaka jima are depths of less than 5 fathoms. The reef also extends for a distance of $1\frac{1}{2}$ cables in a N. $22^{\circ} E$. direction, where there is a depth of 7 fathoms on its outer edge, beyond which it deepens suddenly to 21 fathoms.

Variation.— $5^{\circ} W$.

Charts affected.—No. 3469, Hiroshima wan.

„ 2875, Naikai.

Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 485.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 1284 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Buton strait—Shoal.

*No. 117 (second publication).—*The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 220 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A shoal exists in Buton strait, south-east coast of Celebes.

Position.—Near western shore of strait, with Castle hill bearing S. $23^{\circ} W$., distant $19\frac{1}{2}$ cables, and Lohia hill, S. $68^{\circ} W$.

Lat. $4^{\circ} 51\frac{1}{2}' S$., long. $122^{\circ} 44\frac{1}{2}' E$.

Description.—About one cable in extent, and consisting of sand and stones.

Depth.—2 fathoms, with depths of 6 fathoms around.

Variation.— $2^{\circ} E$.

Charts affected.—No. 3470, Plans of Buton strait, and North narrows.

„ 3616, Tomori gulf to Salayar strait.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 361.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 181 of 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SERU, NORTH COAST.

Malapascua island—Shoal eastward of.

No. 118 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No 223 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal, on which the S.S. *Katherine Park* struck, is reported to exist to the eastward of Malapascua island.

Position.—North extreme of Malapascua island, bearing N. 68° W., distant about 2 miles, and the south extreme of the island, S. 75° W.

Lat. $11^{\circ} 20\frac{1}{2}'$ N, long. $124^{\circ} 8\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Depth.— $2\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms was obtained by sounding round the vessel when aground, with deeper water between the shoal and the island.

Remarks.—The vessel was drawing 17 feet at the time of the accident.

Variation.— 1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, San Bernardino to Mindoro strait.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 276.

Authority.—Board of Trade, 27th January 1909.

ST. L. S. WARDEN, COMDR., R.N.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 25th February 1909.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—ANXIOUS BAY.

Venus harbour—Obstruction to navigation removed.

No. 98 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 69, dated the 28th January 1909, issued by this Office, the President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given further notice (No. 2 of 1909) that the Obstruction referred to has been removed.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 1061 and 1066.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—KANGAROO ISLAND, BACKSTAIRS PASSAGE.

Capes Willoughby and St. Albans—Lights.

No. 99 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 3 of 2nd January 1909, issued by this Office, the President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given further notice (No. 3 of 14th January 1909) that in about Fourteen (14) days' time, a Red Light will be exhibited from the lower part of the Tower of the Cape Willoughby Light-house showing over the Scraper Shoal from about south by west until shut in by the high land of Cape St. Albans, and that in all probability the Unwatched Light at Cape St. Albans will be changed to a fixed White Light showing from east south-east around by east to north until obscured by Cape Willoughby, but as to this a further notice will be issued.

This affects Admiralty Charts, Nos. 2389B, 1014, and 25.

AUSTRALIA—TORRES STRAIT.

Prince of Wales channel, Ipili reef—Beacon blown down.

No. 100 (third publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 1 of 1909) that the Beacon on Ipili Reef, Prince of Wales Channel, has been blown down. The beacon will be restored as soon as practicable.

Charts affected: Nos. 2354 and 691; *Australia Directory*, vol. 2.

INDIA, WEST—KATHIAWAR COAST.

Derelict reported.

No. 101 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay (No. 8 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject ... A derelict of a native craft on the 7th February 1909, is reported in the following position:—
Position ... Latitude 20° 25' N., Longitude 70° 52½' E.
Charts affected. ... No. 2736, Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug.
 „ 826, Karachi to Vengurla.
Publication ... West Coast of Hindoostan Pilot, 1898, page 258.
Authority ... Master, S. S. “Bahaduri.”

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—MORETON BAY.

North channel—Banks reported to be extending.

No. 102 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 151 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned banks in North channel, Moreton bay, are reported to be extending into the fairway.

Position.—Comboyuro point, lat. 27° 3½' S., long. 153° 21¼' E.

(a) East bank has extended to the westward to within a distance of about 100 feet from the line of Comboyuro point and Howard range lights.

(b) The eastern Hixson bank has extended to the eastward to within a distance of about 200 feet from the leading line of the abovementioned lights.

Remarks.—A note to the above effect has been placed on the Charts.

Chart affected.—No. 1670a, Moreton bay.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, pages 128, 131, 133.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Pyramus*, Hydrographical Note, No. 6 of 1908.

PERSIAN GULF—ARABIAN COAST.

Kuweit approach—Breakers reported.

No. 103 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 152 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—Breakers are reported to exist in the approach to Kuweit, as undermentioned.

Position.—Lat. 28° 28' N., long. 48° 46' E.

Remarks.—These breakers were sighted from the S.S. *Kazimi*, and appeared to mark a reef which extended for a distance of about one cable in an east and west direction.

Charts affected.—No. 2837b, Persian gulf, western sheet.

„ 748b, Indian ocean, northern portion.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1908, page 112.

Authority.—Lloyds, 4th January 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Bassein river entrance—Positions of buoys altered.

No. 104 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 156 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The positions of the undermentioned buoys in the entrance to Bassein river have been altered, and are now as given below.

Position.—Pagoda point obelisk, lat $15^{\circ} 57\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $94^{\circ} 15'$ E.

(a) Orestes shoal buoy (black conical).

New position.—Moved about 3 cables, in a $N. 42^{\circ} W.$ direction and now situated at a distance of 2 miles and $9\frac{1}{2}$ cables, $S. 55^{\circ} E.$, from Pagoda point obelisk.

(b) Purian bank buoy (red conical).

New position.—Moved a distance of $10\frac{1}{2}$ cables in a $N. 31^{\circ} E.$ direction and now situated at a distance of $4\frac{1}{2}$ miles, $S. 81^{\circ} E.$, from Pagoda point obelisk.

Variation.— $1^{\circ} E.$

Charts affected.—No 834, Bassein river and approaches.

„ 152, Prepara North channel.

„ 923, Korange island to White point.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 341; Revised Supplement, 1908.

Authority.—Royal Indian Marine Survey, 7th December 1908

Remarks.—This cancels this office Notice to Mariners No. 41 of 22nd January 1909.

NEW ZEALAND—STEWART ISLAND.

Port Pegasus, south arm—Rocks.

No. 105 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 161 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned rocks, which are marked by kelp, exist in the south arm of Port Pegasus.

Position.—Micrometer rock, lat. $47^{\circ} 13'$ S., long. $167^{\circ} 39\frac{3}{4}'$ E.

Bearing and distance from
Micrometer rock.

Depth.

(a) $S. 73^{\circ} W.$, $8\frac{3}{10}$ cables	... 2 fathoms.
(b) $S. 63^{\circ} W.$, 9 „	... $2\frac{1}{2}$ „
(c) $N. 47^{\circ} W.$, $2\frac{7}{10}$ „	... 2 „

Remarks.—Foul ground exists between (a) and the shore northward of it.

A patch of kelp exists, at a distance of $2\frac{2}{10}$ cables, $S. 36^{\circ} W.$, from Micrometer rock, which has not been examined.

Variation.— $18^{\circ} E.$

Chart affected.—No. 2542, Plan of Port Pegasus.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 285.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Pioneer*, Hydrographical Note No. 3 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Caution—Banchar road—Shoal.

No. 106 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 163 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal exists in Banchar road, north coast of Java.

Position.—Lat. $6^{\circ} 46' 20''$ S., long. $111^{\circ} 50' 00''$ E., on chart No. 1654.

Depth.— $2\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Remarks.—This shoal is situated about one mile to the northward of the $4\frac{1}{2}$ -fathom sounding shown on the chart near this position.

Caution.—On a line joining Petokol and Aur Aur points, considerably less water is reported to exist than is shown on the chart.

Chart affected.—No. 1654, Island of Java, eastern portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago. Part II, 1904, page 119.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 92 of 1909.

RED SEA.

Perim harbour—Mooring buoys established: Quarantine anchorage.

No. 107 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 164 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—Two mooring buoys, for the use of vessels carrying pilgrims, have been established in Shaud bay, Perim harbour.

Position.—Pirie point lighthouse, lat. $12^{\circ} 38\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $43^{\circ} 24\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Bearing and distance
from Pirie point lighthouse.

Description.

(a) N. 83° E., 845 yards.

Mooring buoy No. 1.

(b) N. 68° E., 830 „

„ „ „ 2.

Quarantine anchorage.—Pilgrim vessels and other vessels when the Health Officer may consider it necessary, shall anchor in that portion of the harbour situated eastward of a line joining Lee and Murray points.

Variation.— 2° W.

Charts affected.—No. 923, Plan of Perim harbour.

„ 2592, Perim island.

Publication.—Red Sea Pilot, 1900, page 234; Supplement, 1904.

Authority.—Shipping Gazette, 2nd January 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, LUZON—ALBAY GULF.

Port Sulat—Light established.

No. 108 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 171 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established at the entrance to Port Sulat.

Position.—On Kabadea point, eastern side of entrance.

Lat. $13^{\circ} 13' 36''$ N., long. $123^{\circ} 52' 26''$ E., on chart No. 3368.

Character.—Fixed red lantern light.

Elevation.—53 feet.

Visibility.—7 miles.

Structure.—White post, 5 feet in height.

Charts affected.—No. 3368, Batan island to San Bernardino island.

„ 2577, San Bernardino strait to Mindoro strait.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, part VI, 1908, page 143.

Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 382; Supplement, 1906.

Authority.—Manila Notice, No. 108 of 1908.

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LIBERALITY OF MAHANTHS OF THE TOWN OF PURI.

No. 587 Medl., dated Calcutta, the 10th March 1909.

From—O. E. A. W. OLDHAM, Esq., Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, Municipal Dept.
To—The Commissioner of the Orissa Division.

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 54 L.F., dated

	Rs.	
(i) Mahanth Raghunandan Ramanuj Das of Emar Math, Puri,	5,000	the 1st March 1909, with which you forward a copy of a letter from the Collector of Puri, reporting that the Mahanths of the town of Puri, noted in the margin, have contributed
(ii) Mahanth Bhagwan Ramanuj Das of Dakshinparsua Math,	2,000	
(iii) Mahanth Jogannath Ramanuj Das of Raghav Das Math,	2,000	
(iv) Mahanth Adhikari Ram Krishna Das Goswami of Uriya Math, Puri,	1,000	

the amounts mentioned against their names towards the construction of a ward in the Puri Pilgrim Hospital, to be named after the Lieutenant-Governor in commemoration of His Honour's first visit to that town.

2. In reply, I am to say that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to accept these contributions, which will be devoted to the object for which they have been given. I am to request that you will be so good as to convey to the donors an expression of His Honour's high appreciation of their liberality and public spirit.

LIBERALITY OF BABU KUNJA BIHARI GHOSH.

No. 1441.—The 10th March 1909.—Extract (paragraphs 1 and 2) from a letter from J. G. CUMMING, Esq., I.C.S., Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal, to the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, No. 1438, dated the 10th March 1908.

Para. 1.—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 202 L.S.-G., dated the 3rd February 1909, in which you report that Babu Kunja Bihari Ghosh of Bistoopur, in thana Barasat in the district of 24-Parganas, desires to make over to Government, Government Promissory Notes of the nominal value of Rs. 4,000 for the creation of an educational endowment in memory of his wife, Srimati Aghore Mohini.

Para. 2.—In reply, I am to say that Government accepts the offer, and to request that the thanks of Government may be communicated to the donor for his liberality.

REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE OPIUM DEPARTMENT DURING THE SEASON 1907-08.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 237-O.—The 12th March 1909.—The following extracts from the Report of the Board of Revenue on the Administration of the Opium Department during the year 1907-08 are published for general information.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 1070B., dated Calcutta, the 26th February 1909.

From—SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI, Esq., M.A., B.L., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department.

I AM directed by the Board of Revenue to submit the annual report on the operations of the Opium Agencies

OF OPIUM.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

of Bihar and Benares during the twelve months beginning on the 1st November 1907 and ending 31st October 1908.

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5. *Check-measurements by Gazetted officers.*—In the Bihar Agency 8,720 villages, 66,016 plots belonging to 3,181 raiyats, containing an area of 15,937 bighas, were test-measured by the Gazetted officers, the total area test-measured being 7·6 of the cultivated area, against 6·6 in the preceding year. The total for the year under review represented the work of fewer officers, and, owing to the contraction of poppy cultivation, it formed a larger percentage of the cultivated area. The work done by all the officers was satisfactory.

In the Benares Agency the number of villages inspected during the cold weather was 20,497, or 70·18, per cent. of the whole number, and the total area test-measured was 43,986 bighas, or 7·32 per cent. of the area for measurement. Last year's percentages were 69·86 and 6·70, respectively. Mr. House writes on this subject:—

“The season was one in which the inspection of licenses was of the greatest importance, and generally speaking officers were alive to this, several of them inspecting from 90 to 100 per cent. of their licenses. It speaks well for the staff that notwithstanding the heavy tale of inspection work and the miscellaneous work in connection with the making of well and other advances, so much was done in the way of test-measurements.”

6. *Settlements.*—In the orders of the Government of India No. 1156A., dated 23rd February 1907, it was decided, that the area to be settled for opium cultivation for the season 1907-08, should be restricted to 900,000 bighas in all, and it was at first proposed that 257,000 bighas should be cultivated in the Bihar Agency and 643,000 bighas in the Benares Agency. Later in the year it was directed that the full area of 900,000 bighas need not be worked up to and that there was no objection to the cultivation for the season being reduced to 850,000 bighas by reductions to be made mainly in the Bihar Agency.

The area actually engaged for was 845,291 bighas, viz., 236,228 bighas in the Bihar Agency and 609,063 bighas in the Benares Agency, as against 320,781 and 631,232 bighas in the respective Agencies in the previous year. This decrease was due partly to action taken by the Department in refusal of licenses for the less productive lands in order to effect concentration, partly to the growing unpopularity of the poppy crop and partly to the unfavourable opening of the season.

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7. *Measurements and actual cultivation.*—In the Bihar Agency the area cultivated, excluding failures, was 201,980 bighas as compared with 283,379 bighas in 1906-07, showing a decrease of 28 per cent. All the Sub-Agencies show a decrease. The total failures amounted to 17,920 bighas against 30,681 bighas in the preceding year. The failures in the year under review, over

11,601 bighas, are ascribed to non-fulfilment of engagements, and over 6,319 bighas, to climatic causes. Mr. Shirres notes that the distinction between failures due to non-fulfilment of engagements and failures due to climatic causes, is to some extent illusory; for if a raiyat breaks his engagement and sows *rabi* instead of poppy, he probably does so because he finds or fears that there may not be enough water for poppy.

In the Benares Agency the officers were instructed not to insist upon sowings in places in which it was probable that no irrigation would be practicable, as there was clearly no use in swelling the measurement area by the inclusion of cultivation which could come to nothing. In the end 601,231 bighas were sown, or only $1\frac{1}{8}$ per cent less than the full area engaged for. The Agent observes that this result would not have been obtained had not Bara Banki given an increase of nearly 5,000 bighas. Four other divisions also gave small increases. In Fyzabad the decrease was nominal: otherwise short sowings were of general occurrence, the drop being most marked in Mainpuri (nearly 3,000 bighas), the division which had already the biggest drop at settlements (nearly 14,000 bighas). The increase in Bara Banki is ascribed to poppy seed being much cheaper than wheat seed and to wheat having done badly in recent years in that part of the province. In Bara Banki also and in Bareilly there was some displacement of sugarcane by poppy.

One thousand two hundred and sixty-eight bighas were reported to have been wilfully left unsown by 2,122 cultivators in the Benares Agency. The failures due to climatic causes affected 21,533 bighas as compared with 12,453 in the preceding year; Gonda, Lucknow and Bareilly Divisions suffered most and between them had over 12,000 bighas of failures. There was also a large area over which the yield was nominal.

8. *Weather and general results.*—In the Bihar Agency the weather was on the whole unfavourable. The monsoon was deficient and ceased early, there being no *hathia* rains. The consequent drought caused the sowings to be late, and at this stage the prospects were bad. The crop, however, germinated well, and rain in the latter part of January and the beginning of February saved the situation. Subsequently considerable damage was done by hail and west winds of most unusual violence, but just at the close of the season the weather was very favourable. The general result was a slight increase in the average outturn per bigha, which slightly exceeded 3 seers.

In the Benares Agency the monsoon rains of 1907 practically came to an end by the third week of August, and no more rain fell until the second week of January 1908. Sowings were therefore delayed, but the germination was good, and down to the end of the first week of February there was every hope of a good outturn. The hot winds which followed, however, injuriously affected all but the most forward portion of the sowings and destroyed the greater portion of the backward crop. Every attempt was made to encourage irrigation by the sinking of kutchra wells and the amount advanced for this purpose was the largest ever given. To help the cultivators to pull through a season of drought second advances, which are rarely given in this Agency, were distributed in January to March 1908. Many cultivators, however, abandoned their crops and went on to famine relief works.

9. *Outturn of Opium.*— * * In the two Agencies taken together, the *damuleta* produce at 70° consistence has further decreased by 21,802 maunds, or by 23 per cent. in the year under review, as compared with that of the year 1906-07. This decrease occurred in both Agencies and is attributable both to the smaller area sown, and to the unfavourable weather which prevailed. Seven out of eight divisions in Bihar and fifteen out of seventeen in the Benares Agency show a decrease. In Bihar the general average gross produce per bigha (excluding failures) was 3 seers 1 chitak and 2 kachas in the year under review, the slight improvement over that of the preceding year being probably due to the elimination of the least productive areas in the Bihar Agency. But the Agent points out that for many years there has been a decline in the average outturn, and he thinks that this is due to part of the land allotted to poppy being no longer the best land. The average yield per bigha in the Benares Agency, which was 3 seers 10 chitaks, is the lowest on record since 1883-84.

except in the year 1894-95, when it was 3 seers $4\frac{1}{2}$ chitaks. Some of the eastern districts in this Agency had a better yield than for some years past; but the submontane tracts show a marked falling off, due to deficient rainfall.

10. *Average area per cultivator.*—In the Bihar Agency the Shahabad division continues to show the highest area, viz., 15 cottahs 14 dhurs per cultivator and Tirhut the lowest, viz., 7 cottahs 10 dhurs. The average for the whole Agency is only 10 cottahs 11 dhurs, and is the lowest on record.

In the Benares Agency the Etawah division has again shown the highest average area for a cultivator, viz., 17 biswas 12 biswansis; the lowest figures are returned by the Basti and Gonda divisions in which the average is only 8 biswas 7 biswansis.

11. *Average produce per license and per cultivator.*—In the Bihar Agency the average produce per license again fell from 1 maund 2 seers 1 chitak to 1 maund 1 seer 6 chitaks during the year under review; but the average produce of a cultivator slightly increased, viz., from 1 seer 9 chitaks 2 kachas to 1 seer 10 chitaks and 1 kacha. The Agent notes that, although there was a diminution in the average amount of opium sent up by each license-holder, the decrease was less than might have been expected from the smaller area under cultivation, and the average amount of opium produced by each cultivator was slightly larger than in the previous year. The average outturn per license and per cultivator in the Benares Agency are shown as 1 maund 31 seers 14 chitaks, and 2 seers 4 chitaks, respectively, as compared with 2 maunds 18 seers 13 chitaks, and 3 seers 3 chitaks in 1906-07. Here, again, the average produce per cultivator is, since 1883-84, the lowest on record, except in the year 1894-95, when it was 2 seers and 3 chitaks per cultivator. This unusual result was due to the unfavourable character of the season.

13. *Consistence of the season's opium.*—The general average of the consistence of the drug delivered in the Bihar Agency this year was very high, viz., 76.34° as compared with 72.69° in the previous year. This result was due to the exceptionally dry season, and to the prevalence of high west winds at the time when the poppy heads were being lanced.

In the Benares Agency also the dryness of the season gave an unusually high consistence in the drug, the average being 73.07° against 67.35° in the preceding year and 69.21° , the average of the last ten years. No division produced opium of less than 70° consistence, and 13 out of the 17 divisions had an average of 72° and over. The Salempur subdivision produced opium of 77.68° consistence and the Etawah subdivision of 68.62° consistence; these are the highest and the lowest figures for the year in this Agency.

19. *Advances and outstanding balances.*—In the Bihar Agency the value of opium delivered by cultivators (including Nepal Opium) was Rs. 40,79,022. The payments made for this opium were (1) at settlements Rs. 16,86,304, (2) at weighments Rs. 23,82,024, (3) at final adjustment Rs. 2,11,172, giving a total of Rs. 42,79,500 or Rs. 2,00,478 in excess of the value of opium. Of this, Rs. 1,89,978 were recovered, leaving a balance of Rs. 10,500 as due to Government at the end of the year, to which the balances of the previous year have to be added giving a total of Rs. 15,249 as compared with Rs. 22,305 in the preceding year. During the year outstandings of previous years to the amount of Rs. 17,567 were adjusted. More than half the total amount to be recovered on account of preceding years is due from Amarpur in Monghyr, which was closed to poppy cultivation in 1906-07.

In Benares the total advances made on account of opium, leaf and trash amounted to Rs. 1,27,90,309 and the final payments to Rs. 10,91,368, making a total of Rs. 1,38,81,677. The balance, as ascertained after weighments, amounted to Rs. 75,980, out of which Rs. 55,575 have since been adjusted by recoveries from the cultivators. The net balance outstanding on 1st November 1908 is Rs. 20,405, of which Rs. 20,343 are for opium and Rs. 62 for leaf. The figures are remarkably low considering the unfortunate character of the season. Of the balances of previous years aggregating Rs. 2,408, Rs. 1,825 have been adjusted during the year, Rs. 817 by remission and Rs. 1,008 by recoveries from cultivators. There is a balance of Rs. 583 still outstanding, made up

of Rs. 19 for 1904-05, Rs. 58 for 1905-06 and Rs. 506 for 1906-07. These balances are still under investigation and a portion is expected to be recovered. Officers were instructed to show consideration to cultivators and not to press for outstanding sums where such action would cause hardship.

20. *Advances for wells.*— * * In the Bihar Agency 84 pukka wells were constructed, 2,952 earthen wells were dug, and 43 masonry wells were repaired. The Board regret to notice that advances for wells were not made in Monghyr; and the Agent has very properly pointed out to the Sub-Deputy Agent that there was no reason for departing from the policy of the Department in this matter.

In the Benares Agency, owing to the deficient rainfall, the advances made for wells were the largest ever made by the Opium Department. During the year 817 masonry wells and 55,476 kutchha wells were completed, 1,060 masonry wells and 3 kutchha wells were under construction at the close of the year. Advances were made for the repairs of 582 masonry and 275 kutchha wells.

21. *Factory operations—Provision opium.*— * * The average consistence of the opium produced in the Bihar Agency was 76·34° as compared with 72·69° in the previous year, showing an increase of 3·65°. The average consistence of the Benares opium received was 73·78° as compared with 68·28° or an increase of 5·50°, and the average of both Bihar and Benares opium taken together worked out to 74·82° as against 70·62° last year.

The gross district weight of the opium produced in the Benares Agency was 53,011 maunds and the factory weighment gave 52,436 maunds, the difference being due to dryage. The Agent reports that there was a general tendency among District Officers to classify too low, possibly owing to the fact that they have for some years past been classifying opium of unusually low consistence and therefore found some difficulty in gauging the class of opium of quite abnormally high consistence. Mr. House has made a careful analysis of the classification made by some of his officers and draws attention to the importance of this work.

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25. *Manufacture and supply of Excise opium.*—Six thousand two hundred and nineteen chests and 315 cakes of Excise opium were manufactured this year at Patna against 2,607 chests and 235 cakes last year. The aggregate cost of the manufacture of the opium was Rs. 23,278, which works out to Rs. 3-11-10 a chest, compared with Rs. 3-9-5 last year. The slight increase of 2 annas 5 pies a chest over the previous year's figure is due to the fact that an assistant on higher pay was placed in charge of this work.

At Ghazipur 4,678 chests of Excise opium were manufactured, and the cost of manufacture of a chest was Rs. 5-10-5, as compared with Rs. 5-10-11 in 1906-07.

The lower rate returned for the Bihar Agency appears to be due to not taking into account the cost of the materials used in making the chests for packing opium. The Board are in correspondence with the Agent on the subject.

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28. *Expenditure.*—The total expenditure of the Bihar Agency amounted to Rs. 49,76,092 against Rs. 61,32,930 in the previous year. The decrease is mainly due to the decrease in the total amount of opium delivered. The average cost per maund of Bihar Opium rose from Rs. 286 in 1906-07 to Rs. 292 in the year under review; but on the other hand the cost of a chest of provision opium fell from Rs. 502-1-3 to Rs. 489-7-7, in consequence of the increase in the total number of chests manufactured.

In the Benares Agency the total expenditure of the season has fallen to Rs. 1,48,41,357 from Rs. 1,93,41,233 in the previous year. The average cost per maund of opium has been Rs. 273 as compared with Rs. 269 in the previous year and the average cost of a chest Rs. 472 against Rs. 494 of last year, showing a decrease of Rs. 22 which is due to the larger number of chests manufactured as compared with that of the previous year. Taking the figures for a period of five years from 1901-02 to 1905-06, Mr. House has reckoned that the cost of a chest of provision opium of 71° consistence at Ghazipur,

including transit charges to Calcutta, and storage charges, etc., there, is Rs. 458.85; the price of a chest of 75° consistence at Patna is Rs. 494.49.

29. *Cost of a chest of provision opium and net revenue.*—During the calendar year 1908, 46,800 chests of provision opium were sold in equal proportions from Bihar and Benares and the average prices realized for a chest from each Agency were Rs. 1,433 and Rs. 1,341, or Rs. 1,387 for both combined, against an average of Rs. 1,372 in 1907. The total sale-proceeds in 1908 amounted to Rs. 6,49,23,400. The total cost of manufacture of the produce (including Presidency charges, etc.) amounted to Rs. 1,19,25,454 in Bihar and to Rs. 1,23,08,680 in Benares, or a total of Rs. 2,42,34,134, giving an average cost per chest of Rs. 518. The net revenue derived from opium during the two calendar years 1907 and 1908 amounted to Rs. 4,37,24,679, and Rs. 4,06,94,266, respectively.

30. *Sales.*—The opium sales during the twelve months from November 1907 to October 1908 comprised 42,806 chests manufactured in 1906-06 and 4,194 chests manufactured in 1906-07, in all 47,000 chests of which half was taken from each Agency in monthly lots of 4,000 chests during November 1907 to December 1907, and of 3,900 chests during January to October 1908. The number of chests sold during the twelve months was 47,000 chests, or 4,200 chests fewer than were sold during the previous corresponding period.

* * As compared with 1906-07, the average prices of Bihar and Benares opium for the twelve months under notice show a decrease of Rs. 19 and Rs. 38 respectively.

31. The total outturn of provision opium during the season 1907-1908 was 40,001 chests, and the balance of the previous year's crop amounted to 26,132 chests. The number of chests available for sale at the beginning of 1909 was therefore 66,133. In accordance with the orders of the Government of India contained in their notification No. 3920A., dated the 3rd July 1908, 43,200 chests or 3,600 chests monthly, made up of 1,800 chests each, of Bihar and Benares opium, will be sold during the year 1909 and there will, therefore, be left on the 1st January 1910, a reserve of 22,933 chests, viz., 14,105 of Bihar and 8,828 of Benares opium. This reserve is exclusive of the equivalent of about 4,474 chests of crude opium remaining in the vats at the end of the year 1907-08.

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36. Mr. Bright was in charge of the Bihar Agency for six years, during which time he carried out his duties with much efficiency and ably and thoroughly dealt with all the difficulties of a declining industry. His sympathy with the Bihar cultivators and his painstaking and exhaustive reports on all matters of importance were characteristic, and his loss will be felt in the administration.

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**SECOND FORECAST OF THE SPRING OILSEED CROPS OF
BENGAL, 1908-09.**

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**SECOND FORECAST OF THE SPRING OILSEED CROPS OF
BENGAL, 1908-09.**

[On an average of the five years ending 1906-07, the area under linseed and rape and mustard in the territory to which this forecast relates have represented some 22·5 and 12·7 per cent., respectively, of the total area under these crops in British India.]

Explanatory.—This forecast deals with the estimates of the area and outturn of all oilseed crops except *til* for which separate forecasts are published.

Character of the season.—In September the rainfall was below the average and though showers were general in the first week of October drought has prevailed since. Sowings were for the most part begun in normal time, but the absence of rain prevented the full normal area being sown. The crops also suffered for want of moisture in the early period of growth and the outturn is reported to be unsatisfactory in almost all districts. The season was, on the whole, very unfavourable for the oilseed crops.

Area sown.—The total area under the different kinds of oilseeds excepting *til* is estimated at 1,552,800 acres, *i.e.*, 149,700 acres more than last year and 617,500 acres less than the normal.

Outturn.—From the summary of district returns appended to this note, it will be seen that 10 districts report crops between 70 and 78 per cent., 6 districts between 60 and 68 per cent. and 5 districts between 52 and 59 per cent. In the remaining districts the outturn is below 50 per cent. According to the estimates of the District Officers the total outturn of the different kinds of the spring oilseeds for the whole Province amounts to 51 per cent. of the normal against 64 per cent. last year.

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Second Forecast of the Spring Oilseed Crops of Bengal, 1908-09.

District.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	Total area of the district in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Approximate normal area under spring oilseeds, in acres.	Approximate area under spring oilseeds last year (1907-08), in acres.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds this year (1908-09), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much (1907-08) ?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will this year's outturn represent (1908-09) ?	Total area of the district which has been cadastreally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastre survey took place.	Area found under each specified crop during the survey.	Date at which the harvesting of the crops was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of harvesting was this year early, normal or late.	
Burdwan	1,721,990	1,264,900	Linseed ... Rape and mustard. Other oilseeds (excepting fl.), Total ...	Acres. 22,500 21,100 1,700 45,100	Acres. 11,500 10,900 1,400 23,590	Acres. 15,000 15,000 1,100 35,200	66 56 25 62	74 72 43 72	Acres. 85,225 1859 to 1893 and 1894 to 1907-08. 223	1859 to 1893 and 1894 to 1907-08.	117 75 80	Not yet begun.	Owing to want of seasonable rainfall the general condition of the crops is not good. This accounts for the low outturn. Harvesting has not commenced in all places.	
Barbhum	1,121,280	786,700	Linseed ... Rape and mustard. Other oilseeds (excepting fl.), Total ...	Acres. 500 2,000 200 3,000	Acres. 600 1,200 200 2,000	Acres. 700 1,200 100 1,700	30 30 10 30	35 30 10 32	Acres. 45,571 1853 to 1857 and 1858.	1853 to 1857 and 1858.	...	...	The weather was not favourable and the general condition of the crops was very poor for want of rain. The date of harvesting was normal.

District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.												Date at which the harvesting of the crops was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of harvesting was this year early, normal or late.
	Total area of the district in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Approximate normal area under spring oilseeds, in acres.	Approximate area under spring oilseeds last year (1907-08), in acres.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds this year (1908-09), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1907-08)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908-09)?	Total area of the district truly surveyed.	Years during which the cadastal survey took place.	Area found under each specified crop during the cadastal survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
Bantur ..	Acres. 1,577,440	Acres. 642,800	Linseed .. Rare and mus- tard. Other oilseeds (ex- cluding fl).	Acres. 1,000 7,000 8,000	Acres. 800 7,000 6,500	Acres. 800 6,500 6,000	60 50 40	75 75 75	Acres. 18,468 16,468	1890 to 1902 and 1906 and 1907.	Not available.	Not yet begun ..	Want of timely rain accounts for the decrease in the estimated outturn. The harvesting has not yet begun.	
Midnapore	Acres. 3,319,040	Acres. 2,190,800	Linseed .. Rare and mus- tard. Other oilseeds (ex- cepting fl).	Acres. 15,000 31,000 14,500	Acres. 14,500 25,500 11,400	Acres. 14,500 25,400 11,500	58 61 65	69 57 58	Acres. 35,342 1893-98	1893-98	110	Not yet commenced. Harvesting not yet commenced in Sadar and Tam- kut. In Ghatal it has commenced from 15th Decem- ber 1908 and in Contai from 1st January 1909.	The condition of the crops is good at Sadar and not favourable in the other subdivisions. Rain is wanted every where. Harvest- ing was earlier in Contai, normal in Ghatal, and late in other subdivisions. The increase in the area in column 7 against rape and mustard is due to the revision of figures by the Subdivisional Officer of Contai.	

Houghly	761,310	445,900	Linseed ... Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (ex- cepting fit).	500 7,900 2,700	700 4,800 2,800	75 80 80	50 53 50	Not cadastrally surveyed	Not yet begun	Want of rain is the cause of the low outturn.
			Total	11,400	8,800	80	52	...	...	...
Howrah	326,400	230,700	Linseed	2,000	1,400	50	56	...	Middle of February	Owing to want of moisture at the time of sowing and to the want of seasonable rainfall at the time of growth the outturn is not satisfactory.
			Rape and mustard	2,300	1,000	50	67	...	Ditto	
			Other oilseeds (ex- cepting fit).	100	100	50	50	...	End of February	
			Total	4,400	2,500	50	60	...	...
24-Par- ganas.	3,100,633	11,038,700	Linseed	1,600	400	87	76	...	December In Basirhat but it has not yet begun in other Sub-divisions.	The weather and general condition of the crops are favourable except at Basirhat. The Sub-divisional officer of Basirhat reports that although the sowings were normal, the crops could not germinate properly for want of sufficient rain. The subsequent growth of the crops was stunted on account of the drought that still prevails. The result is that the outturn has been estimated much below the normal. The date of harvesting was normal at the Sadar and Basirhat Subdivisions.
			Rape and mustard	1,500	900	70	78	...		
			Other oilseeds (ex- cepting fit).	300	...	...	...	...
			Total	3,400	1,300	76	77	...		
Nadia	1,797,890	1,043,900	Linseed	55,000	13,200	34	38	Not cadastrally surveyed	Middle of December.	The condition of the crops is not good owing to want of rainfall. The date of harvesting was normal.
			Rape and mustard	40,000	8,700	23	29			
			Other oilseeds (ex- cepting fit)	15,000	7,400	37	57			
			Total	110,000	33,300	33	42			

DISTRICT.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.													
	Total area of the district in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Name of spring oilseed crop.	Approximate normal area under spring oilseeds, in acres.	Approximate area under spring oilseeds last year (1907-08), in acres.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds this year (1908-09), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much represented the output last year (1907-08) ?	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much will represent this year's output (1908-09) ?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under each specified crop during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the harvesting of the crops was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of harvesting was this year early, normal or late.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
Murshidabad.	1,271,529	985,600	Linseed	20,800	8,400	14,200	44	44	...	...	...	Not yet begun ...	The weather was not favourable. Want of rain affected the crops.
			Rape and mustard	18,900	12,000	17,000	35	51	...	...	...	Early in January in some places.	
			Other oilseeds (excepting fl.)	8,700	5,100	4,300	38	53	...	...	...	Not yet begun ...	
			Total	48,400	35,500	35,500	89	46	...	...	...	...
Jessore	1,873,153	1,191,000	Linseed	38,800	19,300	19,400	32	26	...	...	...	From December still going on. The weather was not favourable. The condition of the crops is not good owing to want of rainfall. The date of harvesting was normal.	
			Rape and mustard	51,400	15,400	24,700	30	42	...	...	...		...
			Other oilseeds (excepting fl.)	6,800	2,900	2,500	43	33	...	...	...		...
			Total	97,000	36,600	46,900	32	39	...	...	...		...

Khulna ...	3,040,016	870,000	Linseed	2,500	2,500	45	40	130,768	1903-04 to 1907-08.	12	Not yet begun ...	The weather and rainfall were not favourable for the crops. The general condition is not favourable this year. Owing to want of rain the culture is low. The harvesting of rape and mustard was early this year.
			Rape and mustard	...	...	47,800	47,800	62	60	...	...	514	15th December.
			Other oilseeds (excepting fit).	...	...	5,000	5,000	50	0	...	...	10	Not yet begun.
			Total ...	...	...	54,800	54,800	60	60	130,768	...	538	
Panna ...	1,328,000	1,062,100	Linseed	13,400	10,800	69	33	73,164	1900-01	382	Not yet commenced.	The weather was not favourable. The general condition of the crops appears poor. Harvesting has not yet commenced.
			Rape and mustard	...	...	12,400	11,000	61	42	...	...	1,343	
			Other oilseeds (excepting fit).	...	...	16,100	13,000	63	34	...	...	1,189	
			Total ...	...	...	41,900	33,800	64	36	73,164	...	3,894	
Gaya ...	3,015,000	2,113,100	Linseed	85,600	46,100	60	60	517,900	1903-04 to 1900-03 and 1907-08.	14,929	Not yet begun.	The weather was not favourable owing to absence of rain from November up to date. The general condition of the crops is fair.
			Rape and mustard	...	...	17,300	9,800	65	65	...	...	3,576	
			Other oilseeds (excepting fit).	...	...	74,600	57,100	68	65	...	...	
			Total ...	...	...	177,500	114,900	63	63	517,900	...	18,505	
Shahabad	2,800,545	1,945,000	Linseed	21,700	16,800	60	71	Not yet begun.	The crops have suffered for want of rain.
			Rape and mustard	...	...	17,000	10,400	60	67	...	...	...
			Other oilseeds (excepting fit).	...	...	7,900	3,300	63	73	...	...	...
			Total ...	...	...	46,600	30,500	1	70	...	...	...

District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.														Date at which the harvesting of the crops was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of harvesting was this year early, normal or late.
	Total area of the district in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Approximate normal area under spring oilseeds, in acres.	Approximate area under spring oilseeds, last year (1907-08), in acres.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds this year (1908-09), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1907-08)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1908-09)?	Total area of the district actually surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under each specified crop during the cadastral survey.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14			
Saran	1,711,386	1,357,500	Linseed	79,500	39,400	44,700	60	47	1,633,435	1893 to 1901	{ 79,479 8,607 3,540	Not yet begun	The increase in area in column 7 is due to more areas sown under the crops in the Saran Subdivision since the submission of the first forecast. For want of rain, the outturn is expected to be poor. The date of harvesting is expected to be normal.			
			Rape and mustard	5,700	12,300	14,700	63	45								
			Other oilseeds (excepting the two)	3,500	5,000	11,900	46	56								
			Total	91,700	60,300	71,300	59	48	1,633,435	...	91,676					
Champaran	2,596,840	1,447,000	Linseed	63,900	46,000	38,200	68	68	2,259,840	1892 to 1900	{ 63,581 8,925 16,688	Ditto	The weather was unfavourable for want of rain. The general condition of the crops is fair as yet, but rain is urgently needed.			
			Rape and mustard	19,800	14,400	9,300	72	82								
			Other oilseeds (excepting the two)	1,100	1,000	2,500	75	68								
			Total	84,800	63,400	50,000	69	70	2,259,840	...	88,502					
Muzaffarpur.	1,942,400	1,097,000	Linseed	41,200	41,200	50,000	70	63	1,842,400	1892-93 to 1908-99.	{ 41,200 7,400 6,000	Ditto	The condition of the crops is fair in localities where there is some moisture, but the crops have suffered badly for want of rain, except in irrigated tracts.			
			Rape and mustard	7,400	7,400	13,000	75	75								
			Other oilseeds (excepting the two)	6,000	6,000	6,500	60	53								
			Total	54,600	54,600	68,500	70	64	1,842,400		54,500					

Darbhanga	2,142,690	1,678,000	Linseed ... Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (ex- cepting fl.)	171,000 46,300 5,800	93,700 47,300 7,900	96,900 29,100 6,100	64 86 87	35 42 45	2,142,690	1896 to 1903	Not yet begun	The weather has been unfavour- able on account of the absence of rain. The general condition of the crops is not good.
			Total	222,900	148,900	126,100	84	36	2,142,690	...		
Monghyr	2,510,090	1,582,800	Linseed ... Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (ex- cept fl.)	23,900 32,300 38,600	23,300 26,800 14,500	16,900 19,900 13,900	75 72 69	34 37 38	985,552	1900 to 1904	Ditto	The crops suffered from want of rain.
			Total	94,800	57,000	50,500	79	36	985,552	...		
Rhegaipur	2,704,640	2,073,300	Linseed ... Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (ex- cepting fl.)	60,000 75,000 17,600	55,000 68,000 14,700	49,600 47,600 14,100	65 85 91	37 48 40	1,087,200	1903-1905	Ditto	Owing to inadequate rainfall during the last rainy season, there was very little moisture in the soil and consequently the crops have a very poor growth.
			Total	152,500	137,700	110,300	76	42	1,087,200	...		
Purnea	3,106,153	1,694,000	Linseed ... Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (ex- cepting fl.)	12,700 138,300 2,200	12,700 155,300 2,200	11,000 150,000 2,000	78 79 80	25 25 25	2,506,346	1901-1903 and 1904-1905	End of December	There has been absolutely no rain since October last and the pros- pects of the crops are generally bad except in parts of Dhamdaha thana where it is excellent up to now. The date of harvesting was rather early this year.
			Total	173,400	173,400	113,000	79	25	2,506,346	...		
Darceinganj	344,054	166,000	Rape and mustard Other oilseeds (ex- cepting fl.)	7,000 200	3,300 "	3,400 500	75	29 55	128,246	1903 to 1905	In Tera; not yet begun. End of December in the Sadar and Kaim- pong Subdivision.	In the hills the outturn is poor due to want of seasonable rainfall, but in the Tera it is fair.
			Total	7,200	3,300	3,900	73	76	128,246	...		

Angul	1,057,353	263,000	Rape and mustard	8,300	1,500	4,000	50	40	575,238 } 1889-90 and 1905-06, Khondmals not yet surveyed.	...	Last week of January.	The outturn was affected for want of rain in November last. The date of harvesting was normal this year.
			Other oilseeds (excepting fl).	2,700	1,000	500	40	37				
			Total	9,000	2,500	4,500	48	40				
Puri	1,598,360	750,200	Linseed	800	1,800	1,000	79	70		157	.....	The weather was not favourable. The general condition of the crops has been unsatisfactory for want of rain in the early period of their growth.
			Rape and mustard	2,800	1,800	1,100	68	55	1,522,360 } 1888-89			
			Other oilseeds (excepting fl).	4,000	6,400	6,100	63	60		1,921		
			Total	7,600	9,900	8,200	66	61	1,562,360			
Sambalpur	2,447,560	845,360	Linseed	400	1,111	731	30	105		67	Not yet begun.	No rain fell since the submission of the first forecast. Harvesting of mustard was normal this year.
			Rape and mustard	580	200	500	20	62	2,447,360 } 1884-87 and 1891-97.	618	20th December.	
			Other oilseeds (excepting fl).	1,500	100	500	30	90		2,779	Not yet begun.	
			Total	2,480	3,500	1,730	30	76	2,447,560	3,445		
Hazaribagh	4,493,440	1,703,000	Linseed	13,800	2,800	11,400	19	60			December	The condition of the crops is not good for want of rain. The date of harvesting was normal.
			Rape and mustard	23,500	12,500	25,500	19	55				
			Other oilseeds (excepting fl).	54,000	9,000	25,400	20	63				
			Total	90,800	24,900	62,700	22	63				

District.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.										Date at which the harvesting of the crops was begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of harvesting was this year early, normal or late.							
	Total area of the district in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Approximate normal area under spring oilseeds, in acres.	Approximate area under spring oilseeds last year (1907-08), in acres.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds this year (1908-09), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much represented the output last year (1907-08) ?	Taking 100 to represent the normal output, how much will represent this year's output (1908-09) ?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.			Area found under each specified crop during the cadastral survey.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14						
Ranchi ..	Acres. 4,561,920	Acres. 1,600,000	{ Rape and mustard	Acres. 5,700	Acres. 2,000	Acres. 5,700	95	70	Acres. The district is being cadastrally surveyed.	11	Acres.	13	The weather was not very favourable to the crops. The date of harvesting was normal.						
				Acres. 41,700	Acres. 20,000	Acres. 41,700	25	70											
			Total	Acres. 47,400	Acres. 22,000	Acres. 47,400	25	70							
Palamanu ..	Acres. 3,144,960	Acres. 627,600	{ Rapeseed and mustard.	Acres. 16,000	Acres. 1,000	Acres. 1,600	60	25	Acres. 187,220	1896-97	Acres.	11 Last week of December.	The date of harvesting was normal. The low output is due to the total failure of the cold weather rains.						
				Acres. 16,000	Acres. 1,000	Acres. 3,500	80	40							
			Other oilseeds (excepting the above)	Acres. 2,300	Acres. 300	Acres. 3,300	40	40					
			Total	Acres. 34,300	Acres. 2,300	Acres. 8,900	68	57					

Manbhum	20,54,000	1,419,900	Linseed ...	...	800	100	...	40	...	78	Not cadastrally surveyed.	...	...	...	Not yet begun.	The weather was on the whole favourable. The general condition of the crops is good. The date of harvesting was normal.
			Rape and mustard	...	33,700	16,200	...	24,300	25	...					Will begin by the end of January.	
			Other oilseeds (excepting fl.)	...	25,900	14,600	...	13,900	43	63					End of December.	
			Total	...	60,400	30,800	...	37,900	40	71	...	...	...	...
Singbhum	2,490,240	840,700	Linseed ...	...	7,000	5,900	...	6,800	41	80					18th November	The weather and the general condition of the crops have been good. The date of harvesting was normal this year.
			Rape and mustard	...	20,000	19,400	...	20,000	42	78	1,761,984	1898 to 1897 and 1900 to 1902	9,576	7th December		
			Other oilseeds (excepting fl.)	...	31,000	23,300	...	30,900	43	75			15,680	18th November		
			Total	...	58,000	49,600	...	57,700	43	76	1,761,984	...	28,694			
Bengal ...	74,117,041	39,100,500	Linseed	...	513,700	593,800	...	544,500	67	49						
			Rape and mustard	...	571,300	511,100	...	558,200	68	46						
			Other oilseeds (excepting fl.)	...	485,300	293,500	...	352,100	55	60						
			Total	...	2,170,300	1,403,100	...	1,852,900	64	51						

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Character of the Rainfall.—Light showers fell in all districts except Jessore. The fall was below the normal everywhere except in Puri, where it was in excess. In Outtack the rainfall was almost equal to the normal. The usual rainfall table is appended.

II. *Progress of Agricultural operations.*—Planting of the sugarcane crop and preparation of lands for the *bhadoi* crops and sugarcane continue. Harvesting of oilseeds and pressing of sugarcane were in progress throughout the month.

III. *State of standing crops.*—*Rabi* crops, especially wheat and barley, were benefited by the rainfall received in the end of January and in the beginning of February and prospects generally improved, but the rain received was too scanty in Bihar where the crops are most important. Prospects of these crops are unfavourable in parts of Birbhum, Midnapore, Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Purnea and Palamau. In other districts they are generally fair.

IV. *Prospects and probable outturn of harvests.*—The *rabi* harvest is likely to be very poor in unirrigated tracts of North Bihar. For the Province as a whole an outturn of 60 per cent. of the normal is anticipated.

V. *Damage to crops.*—There was no serious damage to standing crops. Some damage was caused to *rahar* crops by frost in Champaran, Saran and Darbhanga and tobacco in Muzaffarpur. *Mahua* flower was damaged to some extent by rain and cloudy weather in Manbhun and mango blossom by hailstorms in Purnea.

VI. *Condition of Agricultural stock.*—The condition of agricultural stock was, on the whole fair. Cattle-disease was reported from parts of Birbhum, Midnapore, Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore, Gaya, Shahabad, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Purnea, Puri, Sambalpur and Chota Nagpur generally.

VII. *Failure of pasturage and fodder.*—Insufficiency of fodder was reported from Darbhanga, Monghyr, Purnea and the Sonthal Parganas. The water-supply was getting scarce in many parts of North Bihar.

VIII. *Prices of food-grains.*—During the second fortnight of the month the price of common rice rose in four districts and went down in thirteen and remained stationary in the remaining districts. It varied from 8 seers a rupee in Howrah and Purnea to 15 seers in Augul. The price of food grains was generally easier than during the corresponding period of last year.

IX. *Condition of the labouring classes and agricultural population.*—There was distress amongst the poor classes in many parts of North Bihar on account of the scarcity. The agricultural situation in these tracts continued bad as the *rabi* harvest is anticipated to be very poor in the unirrigated parts. Gratuitous relief continued in Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, Purnea, Palamau and also in Puri. The number of persons on test-works in North Bihar and on famine relief-works in Darbhanga showed a tendency to increase.

CALCUTTA,
The 14th March 1909.

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Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

Statement showing the Rainfall in each district during February 1909.

Division.	District.	Normal district rain- fall for the month of February.	Actual district rain- fall for the month of February 1909.	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan ...	0.99	0.21	—0.78
	Birbhum ...	0.73	0.12	—0.61
	Bankura ...	0.85	0.21	—0.64
	Midnapore ...	0.88	0.36	—0.52
	Hooghly ...	1.15	0.12	—1.03
	Howrah ...	0.99	0.43	—0.56
	24 Parganas ...	1.16	0.18	—0.98
	Calcutta ...	1.02	0.10	—0.92
	Nadia ...	1.09	0.02	—1.07
	Murshidabad ...	0.76	0.12	—0.64
	Jessore ...	1.15	Nil	—1.15
	Khulna ...	1.07	0.06	—1.01
	Patna ...	0.62	0.27	—0.35
	Gaya ...	0.61	0.35	—0.26
Bihar	Shahabad ...	0.72	0.43	—0.29
	Saran ...	0.44	0.13	—0.31
	Champaran ...	0.43	0.17	—0.26
	Muzaffarpur ...	0.47	0.09	—0.38
	Darbhanga ...	0.42	0.06	—0.36
	Monghyr ...	0.65	0.28	—0.37
	Bhagalpur ...	0.51	0.16	—0.35
	Darjeeling ...	0.89	0.27	—0.62
	Purnea ...	0.41	0.31	—0.10
	Sonthal Parganas ...	0.50	0.35	—0.15
Orissa	Cuttack ...	0.74	0.71	—0.03
	Balasore ...	1.04	0.68	—0.36
	Angul ...	0.55	0.07	—0.48
	Puri ...	0.75	1.16	+0.41
	Sambalpur ...	0.46	0.31	—0.15
Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh ...	0.82	0.42	—0.40
	Ranchi ...	0.82	0.54	—0.28
	Palamau ...	0.63	0.61	—0.02
	Manbhum ...	0.74	0.41	—0.33
	Singhbhum ...	0.77	0.49.	—0.28

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 15th March 1909.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	10½	8½	Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops going on. Pressing of sugarcane and gathering of potatoes continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	9½	9	No apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Common rice selling at 9 seers per rupee at Rampurhat.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	10½	10½	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	10	10	Transplantation of summer rice about to be completed in the Ghatal subdivision. Planting of sugarcane and sowing of <i>rabi til</i> continuing. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Salban, Binpur, Kharagpur, Keshiari and Narayangarh. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 12 seers per rupee at Contai, 8½ seers at Tamluk and at 11½ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops and potatoes fair. Pressing of sugarcane continuing. Prices of food-grains stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. <i>Rabi</i> crops doing well. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder sufficient. No cattle-disease reported.
7	24-PARGANAS	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Common rice selling at 8 seers a rupee at Barasat, 10 seers at Basirhat, 9½ seers at Diamond Harbour and at 9 seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	9½	9½	Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Lands being prepared for <i>bhadoi</i> crops and jute. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Meherpur and Gangani thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
9	MURSHIDABAD	Inches. Nil	9½	9	Weather hot at the Sadar subdivision, but seasonable in the other subdivisions. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Prospects fair. Sowing of <i>boro</i> rice in the Lalbagh subdivision and transplantation of it in the Kandi and Jangipur subdivisions commenced. Pressing of sugarcane continuing in the Kandi and Lalbagh subdivisions. Condition of agricultural stock good. Fodder and water sufficient at the Sadar and Lalbagh subdivisions, but water insufficient in places in the Jangipur and Kandi subdivisions. Cattle-disease in Khargaon and Bharatpur thanas.
10	JESSORE ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops indifferent. Rain urgently wanted for cultivation. Fodder and water insufficient. No cattle-disease. Condition of agricultural stock good.
11	KHULNA ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of famine. Prospects of standing crops not favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	{ 9½ 15½*	{ 9½ 15½* }	Weather warm with strong westerly winds. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops in progress. Food-stocks being imported from outside. Fodder and water-supply sufficient. Small-pox among cattle reported from Mokameh.
13	GAYA ...	Nil	{ 10½† 14½*	{ 10½† 14½*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of pulses, wheat, barley, gram and poppy going on. Prospects good. Prices slightly falling at the Sadar subdivision; stationary in the subdivisions. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient, except in the Nawadah subdivision. No cattle-disease.
14	SHAHABAD ...	Nil	{ 9½ 14*	{ 9½ 13*	Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Pressing of sugarcane and lancing of poppy going on. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks under normal. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	{ 10 15*	{ 10 14½* }	Weather hot in the day and cold at night. Pressing of sugarcane, harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops, sowing of indigo and planting of sugarcane going on. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	{ 9 15½*	{ 9½ 15½*	Weather getting hot. Sugarcane pressing continuing. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops commenced in places. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient. Water getting scarce in the south of the district where some work for the next three months will probably be needed. Loans being issued for excavation and re-excavation of tanks.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	{ 10 14½*	{ 10 14½*	Weather seasonable. Common rice and maize selling at 9 and 14½ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur, and at 8½ and 14 seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops commenced in many places. Cattle-disease reported in Pupri thana. Fodder sufficient at present though water getting scarce. Scarcity existing in parts of the Sitamarhi subdivision. Number of persons on test-works on the 13th instant—77 men, 57 women and 21 children—total 155. Number of persons on gratuitous relief and in poor-houses on the 11th instant—96.
18	DARRHANGA ...	Nil	{ 8½ 13*	{ 8½ 13*	Weather hot during the day and cool at night. <i>Rabi</i> crops being harvested. Outturn very poor. Fodder and food-stocks sufficient at present. Number of persons on relief-works on the 11th instant—39,060. Number of persons gratuitously relieved—12,656. These figures include the figures of the observation areas which have now been declared. Maize selling at 13 seers a rupee at Sadar, but dearer in the interior.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	{ 9 13½*	{ 8½ 13½*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Prices of staple food-grains slightly fallen. Cattle-disease reported from Khagaria and Gogri thanas. Fodder and water scarce in some places in the Jamui subdivision.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	{ 8½ 13½*	{ 8½ 13½*	Weather seasonable. Rain urgently wanted for sowing early crops. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops fair on <i>diara</i> and irrigated lands, but bad elsewhere. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Considerable distress in the Supaul and Madhipura subdivisions. Prices of <i>makai</i> stationary, but that of rice fallen slightly. Number of persons on gratuitous relief—162 men, 416 women and 428 children—total 1,006—in the Madhipura subdivision, and 103 men, 271 women and 847 children—total 1,221—in the Supaul subdivision. Number of persons on test-works—908 men, 901 women and 229 children—total 2,038—in Madhipura, and 1,062 men, 856 women and 191 children—total 2,109 in Supaul.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops continuing to be bad. Rain very badly wanted for agricultural operations. Stocks of food-grains sufficient on account of imports. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder and water scarce in many localities. Cattle-disease reported from Dhamadaha police-station. 116 men, 185 women and 13 children—total 314—relieved gratuitously at different centres in the Sadar subdivision. Eighty-seven persons on test-works in Gopalpur and Amour on the 9th instant. Report from Araria not received.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	DARJEELING ...	Nil	{ 8 14*	{ 8 14*	Weather seasonable Hills—Barley and wheat growing. Oilseeds being harvested in some places. Fields being cleared for sowing maize Potatoes being sown. Terai—Harvesting of oilseeds and potatoes going on. Ploughing of lands for jute and <i>bhadri</i> paddy going on. Rain wanted. Agricultural stock in good condition. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Prices stationary.
23	SOUTHAL PARAGANAS.	...	{ 10½ 12*	{ 9½ 11*	Weather very hot and dry. <i>Rabi</i> crops suffering from drought in the Godda subdivision. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest No immediate apprehension of scarcity. Fodder and water insufficient in the Godda, Pakour and Rajmahal subdivisions.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10½	10½	<i>Dalua</i> paddy in ear in places. Tobacco maturing. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	12½	12	Weather hot during the day and cool at night. Threshing of <i>saradh</i> paddy and pressing of sugarcane continuing. <i>Dalua</i> paddy in ear and thriving. Vegetables doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water and food-stocks sufficient. Common rice selling at 13 seers a rupee at Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	15	15	Weather seasonable. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at 10½ seers a rupee at Khondmala. Fodder and water available.
27	PURI ...	Nil	9½	10½	Planting of sugarcane going on. <i>Dalua</i> paddy, <i>kukhi</i> and castor being harvested. <i>Mung</i> ripening. Common rice selling at 10½ seers a rupee at Khurda. 31 men, 116 women and 234 children—total 381—attending kitchens. 12 men, 158 women and 6 children—total 176—relieved gratuitously.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	Nil	13	13	Rice and sugarcane fields being ploughed for the next season's crops. Planting of sugarcane commenced. Condition of vegetables good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water supply sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Rinderpest and foot-and-mouth disease in the Bargarh Tahsil. Common rice selling at 14 seers per rupee at Bargarh.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
29	HAZARIBAGH...	Inches. Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 12^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 11\frac{1}{2}^* \end{array} \right.$	Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Sugarcane being watered. Cattle-disease in one thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
30	RANOHI ...	Nil	9	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops in progress. Outturn of these crops in the Khuati subdivision being estimated at 75 per cent. of the normal. Cattle-disease reported from six thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMU ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. <i>Mahua</i> falling. Fodder and water available. Some cattle-disease. One hundred and fifty persons on gratuitous relief from the District Board funds in pargana Japla.
32	MANBHUM ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Planting of sugarcane continuing. <i>Mahua</i> commenced falling. Outturn of cotton estimated at 75 per cent. of the normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Nirsha. Condition of agricultural stock good. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Common rice selling at 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	Nil	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	Weather seasonable. Ploughing for early rice going on. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 10 and 12 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8	8 $\frac{1}{16}$	Weather seasonable. Preparation of lands for jute and sowing of <i>bitri</i> paddy continuing. Rain urgently wanted. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water insufficient.
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.†	.....	.....	.....	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane continuing in Daspalla, Kalahandi, Patna and Gangpur. Castor being harvested in Baramba, Mayurbhanj, Baud and Dhenkanal, wheat in Nayagarh and gram in Kalahandi. State of standing crops good in Daspalla, Baud, Athgarh, Hindol and Gangpur. Recent rainfall beneficial for ploughing of lands for next season's crops in Keonjhar, Gangpur and Nilgiri. Planting of sugarcane going on in Rairakhol, Ranpur, Nayagarh, Kalahandi and Athmallik. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 9 seers in Keonjhar and 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers in Athmallik and Athgarh to 16 seers in Gangpur, Kalahandi and Dhenkanal and 18 seers in Patna.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† The report is for the week ending the 6th March 1909.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—There was no rain during the week under report. More rain is urgently wanted in Jessore, Cooch Behar and in North Bihar for preparation of lands for the next season's crops. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of *rabi* crops continue. Planting of sugarcane and ploughing of lands are going on. Lancing of poppy in Shahabad and sowing of Sumatran indigo in Saran are in progress. *Mahua* has commenced falling in Palamau and Manbhum. *Rabi* crops are very unfavourable in unirrigated tracts of North Bihar. The price of common rice has risen in Champaran, Puri and Cooch Behar and has fallen in Burdwan, Birbhum, the 24-Parganas, Murshidabad, Jessore, Patna, Gaya, Monghyr, Bhagalpur, the Sonthal Parganas, Balasore and Ranchi. Cattle-disease is reported from Midnapore, Nadia, Murshidabad, Patna, Muzaffarpur, Monghyr, Purnea, Sambalpur and Chota Nagpur (Singbhum excepted). Fodder and water supply is reported to be insufficient in Monghyr, Purnea, the Sonthal Parganas and Cooch Behar. Water is getting scarce also in parts of Murshidabad, Jessore, Muzaffarpur and Champaran. Four thousand three hundred and eighty-nine persons were on test-works in Muzaffarpur, Bhagalpur and Purnea and 39,060 persons were on famine relief-works in Darbhanga. Gratuitous relief was given to 15,443 persons in Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Palamau and 557 in Puri.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 16th March 1909.

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DISTRICT RAINFALL TABLE OF THE PROVINCE OF BENGAL
for the month of February 1909.

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION.	DIVISION.	DISTRICT.	DISTRICT OBSERVATIONS.									
			RAINFALL									
			Of month.					Since 10th October 1908.				
			Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation from mean.	Number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation.	Mean number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.
SOUTH-WEST BENGAL.	Burdwan	Burdwan ...	0·21	0·99	—0·78	0·40	1·57	0·61	3·35	—2·74	1·20	4·76
		Birbhum ...	0·12	0·73	—0·61	0·50	1·47	0·74	2·78	—2·04	1·50	4·50
		Bankura ...	0·21	0·85	—0·64	0·56	1·39	0·42	2·91	—2·49	1·34	4·70
		Midnapore ...	0·36	0·88	—0·52	1·50	1·43	0·64	3·72	—3·08	2·17	4·64
		Hooghly ...	0·12	1·15	—1·03	0·67	1·65	0·12	3·65	—3·53	0·67	5·26
		Howrah ...	0·43	0·99	—0·56	1·67	1·60	0·51	3·14	—2·63	2·00	5·04
	Presidency	24 Parganas ...	0·18	1·16	—0·98	0·63	1·74	0·29	4·52	—4·23	0·74	5·92
		Calcutta ...	0·10	1·02	—0·92	Nil	1·61	0·49	3·34	—2·85	0·35	5·63
		Nadia ...	0·02	1·09	—1·07	Nil	1·63	0·53	3·86	—3·33	1·26	5·05
		Murshidabad ...	0·12	0·76	—0·64	0·38	1·40	0·51	3·07	—2·56	1·76	4·57
		Jessore ...	Nil	1·15	—1·15	Nil	1·74	0·57	4·37	—3·80	0·94	5·71
BIHAR.	Patna	Khulna ...	0·06	1·07	—1·01	0·20	1·66	0·10	4·50	—4·40	0·40	5·64
		Patna ...	0·27	0·62	—0·35	1·17	1·35	0·46	2·72	—2·26	1·67	4·39
		Gaya ...	0·35	0·61	—0·26	1·30	1·32	1·08	2·51	—1·43	3·30	5·29
		Shahabad ...	0·43	0·72	—0·29	2·00	1·58	0·78	3·19	—2·41	3·18	4·86
		Saran ...	0·13	0·44	—0·31	0·80	1·09	0·32	2·46	—2·14	1·80	3·85
		Champanan ...	0·17	0·43	—0·26	0·33	1·12	0·34	2·09	—1·75	1·08	3·31
		Muzaffarpur ...	0·09	0·47	—0·38	0·50	1·13	0·11	2·29	—2·18	0·50	3·76
		Darbhanga ...	0·06	0·42	—0·36	Nil	1·05	0·10	2·07	—1·97	0·00	3·43
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr ...	0·28	0·65	—0·37	1·30	1·43	0·58	2·53	—1·95	2·10	4·22
		Bhagalpur ...	0·16	0·51	—0·35	0·75	1·29	0·39	2·22	—1·83	1·25	3·89
ORISSA.	Orissa	Darjeeling ...	0·27	0·89	—0·62	0·83	2·00	0·51	3·87	—3·36	1·54	6·62
		Purnea ...	0·31	0·41	—0·10	0·50	1·09	0·33	1·83	—1·50	0·50	3·27
		Sonthal Parga- nas.	0·35	0·50	—0·15	1·53	1·21	1·08	2·69	—1·61	3·26	4·11
		Sambalpur ...	0·31	0·46	—0·15	1·00	0·90	0·33	2·30	—1·97	1·00	6·20
		Angul ...	0·07	0·55	—0·48	Nil	1·05	0·07	3·65	—3·58	0·00	6·71
		Cuttack ...	0·71	0·74	—0·03	0·75	1·17	0·82	5·33	—4·51	1·00	6·58
	Orissa	Balasore ...	0·68	1·04	—0·36	1·80	1·67	0·86	4·48	—3·62	2·60	6·25
		Puri ...	1·16	0·75	+0·41	1·50	1·22	1·29	6·69	—5·40	1·71	7·30
CHOTA NAGPUR.	Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh ...	0·42	0·82	—0·40	0·50	1·62	2·05	3·16	—1·11	3·30	4·88
		Ranchi ...	0·54	0·82	—0·28	0·75	1·80	1·79	2·68	—0·89	3·75	5·07
		Palamu ...	0·61	0·63	—0·02	1·00	1·28	2·18	3·17	—0·99	3·33	4·93
		Manbhum ...	0·41	0·74	—0·33	1·43	1·67	1·02	2·66	—1·64	3·18	4·93
		Singbhum ...	0·49	0·77	—0·28	1·15	1·35	1·64	2·57	—0·93	3·15	4·72

RAINFALL SUMMARY FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 1909.

In February light showers fell in all the districts of the Province except Jessore, where the rainfall was nil. The fall was below the average everywhere except Puri, where it was in excess. On an average South-West Bengal received 0·16 inch, Bihar 0·24 inch, Orissa 0·59 inch and Chota Nagpur 0·38 inch of rain. The departure from the normal was —0·80 in South-West Bengal, —0·31 in Bihar, +0·26 in Orissa and —0·38 in Chota Nagpur.

The following table gives the Summary of the Rainfall data of each of the four Meteorological Divisions of the Province of Bengal for the month of February 1909:—

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISIONS.	RAINFALL OF MONTH.			RAINY DAYS.			RAINFALL SINCE 10TH OCTOBER 1908.	
	Average.	Normal average.	Variation.	Average number in month.	Normal average number in month.	Variation.	Average.	Normal average.
South-West Bengal ...	0·16	0·96	—0·80	0·57	1·54	—0·97	0·88	3·56
Bihar ...	0·24	0·55	—0·31	1·02	1·29	—0·27	0·53	2·52
Orissa ...	0·59	0·33	+0·26	0·96	1·34	—0·38	0·69	5·54
Chota Nagpur ...	1·38	0·76	—0·38	0·87	1·56	—0·69	1·44	2·81

W. R. GOURLAY,
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CALCUTTA,
The 15th March 1909.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 13th March 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

NATURE OF CARGO.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 13TH MARCH 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 14TH MARCH 1908.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	702	2,04,667	3,314	314	1,39,460	2,096
Jute	95	39,400*	471	120	44,830†	659
Firewood	31	28,125	453	82	42,375	618
Other articles	813	2,72,975	3,314	707	2,23,162	2,993
Total	1,811	5,45,167	7,552	1,223	4,49,817	6,365

* Weight by canal measurement, 45,700 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 54,425 ..

CALCUTTA,
The 16th March 1909.

G. G. DEY,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No.

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block

Whence imported	FOOD-GRAINS								FIBROUS PRODUCTS		OILSEEDS	
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bag†	Linseed	Rape and Mustard
	Rice	Paddy*	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL												
Burdwan	113,387	130,188	194,754		665	11,104	2	200,585	27,008	181,734	4,050	5,266
Birbhum	61,773	6,184	65,624	42	55	2,140		67,872	40	7,345	3,960	209
Bankura	11,780	9,296	17,800		2			17,602	1,156	14,605		
Midnapore	767,171	8,901	772,734	106	230	2,906	16	776,042	14,171	235,550	5,728	69
Hooghly	586,486	87,730	609,067	305	474	14,980	1,404	629,300	378,084	34,111,205	8,004	2,544
Se-Fargana	1,392,181	171,702	1,490,405		188	8,220	2,284	1,510,137	1,922,350	77,128,309	676	507
Nadia	10,704	1,095	11,398	14,610	513	331,309	109,035	406,945	861,071	148,288	66,214	678
Murshidabad	51,932	21,206	65,186	6,920	41	101,212	6,311	179,670	279,341	49,590	11,887	2,700
Jessore	40,013	3,831	42,407	109		21,675	230	64,471	349,680	20,895	3,007	1,104
Khulna	96,392	83,504	148,638	150	30	3,031	40	182,498	652,905	28,555	1,180	330
Total Bengal	3,130,829	473,707	3,426,895	22,302	2,147	407,406	119,372	4,068,122	4,435,841	111,921,312	105,106	13,387
BIHAR												
Patna	1,721	10	1,737	500		251,115	74,679	328,067	426	13,417	370,485	66,804
Gaya	369		369	101		61,823	819	63,112		10,145	142,426	5,603
Shahabad	640		640	342	305	106,861	4,380	172,258		8,415	182,506	4,732
Baran	3		3	1,107		24,020	2,810	26,830	2,097	14,000	68,605	20,487
Champan	67		67	845		26,302	15,923	30,826	813	6,230	208,958	76,289
Munaffarpur	588		588	2,431		50,365	6,783	59,137	281	10,805	304,903	40,760
Darbhanga	980		980	2,900	65	65,714	7,027	70,656	7,610	7,770	360,574	47,213
Monghyr	72		72	21,430	645	421,387	14,966	460,530	6,798	50,085	240,529	142,345
Shahjhpur	191		191	67,027	950	84,444	60,696	203,227	100,738	11,410	203,588	159,034
Farruk	22	1,254	803	6,678		11,042	3,728	22,254	1,235,147	42,050	12,701	72,618
South Pargana	787		787	55,028		54,758	12,422	122,993	61,612	10,170	46,877	51,061
Darjeeling	12	10	18				99	117	106,552	403,900	132	
Cooch Behar				99	392			401	270,840	2,520	1,029	9,716
Total Bihar	5,292	1,274	6,098	148,344	2,456	1,219,150	201,220	1,577,258	1,792,828	606,717	2,283,850	709,513
ORISSA												
Cuttack	80,406	.....	80,406	.....	.....	8,831	1,241	90,037	6,671	85,330	108	.....
Balasore	73,015	20,408	93,770	.....	.....	1,511	.....	87,581	132,890	351,002	317	.....
Puri	27,803	.....	27,803	.....	.....	.....	.....	27,803	.....	6,650	.....	.....
Sambalpur	50,128	.....	50,128	.....	.....	34	1,072	81,234	17	840	1	.....
Mourbhauj State	49,375	809	49,881	.....	.....	.....	.....	49,481	37	455	18	.....
Total Orissa	310,236	21,855	328,806	.....	.....	10,070	2,313	336,685	130,405	445,177	531	.....
CHOTA NAGPUR												
Hasariagh	8	.....	2	.....	73	1,406	235	1,710	.....	13,370	772	.....
Manchi	101	.....	101	.....	.....	.....	.....	101	.....	1,540	.....	.....
Palamau	.....	2	1	.....	.....	730	.....	740	.....	12,040	1,034	507
Manbhum	2,938	.....	2,938	.....	77	207	.....	3,228	.....	19,775	134	.....
Singbhum	86,219	6	86,213	.....	67	384	14	36,684	107	10,000	741	.....
Gangpur (Tributary State)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	.....	.....	.....
Total Chota Nagpur	39,200	8	39,205	.....	217	2,736	249	42,467	277	63,385	3,583	507
Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal	3,485,617	496,844	3,798,144	170,046	4,820	1,729,908	323,154	6,024,732	6,418,351	113,036,491	2,303,075	723,407
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES												
B. B. and Assam	1,038,353	81,578	1,095,591	30,752	2,073	98,774	19,187	1,247,077	15,464,206	1,635,305	111,312	473,346
Burma	6,005,080	3,317,216	8,679,210	.....	.....	79,418	87,208	8,843,535	.....	24,178	.....	8
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	1,850	.....	1,850	1,410,540	21,094	409,063	48,737	1,891,310	13,532	60,305	627,687	803,819
Punjab	1,100	5	1,109	1,026,797	31,089	209,938	48,729	1,378,562	.....	87,515	.....	5,280
Sind and British Baluchistan	16,381	.....	16,381	45,102	.....	42,517	16	104,106	.....	70	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	44,571	2,353	46,042	63,905	162	81,437	335	101,881	18	11,865	24,961	1,680
Bombay	890	5	893	3,580	20	11,130	205	15,018	.....	595	.....	612
Madras	48,031	1,550	49,000	.....	.....	10,258	56,533	206,803	.....	15,082	.....	1,034
Cochin	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rajputana and Central India	.....	.....	.....	1,611	32	3,502	21	5,226	.....	3,640	3,923	8,737
Nizam's Territory	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	171	1,406	1,577	.....	35	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	4	.....	60	.....	.....
Alleppy	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL	11,242,798	3,900,551	13,086,265	2,750,623	60,700	2,821,251	585,726	10,913,055	21,890,107	114,576,531	3,060,689	2,018,313
1907 ..	8,170,151	3,003,575	10,478,085	3,808,650	133,878	3,088,334	600,847	18,290,344	20,320,047	130,300,173	5,018,717	2,566,408
1906 ..	10,470,144	2,541,189	12,120,856	3,448,786	164,618	3,478,430	430,571	10,652,320	20,555,549	121,953,870	3,102,152	2,027,821

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

No. II

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. I were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the nine months, April to December 1908

ROUTES	FOOD-GRAINS						FIBROUS PRODUCTS		OILSEEDS	
	Rice	Paddy*	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Jute, raw	Gunny-baggs	Linseed	Rape and Mustard
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.	Mds	Mds
By boat	2,845,312	225,986	8,467	970	178,061	1,380	3,337,687	107,514,954	42,381	19,253
„ river steamer ...	47,518	61,539	5,223	199	64,122	7,331	2,005,862	194,850	45,574	425,212
{ E. I. Railway	208,899	54,014	2,591,581	50,154	1,805,927	292,959	1,658,289	594,065	2,796,433	1,475,343
{ E. B. S. Railway (including H. O. Railway)	608,407	145,125	45,482	3,223	501,006	133,567	13,109,270	3,727,640	148,840	95,554
{ A.-B. Railway	1,872	1,144	.....	20	.....	.....	32,060	6,230	.....	42
{ B.-N. Railway	547,571	20,784	61,114	204	104,812	26,362	15,060	583,380	27,108	151
{ D.-S. Railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,555	.....	.....
{ B. P. Railway	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,170	.....	.....
{ Howrah-Amra and Howrah-Sheekhale Light Railways	3,020	79	.....	.....	9	.....	2,476	40,445	148	.....
„ road	603,512	43,276	22	.....	875	3,450	560,072	2,152,107	300	725
„ sea	6,671,648	3,351,044	47,134	20	165,899	120,621	133,931	52,105	34	1,933
{ 1908 ...	11,242,790	3,909,551	2,769,623	60,790	2,821,251	585,720	21,896,107	114,876,591	3,060,958	2,018,213
{ 1907 ...	8,170,151	3,893,575	3,898,050	133,878	3,088,334	690,547	20,229,857	130,300,173	5,012,717	2,666,408
{ 1906 ...	10,479,144	2,641,188	3,448,786	164,618	3,478,430	430,371	20,555,549	121,953,870	3,102,152	2,027,821
Total ...										

ROUTES	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	SUGAR		TOBACCO	
						Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By boat ... ..	.....	10,716	1	9,363	.....	5,439	187,034	64,595	61
„ river steamer ...	772,834	31,491	2,041	5,839	3,020	250	4,166	12,752	19,106
{ E. I. Railway	1,620	259,023	517†	87,414,343	17,311	4,723	39,891	63,101	8,514
{ E. B. S. Railway (including H. O. Railway)	680,053	17,893	12,346	376,657	256	.....	57,236	274,534	332
{ A.-B. Railway	133,157	2,487	.....	232	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
{ B.-N. Railway	2,081	81,418	76†	26,720,460	.....	21,290	8	5,770	2,739
{ D.-S. Railway	121,886	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
{ B. P. Railway	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
{ Howrah-Amra and Howrah-Sheekhale Light Railways	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	12	2
„ road ... ..	.....	6,033	.....	140,029	.....	264,320	72,486	29,580	55,102
„ sea	9,209	187,855	9	1,361	.....	95,316	.....	25,255	4,392
{ 1908 ...	1,721,440	596,947	14,089†	114,668,284	20,617	391,338	360,841	475,599	93,248
{ 1907 ...	1,865,123	742,802	12,584	105,100,652	21,110	376,351	243,858	540,450	34,573
{ 1906 ...	1,856,778	845,009	9,355	112,905,744	19,307	339,799	207,544	472,711	31,008
Total ...									

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunny cloth, 3 yards = 1 bag

No. III

Imports of certain Articles into Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the nine months, April to December 1908

		COTTON PIECE-GOODS		COTTON YARN		Salt	Kerosene oil
		European	Indian	European	Indian		
From Foreign Countries—		Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
United Kingdom	— — — — —	10,79,60,118	— — — —	75,456	— — — —	3,898,525	3
Other countries	— — — — —	20,54,638	— — — —	20,975	— — — —	5,731,469	2,621,807
Total		11,00,14,751	— — — —	96,431	— — — —	9,627,994	2,621,810
Coastwise—							
From British ports in—							
Bengal	— — — — —	— — — —	450	— — — —	59	— — — —	— — — —
Eastern Bengal and Assam	— — — — —	2,975	720	— — — —	— — — —	— — — —	— — — —
Bombay	— — — — —	2,305	1,10,87,095	169	129,539	569,886	— — — —
Sind and British Beluchistan	— — — — —	4,420	— — — —	— — — —	— — — —	— — — —	— — — —
Madras	— — — — —	1,108	3,60,025	— — — —	— — — —	70	— — — —
Burma	— — — — —	60,531	38,389	11	87	— — — —	2,064,257
Total		71,329	1,14,77,878	190	129,695	570,605	2,064,257
Total		11,00,86,080	1,14,77,878	96,611	159,685	10,198,599	4,686,067
1907		16,33,07,617	1,28,87,362	100,272	101,714	10,979,675	3,731,558
1906		12,61,91,683	66,74,080	94,380	84,910	9,045,854	3,417,971

No. IV

Exports of Principal Articles from Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign countries) in the nine months, April to December 1908.

	FOOD-GRAINS								FINEOUS PRODUCTS.	
	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bags
<i>Coastwise—</i>	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
<i>To British ports in—</i>										
Bengal ...	147,195	97,313	60,821	1	1,239	1,497	8	63,556	.....	64,880
Eastern Bengal and Assam.	20	.....	20	65	9,026	7,666	17	16,794	.....	173,447
Bombay ...	91,220	.....	91,220	144	.....	.....	6,331	97,698	.....	17,691,075
Sind and British Baluchistan.	200	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	*5,155,350
Madras ...	31,429	1	31,430	3,035	12,310	91,026	4,539	133,240	3	8,029,707
Burma ...	19,840	.....	19,840	41,387	131,224	267,952	30,428	499,831	*4.59	10,378,215
<i>To Indian ports not British—</i>										
Kathiawar ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	.....
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	190	99	.....	289	.....	435,700
Goa ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37,500
Alleppey ...	1,029	.....	1,029	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,029	55	81,100
Total ...	290,923	97,314	294,500	44,032	153,989	359,130	41,320	803,637	535	51,940,944
<i>To Foreign countries—</i>										
United Kingdom	20,397	.....	20,397	.....	.....	30,143	.....	129,540	6,177,074	38,570,575
Other countries	2,043,931	913	571	15,519	39,659	151,229	20,381	226,359	10,258,092	440,761,354
Total ...	2,103,328	913	99,968	15,519	39,659	181,372	20,381	355,899	16,435,166	485,331,929
Total ... { 1908	2,394,251	98,227	304,528	60,151	192,648	540,602	61,707	1,119,539	16,465,701	137,278,873
1907	2,077,162	4,786	2,680,155	190,921	395,408	775,017	85,759	4,129,158	12,713,873	595,193,326
1906	3,866,256	953	3,866,851	174,572	334,490	702,206	73,251	5,151,570	13,784,074	494,251,619

	OILSEEDS		Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	SUGAR		TOBACCO	
	Linseed	Rape and Mustard						Refined	Unrefined	Un-manufactured	Manufactured
<i>Coastwise—</i>	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
<i>To British ports in—</i>											
Bengal ...	.....	7	19	17	.....	75,133	.....	4,502	490	3,112	181
Eastern Bengal and Assam.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	280,716	.....	13,669	3,180	58	23
Bombay ...	1,701	6,537	29,025	.....	.....	21,229,411	.....	5,126	9	.....	230
Sind and British Baluchistan.	130	.....	824	.....	.....	13,257,223	.....	.....	.....	.....	417
Madras ...	2,096	12,017	1,777	.....	.....	8,796,154	63	2,240	50	.....	1,196
Burma ...	15,959	10,073	6,290	383	244	7,989,828	4	10,737	13,441	128,910	2,539
<i>To Indian ports not British—</i>											
Kathiawar ...	.....	.....	28	.....	.....	411,056	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	3,404	.....	123,222	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goa ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	712,341	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	164	.....	.....	.....	.....	16
Total ...	19,895	28,634	37,962	3,804	244	32,877,147	67	36,274	17,219	133,680	4,605
<i>To Foreign countries—</i>											
United Kingdom	1,519,296	46,519	1,363,939	18,699	1,794	499	2,006	.....	.....	.....	221
Other countries	1,344,823	638,938	511,700	227,256	7,328	13,498,180	2,774	2,088	5	10,201	1,742
Total ...	2,863,919	685,257	1,775,639	245,955	9,117	13,498,628	4,780	2,096	5	10,201	1,963
Total ... { 1908	2,583,714	713,891	1,513,901	219,759	9,361	60,345,775	4,837	38,960	17,214	142,281	6,848
1907	2,213,513	736,439	1,823,515	380,001	12,238	59,726,889	4,269	59,479	16,642	216,687	9,402
1906	2,805,918	211,753	1,867,267	489,622	12,199	69,673,331	5,793	69,040	12,168	141,202	6,164

No. V

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the nine months, April to December 1908.

Whither exported	COTTON PIECE-GOODS*		COTTON YARN		Salt	KEROSENE OIL		Gunny bags†
	European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budget	
BENGAL	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.
Burdwan	24,43,747	1,88,982	1,595	10,678	286,042	3,658	99,715	312,150
Birbhum	14,91,825	60,489	513	11,568	151,774	276	30,294	159,185
Bankura	4,70,717	20,043	.....	7,787	69,774	8	40	47,072
Midnapore	29,40,016	5,27,252	6,582	19,641	373,834	2,162	101,816	154,330
Hooghly	9,46,305	6,17,136	4,570	987	263,339	27,891	99,360	214,220
24-Paraganas	15,83,205	10,04,422	3,687	1,113	146,617	116,844	117,957	258,068
Calcutta	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	634,019	.....
Nadia	26,49,123	5,00,806	5,429	11,921	170,617	8,556	85,730	295,847
Murshidabad	13,81,203	1,53,181	765	3,023	16,398	960	64,55	197,316
Jessore	73,306	8,25,456	131	9,257	188,506	15,356	8,728	41,905
Khulna	2,65,138	6,20,555	773	1,040	90,041	34,338	31,666	41,310
Total Bengal	1,83,60,075	46,11,325	21,045	69,655	1,796,179	210,311	1,310,790	1,653,261
BIHAR	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.
Patna	21,55,883	30,827	2,778	7,316	256,208	342	164,027	1,035,196
Gaya	14,83,471	10,599	129	18,917	160,441	115	51,541	118,050
Shahabad	49,18,876	18,245	105	3,495	164,213	323	57,722	192,710
Baran	30,81,074	19,647	94	2,681	171,090	256	26,763	39,070
Ohamparan	30,35,901	66,110	138	4,451	157,501	519	18,872	381,780
Muzaffarpur	40,95,030	17,005	14	2,533	380,031	1,855	69,077	380,481
Darbhanga	88,05,551	32,517	138	3,229	284,786	538	74,779	167,995
Monkhyr	28,98,799	17,240	20	10,044	365,305	620	61,178	779,79
Shahulpur	12,03,918	1,01,328	751	8,715	226,644	184	66,444	50,45
Purnea	27,75,306	1,04,869	64	8,141	511,332	610	70,913	155,535
Southern Paraganas	15,93,637	24,369	351	15,720	155,717	431	13,271	515,140
Darjeeling	2,52,750	1,46,389	127	3,412	56,293	893	21,849	40,100
Cooch Behar	6,50,017	59,620	11	780	35,590	1,175	8,436	92,565
Total Bihar	3,66,12,707	6,63,581	5,593	25,544	2,592,611	7,443	762,671	4,792,710
ORISSA	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.
Cuttack	6,66,159	20,119	5	15,78	18,018	138	.....	103,131
Salsore	3,77,739	8,337	1,722	1,365	205,194	152	11,459	135,291
Puri	1,36,252	2,509	6	3,040	29	71	.....	29,510
Sambalpur	2,11,131	1,390	.....	15	497	126	.....	12,337
Mourbhunj State	94,750	620	.....	320	27,938	53	.....	3,56
Total Orissa	10,86,013	32,706	1,733	30,168	251,577	510	11,358	418,371
CHOTA NAGPUR	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.
Hazaribagh	4,73,219	26,102	27	5,461	98,907	391	16,063	6,230
Ranchi	4,41,436	52,082	1	1,151	91,657	186	388	19,958
Palamou	1,74,157	2,556	2	183	56,932	59	6,366	16,820
Manbhum	12,26,610	22,418	22	10,221	177,694	3,410	14,664	44,965
Singbhum	3,67,397	5,202	.....	3,946	106,842	248	43	60,375
Gangpur (Tributary State)	79,720	.....	.....	6	1,188	90	5	7,120
Total Chota Nagpur	30,60,655	1,11,450	52	19,372	632,750	1,384	67,585	158,795
Total Exports to the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	5,35,21,080	54,12,061	31,423	224,671	5,174,117	222,678	2,182,117	6,963,322
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No.
E. B. and Assam	3,46,46,275	61,04,476	73,042	59,382	2,507,257	134,717	1,111,524	2,146,379
Batna	7,18,868	2,60,105	6,915	17,640	126	.....	1	16,848,211
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	2,82,11,740	3,91,235	6,745	5,598	368,160	6,052	625,022	2,661,504
Punjab	61,07,152	77,745	5,194	442	384	1,100	31,801	2,844,911
and British Baluchistan	1,157	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,100,140
Kashmir Territory	647	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	10,09,429	13,591	406	514	6,001	638	7,083	1,442,169
Bombay	65,005	30,219	.....	790	.....	.....	.....	29,882,700
Madras	8,22,140	79,357	429	11,359	1,138	278	715	9,887,777
Malpata and Central India	11,56,912	15,950	462	11	1	1,040	12,272	140,701
Nizam's Territory	67,339	.....	31	294	.....	.....	.....	97,611
Mysore	.....	243	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,569
Alleppey	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	81,100
Pondichery	3,827	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	135,79
Goa	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37,596
Port Blair	3,048	145	1	471	.....	.....	261	.....
Nicobar	928	730	.....	.....	.....	.....	78	500
GRAND TOTAL	12,03,36,264	1,26,27,779	124,018	350,514	8,036,811	339,139	2,991,131	12,311,657
1907	13,32,46,380	95,90,969	156,140	356,512	7,831,077	352,581	3,701,110	87,544,108
1906	12,97,95,709	48,12,256	170,183	304,112	8,272,399	391,308	3,590,612	6,537,456

* The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.

† Including gunny cloth, 3 yards = 1 bag.

‡ Represents the trade registered at the traffic registering stations only.

No. VI

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. V were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the nine months, April to December 1908.

ROUTES		COTTON PIECE-GOODS*		COTTON YARN		Salt	KEROSENE OIL		Gunnys-bags†	
		European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge		
		Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	
By boat	...	7,51,800	10,57,790	8,308	88	1,055,102	180,680	273,258	237,054	
„ river steamer	...	2,10,22,605	24,87,302	68,106	23,371	1,592,990	24,071	823,207	1,474,090	
„ rail	E. I. Railway	3,50,06,944	6,16,996	8,757	88,209	1,400,023	12,025	930,837	5,431,560	
	E. B. S. Railway (including B. O. Railway)	2,40,42,553	40,85,380	12,000	65,900	1,002,767	17,364	1,207,697	1,335,170	
	A.-W. Railway	18,19,194	24,58,380	5,134	15,250	4,606	3,785	3,278	239,400	
	B.-N. Railway	60,50,533	2,12,608	436	67,345	731,746	2,050	9,753	2,046,693	
	B. and N.-W. Railway	2,50,80,071	2,16,561	1,836	23,032	1,488,405	4,659	364,503	2,990,450	
	O. and B. Railway	52,58,773	30,632	346	89	.....	3,0	253,134	364,420
	Howrah-Amra and Light Railways	5,60,164	.....	1,770	.....	12,193	1,826	.....	3,055
	Minor Railways	36,73,035	1,93,391	4,731	7,196	10,514	1,008	23,501	6,131,174	
„ road	...	14,01,929	10,34,301	4,206	1,127	78,459	110,504	10,383	141,460	
„ sea	...	10,40,712	2,25,100	9,000	59,897	60,408	.....	11,404	51,916,944
Total		1908	12,63,36,263	1,26,27,730	124,634	350,514	4,056,814	398,792	3,071,251	72,311,653
		1907	13,32,46,380	95,00,900	135,440	356,512	7,834,977	372,594	3,711,411	87,549,103
		1906	12,07,95,759	46,14,250	170,183	304,112	8,272,303	391,208	3,506,811	66,737,436

* The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

March 16, 1909.

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**Abstract of the Results of Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory
in the month of February 1909.**

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month	29.962		
The average pressure of February from 44 years' registers ...	29.953		
The highest pressure in the month	30.147	11th	10
The lowest pressure in the month	29.763	21st	16
The range of pressure	0.385		
	Hours.		
The total number of hours of bright sunshine during the month	221.0		
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ...	318.0		
The mean temperature of the month	71.9		
The average temperature of February from 19 years' registers ...	70.0		
The highest temperature in the month	93.2	24th	
The lowest temperature in the month	52.3	9th	
The range of temperature during the month	40.9		
The mean daily range of temperature	25.1		
The greatest range of temperature in one day	31.0	9th	
	Per cent.		
The mean humidity of the month	60		
The average humidity of February from 19 years' registers ..	65		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension of the month	0.466		
The average vapour tension of February from 19 years' registers	0.468		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	2.30		
The average cloud proportion of February from 32 years' registers	2.13		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	0.10		
The total rainfall indicated by a Beckley's self-registering rain-gauge (mouth of the gauge about 8 feet above the ground)	0.09		
The average fall of February from 23 years' registers ...	1.02		
The greatest fall in 24 hours	0.07	1st	
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month	Nil		
The average number of rainy days in February from 23 years' registers	2		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation during the month	133.0		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures	47.7		
The greatest sun temperature	141.5	28th	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature	55.7	7th	
The mean temperature of the nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	54.3		
The mean depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature at 4 feet above the ground	5.9		
The greatest depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature	7.4	28th	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day	75.3		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	176	21st	
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour	15	21st	11 to noon.

The number of hours with winds from each of the eight points—

N. 120, N.E. 57, E. 43, S.E. 23, S. 40, S.W. 119, W. 81, N.W. 105, Calm 84.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), the 15th March 1909.

C. W. PEAKE,
for Director-General of Observatories.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 7th to 13th March 1909.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	TEMPERATURE.				HYGROMETRY.				WIND.		Rains.	WEATHER.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1909.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches	°	%			Inches.	
March	7th	146.2	9.3	29.837	81.4	97.8	31.0	66.8	68.6	0.550	61.6	58	SW, SW by W and SSW.	147	Nil	Clear, Δ .
"	8th	144.3	8.7	7.15	82.6	100.2	33.4	66.8	67.1	.482	57.9	50	SW, WNW and WSW.	179	Nil	Chiefly clear.
"	9th	143.5	9.2	.740	78.6	95.0	31.1	63.9	61.6	.333	47.7	40	SSW and WNW	162	Nil	Clear, Δ .
"	10th	143.0	9.2	.767	80.4	97.7	32.9	64.8	65.5	.441	55.4	40	SSW, W and SW by S.	149	Nil	Clear, Δ .
"	11th	144.1	8.8	.786	81.1	97.0	32.0	65.0	66.1	.466	56.9	52	SW by S, WSW and SW by W.	107	Nil	Clear, Δ .
"	12th	144.6	8.9	.820	79.2	93.5	26.9	66.6	59.0	.252	40.4	28	SW by W and NNW.	132	Nil	Clear, Δ .
"	13th	144.4	8.9	.853	76.2	93.7	33.2	60.5	59.5	.295	44.5	38	SW, WNW and SSW.	98	Nil	Partially cloudy

The mean pressure of the seven days 29.788
 The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 29.840

The total number of hours of bright sunshine 63.0
 The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine 82.9

The mean temperature of the seven days 79.8
 The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 78.6
 The extreme variation of temperature 39.7
 The maximum temperature 100.2

The highest velocity of the wind in one hour 16
 The mean relative humidity 45
 The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 68

The total fall of rain from 7th to 13th March 1909 Nil
 The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 0.23
 The total fall from 1st January to 13th March 1909 0.10
 The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 2.28

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Kundsén's Barograph and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

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EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Statement of Goods Traffic in Staples carried during the four weeks and five days ending 31st December 1908
as compared with the same period of 1907.

STAPLES.	1907.		1908.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes	18,467	10,531	17,277	18,658	.....	.....	1,190	1,877
Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways	1,47,15,576	16,81,508	1,82,55,255	21,21,318	35,39,679	4,42,740	.....	.....
Cotton—	1,48,151	1,24,434	5,40,023	1,86,741	4,00,872	60,307	.....	.....
(1) Raw	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(2) Manufactured—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(a) Twist and Yarn, European	1,982	3,005	5,608	4,987	3,626	1,922	.....	.....
(b) Ditto, Indian	70,008	20,531	68,415	24,039	.....	4,408	1,023	.....
(c) Piece-goods, European	1,41,685	1,13,473	1,35,019	1,55,810	.....	12,307	6,030	.....
(d) Ditto, Indian	32,056	22,029	28,311	20,762	.....	.....	7,012	1,807
(e) Others	31,386	8,849	18,651	7,118	.....	.....	15,782	1,461
Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	22,352	13,423	15,012	2,330	.....	.....	6,720	11,084
Drugs—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Intoxicating, other than opium	651	800	328	205	.....	.....	323	95
2.—Non-intoxicating	20,582	15,531	16,754	14,520	.....	.....	3,828	1,911
Dyes and Tans—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Alizarine and aniline dyes	1,288	983	1,049	1,113	.....	130	239	.....
2.—Cutch	6,020	2,409	3,176	1,540	.....	.....	2,844	.....
3.—Indigo	23,359	17,351	1,815	14,503	.....	.....	2,534	.....
4.—Myrabolams	65,072	15,075	12,612	3,390	.....	.....	49,121	12,572
5.—Tanning barks	13,882	949	4,866	570	.....	.....	9,016	360
6.—Turmeric	26,228	15,093	26,599	16,023	671	43	.....	.....
7.—Others	10,910	2,468	21,894	7,167	10,978	4,691	.....	.....
Fodder—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Oatcake	1,09,097	29,754	1,68,438	25,561	.....	.....	59,341	4,130
2.—Hay, straw and grass	67,117	7,140	17,229	8,143	.....	.....	50,888	.....
Fruits and vegetables, fresh	48,942	29,276	29,126	10,110	.....	.....	19,816	19,166
Grains and Pulse—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Gram and pulse	7,44,601	1,86,468	6,12,426	1,38,906	.....	.....	1,32,175	17,438
2.—Jowar and bajra	3,48,158	51,063	2,65,311	4,963	.....	.....	82,847	8,000
3.—Rice in the husk	47,718	9,200	3,52,596	61,772	3,04,878	52,132	.....	.....
4.—Rice not in the husk	9,02,935	2,00,392	9,49,176	2,22,072	46,240	1,110	.....	.....
5.—Wheat	6,12,346	1,95,563	2,68,181	91,857	.....	.....	3,71,147	1,01,640
6.—Wheat flour	2,00,709	71,017	1,33,876	5,615	.....	.....	75,833	1,11,440
7.—Others	4,02,610	79,570	5,29,061	90,028	1,27,341	11,058	.....	.....
Hides and Skins—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Hides of cattle	67,105	34,019	1,11,344	66,931	14,139	32,915	.....	.....
2.—Skins of sheep, &c.	35,056	13,055	11,821	17,793	9,765	3,848	.....	.....
Horns	2,990	1,188	3,115	1,466	325	268	.....	.....
Hemp (Indian) and other fibres (excluding jute)	1,57,638	51,118	1,25,686	31,280	.....	.....	51,951	1,818
Jute—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Raw	5,38,243	69,746	7,42,650	1,33,147	2,04,387	63,401	.....	.....
2.—Gunny-bags and cloth	2,25,018	1,20,598	2,16,611	88,303	.....	.....	8,407	.....
Lac	1,12,969	54,739	59,951	48,802	.....	.....	53,018	9,937
Leather—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Unwrought	6,102	6,326	2,604	1,550	3,502	.....	.....	.....
2.—Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	3,532	2,214	2,172	138	.....	.....	1,360	.....
Liquors—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Ale and Beer	24,313	7,817	31,151	8,470	4,639	553	.....	.....
2.—Wines and spirits of all kinds, including country spirit	10,380	18,241	11,563	10,767	.....	.....	4,820	2,509
3.—All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer	897	175	318	100	.....	.....	579	.....
Metals—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Brass, unwrought	3,646	2,020	4,570	3,247	924	1,221	.....	.....
2.—Do., manufactured	30,649	11,512	35,538	17,250	4,889	5,738	.....	.....
3.—Copper, unwrought	49	124	66	.....	630	331	.....	.....
4.—Do., manufactured	3,058	3,080	2,792	1,318	.....	.....	1,160	1,770
5.—Iron and steel	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(1) Unwrought (cast, slag, pig and old for remanufacture)	94,060	14,020	93,938	13,360	.....	.....	740	1,000
(2) Wrought—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(a) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel	2,22,985	79,305	1,69,701	68,317	.....	.....	53,284	1,588
(b) Machinery and mill work	51,209	19,760	45,769	10,747	.....	.....	5,440	.....
(c) Other manufactures, including hardware and cutlery	1,20,042	60,492	1,16,231	33,565	.....	.....	1,811	24,92
6.—Metallic ores	2,19,613	9,225	23,365	815	.....	.....	1,96,248	8,413
7.—Zinc and spelter	6,518	2,720	839	445	.....	.....	5,679	2,273
8.—Others	2,917	1,346	26,788	19,747	23,871	18,491	.....	.....
Mineral substances—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Marble and stone	7,24,170	1,47,217	3,92,318	32,585	.....	.....	3,31,852	1,14,627
2.—Chalk and lime	2,71,288	23,231	41,478	74,128	.....	30,897	2,29,810	4,000
3.—Others	8,079	4,568	4,710	383	.....	.....	3,369	4,28
Oil—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Kerosine	3,51,171	1,34,168	1,11,176	60,486	.....	.....	2,39,995	8,000
2.—Castor	7,952	3,235	7,159	2,086	.....	.....	7	1,00
3.—Coconut	8,891	3,078	7,966	2,940	.....	.....	.....	.....
4.—Mustard and rape	10,325	4,297	18,467	8,027	2,142	3,739	.....	.....
5.—Others	31,425	15,318	29,848	8,798	.....	.....	1,577	.....
Oilseeds—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Castor	1,98,812	24,590	1,29,615	24,170	.....	.....	69,197	.....
2.—Earthnuts	4,905	1,906	8,334	1,539	.....	3,428	.....	.....
3.—Linseed	3,00,314	40,227	1,29,625	31,551	.....	.....	1,70,689	2,71
4.—Poppy	18,713	2,748	18,239	4,977	.....	.....	.....	.....
5.—Rape and mustard	2,66,088	28,379	1,83,047	38,744	.....	.....	10,405	24,411
6.—Til or jujili	1,92,796	12,039	2,13,005	47,708	1,11,197	32,678	.....	.....
7.—Others	3,71,370	44,220	3,11,295	48,333	.....	1,113	60,162	.....
Opium	60,890	55,200	51,221	17,219	.....	.....	9,669	7,991
Paper and pasteboard	41,686	19,131	49,248	31,495	.....	.....	15,271	1,57
Provisions—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.—Dried fruits and nuts	40,441	21,060	36,925	20,426	.....	.....	3,516	60
2.—Ghee	1,02,602	81,720	75,922	65,036	.....	.....	26,680	17,684
3.—Potatoes	2,64,707	95,369	3,14,321	1,10,163	50,717	44,854	.....	.....
4.—Others	2,13,803	62,405	26,097	89,304	.....	18,151	1,17,501	.....

STAPLES.	1907.		1908.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Railway plant & rolling-stock carried for the public & foreign railways—								
1.—Locomotives, engines and tenders and parts thereof	2,102	554	1,184	08	.....	.....	1,008	492
2.—Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	205	286	10	14	.....	.....	240	272
3.—Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	390	174	25	100	.....	.....	374	69
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron	.....	.....	759	118	750	118	.....	.....
(c) Others	3,70,094	1,38,873	5,08,401	62,909	1,37,407	.....	.....	75,984
Salt	10,68,963	2,14,119	6,11,427	1,39,317	.....	.....	4,47,526	84,802
Sulphate and other saline substances—								
1.—Sulphate	68,012	38,324	75,013	16,904	7,001	.....	.....	21,420
2.—Other saline substances	21,224	16,945	80,000	9,087	58,785	.....	.....	6,558
Silk—								
1.—Raw—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	2,700	1,185	3,903	1,512	1,303	877	.....	.....
2.—Wool—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	41	95	200	224	165	129	.....	.....
Spices—								
1.—Nutmegs	41,368	43,572	28,135	10,901	.....	.....	13,233	23,671
2.—Cardamoms	2,204	2,788	3,251	3,728	957	900	.....	.....
3.—Chillies	19,568	6,259	48,788	20,720	24,230	23,470	.....	.....
4.—Ginger	9,349	3,519	7,946	4,727	.....	1,208	1,703	.....
5.—Pepper	6,590	6,989	9,480	14,283	2,900	7,284	.....	.....
6.—Others	41,971	27,443	34,050	19,624	.....	.....	6,912	7,819
Sugar—								
1.—Refined	1,51,722	50,432	2,41,056	99,607	90,834	40,175	.....	.....
2.—Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	2,20,174	80,495	1,93,740	57,590	.....	.....	35,434	23,305
(b) Gur, rab, jagkree, molasses and other saccharine produce	4,51,617	1,12,785	7,01,093	1,23,593	2,50,376	10,808	.....	.....
Tea—								
1.—Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Indian	11,100	6,080	8,520	7,584	.....	1,405	1,580	.....
Tobacco	94,500	44,364	88,138	54,727	.....	10,473	6,452	.....
Wood—								
1.—Timber, unwrought	2,00,929	30,744	1,40,431	10,781	.....	.....	60,498	10,063
2.—Manufactures	67,133	23,076	51,310	16,133	.....	.....	15,828	6,043
Wool—								
1.—Raw	7,596	4,311	8,219	1,485	623	.....	.....	2,826
2.—Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	2,303	2,277	1,443	1,652	.....	.....	700	625
(b) Piece-goods, European	1,589	790	1,011	502	.....	.....	575	284
(c) Ditto, Indian	2,846	2,463	1,811	1,897	.....	.....	1,035	466
(d) Other sorts of manufactures	8,825	6,414	8,793	9,028	.....	3,214	32	.....
All other articles of merchandise—								
1.—Hones	1,17,497	28,777	1,25,707	28,134	8,310	.....	.....	643
2.—Firewood	1,69,092	8,244	2,06,554	10,141	37,462	1,807	.....	.....
3.—Indigo seed	1,055	920	5,314	1,110	4,259	151	.....	.....
4.—Paints and colours	10,302	7,702	4,075	5,513	.....	.....	6,287	2,189
5.—Seeds other than oilseeds	12,074	3,080	10,004	2,069	.....	.....	2,070	411
6.—Others	14,08,484	4,32,419	13,40,514	3,67,704	.....	.....	58,970	64,025
Total	2,54,12,290	48,34,362	2,87,69,075	50,04,370	33,47,079	1,70,008	.....	.....
Military stores	28,566	96,250	41,180	54,831	12,594	.....	.....	.....
Coal for railway	20,88,058	1,72,510	21,09,538	1,65,933	81,780	.....	.....	6,577
Railway materials	41,10,431	1,15,898	43,50,044	1,14,164	2,33,613	.....	.....	1,734
Live-stock	.....	40,902	.....	88,460	.....	.....	.....	1,893
Total	3,16,45,331	61,09,382	3,53,21,017	63,77,770	30,75,060	1,78,398	.....	.....

H. G. EMMERSON,
for Chief Auditor.

TRAFFIC AUDIT OFFICE, GOODS DIVISION, CALCUTTA, the 10th March 1909.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

Abstract of Principal Commodities carried over the Eastern Bengal State Railway during the month of December 1908 as compared with the same month of the previous year (for four weeks).

No.	STAPLES.	1908.	1907.	Increase in 1908.	Decrease in 1908.	EXPLANATIONS OF FLUCTUATIONS BY TRAFFIC SUPERINTENDENT.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
1	Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	227	133	94	.....
2	Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	80,302	53,246	27,056	.....
3	Cotton—					
	(1) Raw	333	130	203	.....
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Twist and yarn, European	55	52	3	.....
	(b) Ditto, Indian	450	425	25	.....
	(c) Piece-goods, European	2,590	2,583	7	.....
	(d) Ditto, Indian	801	826	25	.....
	(e) Others .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4	Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	230	143	96	.....
5	Drugs—					
	(1) Intoxicating, other than opium	2	.....	2	.....
	(2) Non-intoxicating—					
	(a) Medicinal preparations	5	14	.....	9	
	(b) Others	160	327	.....	167	
6	Dyes and Tans—					
	(1) Al (Morinda citrifolia) .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(2) Alizarine and Aniline dyes .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(3) Cutch	30	62	.....	32	
	(4) Indigo	20	6	14	.....
	(5) Myrabolams .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(6) Tanning barks .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(7) Turmeric	400	468	68	.....
	(8) Others	72	30	42	.....
7	Fodder—					
	(1) Oilcake	1,193	805	388	.....
	(2) Hay, straw and grass	1,667	2,405	738	.....
8	Fruits and vegetables, fresh	1,651	1,426	225	.....
9	Grain and Pulse—					
	(1) Gram and pulse	3,895	3,735	160	.....
	(2) Jawar and bajra .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(3) Rice in the husk	18,258	11,700	6,558	.....
	(4) Do. not in the husk	19,750	8,637	11,093	.....
	(5) Wheat	55	24	31	.....
	(6) Do. flour	985	1,221	236	.....
	(7) Others	1,021	416	605	.....
10	Hides and skins—					
	(1) Hides of cattle—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(b) Raw	1,084	659	425	.....
	(2) Skins of sheep and other animals—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(b) Raw	113	30	83	.....
11	Horns	10	7	3	.....
12	Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	1,278	4	1,274	.....
13	Jute—					
	(1) Raw	122,340	65,156	57,184	.....
	(2) Gunny-bags and cloth	2,913	2,445	468	.....
14	Lac	166	259	93	.....
15	Leather—					
	(1) Unwrought .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(2) Wrought, excepting boots and shoes .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
16	Liquors—					
	(1) Ale and beer	33	12	21	.....
	(2) Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit.	75	86	11	.....
	(3) Wine .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(4) All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquors, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....
17	Metals—					
	(1) Brass, unwrought	40	10	30	.....
	(2) Do., manufactured	251	470	219	.....
	(3) Copper, unwrought .....	.....	3	3	.....
	(4) Do., manufactured	4	7	3	.....
	(5) Iron and steel—					
	(a) Unwrought	296	137	159	.....
	(b) Wrought .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(i) Bars, sheets, girders and other commercial forms of iron and steel.	4,542	4,462	80	.....
	(ii) Machinery and mill works	290	234	56	.....
	(iii) Other manufactured, including hardware and cutlery.	871	1,300	429	.....
	(6) Metallic ores .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(7) Others	702	1,409	647	.....
18	Mineral substances—					
	(1) Marble and stone	1,369	1,110	259	.....
	(2) Chalk .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(3) Lime .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(4) Others	1,004	1,584	580	.....
19	Oils—					
	(1) Kerosine	18,625	16,313	2,312	.....
	(2) Castor	19	14	5	.....
	(3) Coconut	100	107	7	.....
	(4) Mustard and rape	640	552	88	.....
	(5) Others	261	11	250	.....

No.	STAPLES	1908.	1907.	Increase in 1908.	Decrease in 1908.	EXPLANATIONS OF FLUCTUATIONS BY TRAFFIC SUPERINTENDENT.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
20	Oilseeds—					
	(1) Castor	100	221	.....	121	
	(2) Earthnuts ... ..	.....	403	.....	.....
	(3) Linseed	418	.....	10	.....
	(4) Poppy ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(5) Rape and mustard	1,448	2,060	.....	612	
	(6) Til or mujli	160	23	128	.....
	(7) Others	168	61	95	.....
21	Opium ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
22	Paper and pasteboard	1,190	713	447	.....
23	Provisions—					
	(1) Dried fruits and nuts	9	16	.....	7	
	(2) Ghee	97	80	17	.....
	(3) Others	782	829	.....	47	
24	Railway Plant, &c., for the Public and Foreign Railways—					
	(1) Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(2) Carriages and trucks and parts thereof (3) Materials—	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	103	615	.....	512	
	(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast- iron ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(c) Others ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
25	Salt	7,508	6,171	1,384	.....
26	Saltpetre and other saline substances—					
	(1) Saltpetre	9	5	4	.....
	(2) Other saline substances	315	120	186	.....
27	Silk—					
	(1) Raw—					
	(a) Foreign ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(b) Indian	47	12	35	.....
	(2) Piece-goods—					
	(a) Foreign ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(b) Indian ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
28	Spices—					
	(1) Betelnuts	1,541	2,171	.....	630	
	(2) Cardamoms	60	43	20	.....
	(3) Chillies	594	294	290	.....
	(4) Ginger	165	82	83	.....
	(5) Pepper	38	31	7	.....
	(6) Others	232	152	80	.....
29	SUGAR—					
	(1) Refined or crystallized, including sugar- candy	1,808	1,670	138	.....
	(2) Unrefined—					
	(a) Sugar	1,231	1,619	.....	388	
	(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce	5,281	3,886	1,395	.....
30	Tea—					
	(1) Foreign ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(2) Indian	2,230	1,661	1,329	.....
31	Tobacco—					
	(1) Unmanufactured	2,639	2,029	610	.....
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Cigars	165	111	54	.....
	(b) Other sorts ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
32	Wood—					
	(1) Timber, unwrought	5,173	5,618	.....	445	
	(2) Manufactured	917	440	477	.....
33	Wool—					
	(1) Raw	157	4	153	.....
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Carpets and rugs ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(b) Piece-goods, European ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(c) Ditto, Indian	13	13	.....	.....
	(d) Other sorts of manufactures ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
34	All other articles of merchandise	12,470	8,790	3,680	
	Total	389,784	223,475	121,694	5,435	

CALCUTTA, the 11th March 1909.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 27th February 1909 on 2,292.37 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	568,008	5,55,893 0 0	71,47,821 0	11,67,230 0 0	45,871 0 0	17,68,984 0 0	104,562	217,759	382,321
Or per mile of railway ...	242 7 11			509 2 10	20 0 2	771 10 11			
For previous 7½ weeks of half-year ...	3,827,898	37,06,397 0 0	5,16,92,388 0	82,31,593 0 0	3,52,127 0 0	1,22,99,917 0 0	1,206,373	1,561,537	2,767,910
Total for 8½ weeks ...	4,395,906	42,62,290 0 0	5,98,40,200 0	93,98,613 0 0	3,97,999 0 0	1,40,58,901 0 0	1,371,935	1,779,296	3,150,531
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	575,504	5,00,714 12 4	76,27,244 10	12,71,065 5 8	45,553 13 5	16,77,333 15 5	159,730	242,323	402,87
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	245 2 9			555 12 3	19 14 8	820 13 8			
Total for corresponding 8½ weeks of previous year ...	4,595,964	44,53,119 7 0	6,22,32,831 0	1,01,43,728 0 8	3,57,328 11 0	1,40,54,176 2 8	1,385,393	1,923,930	3,310,323

(a) The decrease is chiefly in rice from Burma in corresponding period of 1908.

1909. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,292.37	First 9 days of Jan. ...	592,653	5,78,716	91,60,173	14,45,222	58,069	20,79,007	907	477,296	Rs. A. P.
2,292.37	Week ended 16th ..	480,312	4,45,870	68,91,733	11,01,646	48,809	15,98,635	696	371,129	4 5 8
2,292.37	" " 23rd ..	540,521	5,22,048	71,58,738	11,54,656	47,582	17,24,255	762	378,123	4 9 0
2,292.37	" " 30th ..	624,856	5,37,544	72,21,221	10,89,491	55,892	16,73,927	730	379,913	4 6 5
2,292.37	" " 6th Feb. ...	535,893	4,80,660	70,40,111	11,44,564	47,273	16,72,487	730	382,481	4 6 0
2,292.37	" " 13th ..	534,187	5,31,039	74,26,715	11,69,116	47,296	17,47,121	762	395,140	4 8 6
2,292.37	" " 20th ..	604,221	6,24,120	69,90,097	11,30,759	47,296	17,98,175	784	393,578	4 9 1
2,292.37	" " 27th ..	568,066	5,55,993	71,47,821	11,67,231	45,871	17,68,984	772	382,621	4 10 6
	Totals up to date ...	4,395,906	42,62,290	5,98,40,209	93,98,613	3,97,998	1,40,58,901	740	3,150,531	4 7 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concl.

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		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,297.05	First 11 days of Jan. ...	645,523	6,34,399	1,08,16,017	18,49,036	66,133	25,54,157	1,117	586,113	4 5 0
2,297.05	Week ended 18th ..	453,317	4,10,731	75,46,602	10,78,567	37,151	15,26,439	697	376,073	4 0 11
2,297.05	" " 25th ..	479,877	4,77,497	72,10,947	11,15,196	37,849	16,30,532	713	386,250	4 3 7
2,297.05	" " 1st Feb. ...	645,579	6,60,236	73,69,598	11,78,729	39,032	18,78,307	822	380,293	4 13 3
2,297.05	" " 8th ..	642,223	6,28,554	47,78,774	11,47,101	40,138	18,16,841	794	385,863	4 11 4
2,297.05	" " 15th ..	522,987	5,20,704	72,60,797	12,52,102	46,759	18,19,565	791	383,622	4 10 0
2,297.05	" " 22nd ..	587,955	5,55,293	76,82,990	12,51,245	43,823	18,50,361	809	399,806	4 10 7
2,297.05	" " 29th ..	575,504	5,00,715	76,27,245	12,71,065	45,554	18,77,334	821	402,273	4 10 8
	Totals up to date ...	4,595,964	44,53,119	6,22,32,831	1,01,43,728	3,57,329	1,40,54,176	763	3,319,323	4 8 1

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 27th February 1909, on 22.21 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	26,114	5,502 0 0	29,445 0	1,168 0 0	8 0 0	6,769 0 0	1,357	1 9	1,426
Or per mile of railway ...	211,807	50,639 0 0	1,18,207 0	5,713 0 0	54 0 0	56,925 0 0	9,968	1,150	11,130
For previous 7½ weeks of half-year ...	237,921	56,251 0 0	1,47,632 0	6,870 0 0	62 0 0	63,183 0 0	11,365	1,333	12,698
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	27,651	6,422 3 4	39,413 10	1,167 4 0	8 11 6	7,598 2 10	1,342	154	1,496
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	211,807	288 14 4	...	52 8 2	0 6 3	341 12 9	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 8½ weeks of previous year ...	261,482	64,788 1 4	2,19,195 10	7,337 14 0	62 9 3	72,038 8 7	12,374	1,294	13,668

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—concluded.

1909.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22-21	First 9 days of Jan. ...	27,659	8,543	12,906	607	8	7,158	323	1,908	3 10 3
22-21	Week ended 16th ..	24,766	5,027	12,176	496	6	5,529	249	1,476	3 11 11
22-21	" " 23rd ..	23,852	5,301	16,444	770	7	6,078	274	1,476	4 1 11
22-21	" " 30th ..	23,683	5,002	23,614	1,575	7	6,584	296	1,476	4 7 4
22-21	" " 6th Feb. ...	28,415	8,200	15,171	603	8	8,871	309	1,476	0 0 2
22-21	" " 13th ..	27,697	6,431	18,304	751	9	7,191	324	1,476	4 13 11
22-21	" " 20th ..	25,836	14,145	19,472	850	9	15,014	676	1,784	8 6 8
22-21	" " 27th ..	20,114	5,592	29,445	1,138	8	6,738	304	1,490	4 8 3
	Totals up to date ...	2,37,921	50,251	1,47,632	6,870	62	63,188	343	12,026	5 0 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concluded 1908.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22-23	First 11 days of Jan. ...	32,403	7,003	26,098	1,049	9	8,901	403	2,378	3 12 4
22-23	Week ended 18th ..	21,007	4,003	13,222	879	10	4,994	225	1,498	3 6 4
22-23	" " 25th ..	22,720	5,056	28,894	981	10	6,043	272	1,498	4 0 7
22-23	" " 1st Feb. ...	40,013	10,477	20,135	847	1	11,325	599	1,780	6 8 10
22-23	" " 8th ..	57,813	16,164	20,135	847	11	17,022	706	2,038	4 2 5
22-23	" " 15th ..	26,779	6,058	39,019	974	6	7,038	317	1,498	4 11 3
22-23	" " 22nd ..	33,136	8,053	32,349	892	7	9,052	407	1,484	6 6 0
22-23	" " 29th ..	27,651	6,422	39,413	1,167	9	7,596	342	1,490	5 1 3
	Totals up to date ...	261,482	64,738	2,19,195	7,237	63	72,038	378	13,038	5 4 4

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 27th February 1909 on 162-36 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week	29,376	Rs. A. P. 22,364 0 0	Mds. S. 2,58,034 0	Rs. A. P. 17,481 0 0	Rs. A. P. 42 0 0	Rs. A. P. 30,887 0 0	12,016	4,769	16,785
Or per mile of railway	168,546	137 11 11	.....	107 10 8	0 4 2	245 10 9	.....	.....	.....
For previous 77 weeks of half-year	168,546	1,33,047 0 0	18,87,306 0	1,30,333 0 0	361 0 0	2,63,741 0 0	90,550	30,694	121,253
Total for 87 weeks	197,922	1,55,411 0 0	21,45,420 0	1,47,814 0 0	403 0 0	3,03,624 0 0	102,576	35,463	138,039
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	25,845	19,137 4 0	2,83,522 10	21,604 9 0	58 15 0	40,900 12 0	11,778	5,309	17,147
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	117 13 11	.....	133 1 1	0 5 9	261 4 9	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 87 weeks of previous year.	219,313	1,46,963 4 2	22,34,320 0	1,60,296 12 0	479 0 0	307,738 0 3	100,636	44,873	145,509

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Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162-36	First 9 days of Jan. ...	24,730	15,550	3,63,743	21,000	80	36,730	326	21,170	1 11 9
162-36	Week ended 16th ..	22,366	20,818	2,57,939	18,994	60	39,572	244	16,045	2 7 9
162-36	" " 23rd ..	23,175	22,332	2,39,351	17,716	57	40,105	247	16,242	2 7 6
162-36	" " 30th ..	19,134	16,692	2,69,201	17,196	50	33,778	208	16,301	2 1 4
162-36	" " 6th Feb. ...	23,550	20,212	2,56,976	16,720	34	36,960	229	17,080	2 2 8
162-36	" " 13th ..	26,197	19,138	2,90,488	16,038	40	38,216	235	17,003	2 4 0
162-36	" " 20th ..	25,441	13,405	2,82,668	19,589	40	38,084	235	17,503	2 2 10
162-36	" " 27th ..	21,376	22,364	2,58,034	17,481	42	39,897	246	16,785	2 6 0
	Totals up to date ...	197,922	1,55,411	21,45,420	1,47,814	403	3,03,628	226	138,038	2 3 2

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908—concl. 1908.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162-36	First 11 days of Jan. ...	36,141	22,380	3,54,876	24,451	104	49,944	301	25,461	1 14 9
162-36	Week ended 18th ..	22,823	15,731	2,89,202	16,043	50	31,824	196	17,138	1 13 9
162-36	" " 25th ..	25,849	16,599	2,90,212	19,832	61	36,792	227	18,200	2 0 4
162-36	" " 1st Feb. ...	25,193	16,969	2,47,130	19,080	60	36,059	232	17,108	2 1 9
162-36	" " 8th ..	25,763	18,006	2,74,251	18,785	65	36,806	237	16,940	2 2 9
162-36	" " 15th ..	29,118	17,428	2,75,884	17,663	31	34,923	215	16,810	2 1 3
162-36	" " 22nd ..	28,591	20,404	2,19,444	21,138	43	41,590	256	16,709	2 7 10
162-36	" " 29th ..	28,645	19,137	19,85,522	21,005	59	40,801	251	17,147	2 6 1
	Totals up to date ...	219,313	1,46,963	22,34,320	1,60,297	478	3,07,738	221	145,509	2 1 10

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 6th March 1909 on 1,379 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	636,660	2,27,130 0 0	1,709,510 0	2,52,730 0 0	24,450 0 0	5,04,300 0 0	78,860	(b)42,760	121,620
Or per mile of railway ...	463	165 0 0	1,240 0	183 0 0	(a)2 0 0	(a)350 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year ...	4,038,700	17,30,080 0 0	17,035,530 0	24,01,230 0 0	3,01,320 0 0	44,23,620 0 0	633,689	439,145	1,072,833
Total for 10 weeks ...	4,675,360	10,47,210 0 0	18,745,040 0	26,53,960 0 0	3,25,770 0 0	46,26,930 0 0	712,557	481,905	1,194,462
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	635,540	2,25,629 0 0	1,559,427 0	2,05,003 0 0	20,430 0 0	4,51,062 0 0	70,987	36,961	112,948
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,374 miles) ...	490	177 0 0	1,224 0	161 0 0	2 0 0	340 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	5,440,010	22,00,739 0 0	18,066,629 0	21,56,705 0 0	2,78,507 0 0	47,25,951 0 0	757,591	422,120	1,179,720

(a) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 21,500.

(b) Excluding ballast train-miles, 9,520.

(c) Increase is due to general development of traffic.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 6th March 1909 on 86 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	47,560	13,500 0 0	58,790 0	4,800 0 0	530 0 0	18,890 0 0	5,656	(a)1,344	7,000
Or per mile of railway ...	553	157 0 0	684 0	57 0 0	6 0 0	220 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year ...	384,780	1,27,680 0 0	658,280 0	52,560 0 0	1,210 0 0	1,51,650 0 0	46,864	14,067	60,931
Total for 10 weeks ...	432,340	1,41,380 0 0	717,070 0	57,430 0 0	1,740 0 0	2,00,540 0 0	52,820	15,411	67,931
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	48,785	14,100 0 0	108,780 0	8,340 0 0	73 0 0	22,553 0 0	5,656	2,332	7,868
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	567	164 0 0	1,265 0	97 0 0	1 0 0	262 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	436,203	1,36,402 0 0	1,036,840 0	72,343 0 0	2,729 0 0	2,11,474 0 0	54,674	17,336	72,010

(a) Ballast train-miles, Nil.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 6th March 1909 on 33·6 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	3,710	1,480 0 0	23,800 0	1,710 0 0	10 0 0	3,200 0 0	420	(a)1,024	1,449
Or per mile of railway ...	110	44 0 0	693 0	51 0 0	.....	95 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year ...	35,630	14,790 0 0	180,000 0	15,930 0 0	90 0 0	30,400 0 0	3,654	13,364	17,592
Total for 10 weeks ...	39,340	16,270 0 0	203,800 0	17,640 0 0	90 0 0	34,000 0 0	4,078	14,962	19,040
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	4,710	1,940 0 0	30,702 0	1,903 0 0	6 0 0	3,358 0 0	420	1,128	1,548
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	140	58 0 0	914 0	57 0 0	.....	115 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	44,018	17,371 0 0	231,967 0	18,314 0 0	127 0 0	35,812 0 0	4,194	14,336	19,530

(a) Excluding ballast train-miles 800.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 6th March 1909 on 54 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	30,290	5,250 0 0	83,410 0	3,120 0 0	20 0 0	8,390 0 0	2,072	(a) 632	2 694
Or per mile of railway ...	376	97 0 0	983 0	58 0 0	.....	135 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year ...	156,110	45,190 0 0	5,40,810 0	30,800 0 0	230 0 0	76,110 0 0	17,509	5,947	23,456
Total for 10 weeks ...	176,400	50,440 0 0	5,94,220 0	33,910 0 0	250 0 0	84,500 0 0	19,581	6,589	26,150
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	19,320	4,966 0 0	49,162 0	2,479 0 0	25 0 0	7,470 0 0	2,072	383	2,454
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	358	92 0 0	911 0	46 0 0	.....	136 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	163,146	41,554 0 0	3,92,057 0	22,526 0 0	-2,303 0 0	61,757 0 0	20,262	4 872	25,134

(a) Ballast train-miles, nil.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 27th February 1909 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	86,500	60,500 0 0	3,67,000 0	47,500 0 0	5,000 0 0	1,13,000 0 0	14,130	20,813	34,952
Or per mile of railway ...	112'63	78'78	476'01	61'81	6'49	146'88	18'41	26'99	45'40
For previous 8 weeks of half-year ...	555,000	3,68,500 0 0	2,530,000 0	3,04,500 0 0	35,000 0 0	7,05,000 0 0	104,341	139,306	243,547
Total for 9 weeks ...	641,500	4,26,000 0 0	3,897,000 0	3,52,000 0 0	40,000 0 0	8,18,000 0 0	118,480	160,021	278,501
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	84,799	62,004 0 0	2,69,906 0	37,362 0 0	3,243 0 0	1,03,208 0 0	17,690	23,819	41,509
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	110'42	81'63	350'07	48'46	4'20	134'39	23'03	30'89	53'92
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	614,474	4,27,513 0 0	2,180,706 0	3,22,321 0 0	32,537 0 0	7,82,371 0 0	138,375	173,068	311,433

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 27TH FEBRUARY 1909.			RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 29TH FEBRUARY 1908.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1908 TO 27TH FEBRUARY 1909.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1907 TO 29TH FEBRUARY 1908.			Total increase in 1909.	Total decrease in 1909.
Mean-mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean-mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean-mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean-mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			Rs.
771	1,13,000	146'88	771	1,03,298	134'29	771	49,96,615	...	771	44,32,869	...	.....	1,94,25

SUPPLEMENT TO THE CALCUTTA GAZETTE, MARCH 17, 1909.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED

			Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the period ending 6th March 1909	...	<div> { Coaching ... 8,673 0 0 } { Goods ... 8,021 0 0 } { Other earnings ... 49 0 0 } </div>				16,743	0	0
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1908	...	<div> { Coaching ... 8,672 0 0 } { Goods ... 9,180 0 0 } { Other earnings ... 54 0 0 } </div>				17,905	0	0
		Decrease	—			1,163	0	0
Receipts per mile for the period ending 6th March 1909	...	—	—			328	4	8
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908	...	—	—			351	1	7
		Decrease	—			22	12	11
Receipts from 1st January to 6th March 1909	...	—	—			1,39,244	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908	...	—	—			1,28,995	0	0
		Increase	—			10,249	0	0



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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF
HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL
DURING APRIL 1909.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Station.	Standard time.	REMARKS.
1909.			H. M.	
April 6th ...	Tuesday ...	Leave Howrah ...	22 6	By special train.
„ 7th ...	Wednesday ...	Arrive Purulia ...	7 36	
„ 8th ...	Thursday ...	Leave do. ...	14 22	Ditto.
„ 8th ...	Do. ...	Arrive Ranchi ...	18 30	

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Station.	Standard time.	REMARKS.
1909.	.		H. M.	
April 9th ...	Friday ...	} Halt at Ranchi.		
„ 10th ...	Saturday ...			
„ 11th ...	Sunday ...	Leave do. ...	16 0	By special train.
„ 12th ...	Monday ...	Arrive Howrah ...	7 36	
„ 13th ...	Tuesday ...	Leave Sealdah ...	17 53	Ditto.
„ 14th ...	Wednesday ...	Arrive Darjeeling ...	13 9	

NOTE.—

- (1) The party accompanying His Honour will be—

Captain Cecil Allanson, Private Secretary.

Captain G. C. S. Black, Aide-de-Camp.

Three office Assistants, Camp Sub-Postmaster and about 30 servants.

- (2) Letters and telegrams should be addressed to the Bengal Government Camp
- without the addition of any post town.*

- (3) The Lieutenant-Governor's arrival at Darjeeling will be public. All other arrivals and departures will be private.

BELVEDERE,
The 22nd March 1909. }

CECIL ALLANSON, CAPTAIN,
Private Secretary.

No. 2309A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—No. 1942A.—The 12th March 1909.—Babu Ashutosh Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Hazaribagh district, on relinquishing charge of his Canal Revenue duties in Shahabad.

No. 2039A.—The 16th March 1909.—Mr. H. Wheeler, I.C.S., is appointed to act as Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial and Municipal Departments, during the absence, on leave, of the Hon'ble Mr. C. E. A. W. Oldham, or until further orders.

No. 2081A.—The 18th March 1909.—Babu Charu Chandra Chatterji, No. I, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

No. 2084A.—The 18th March 1909.—Babu Ram Sadan Bhattacharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is appointed to have charge of the Meherpur subdivision of that district.

No. 2179A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Upendra Mohan Sen Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Monghyr district.

No. 2249A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Mr. Samuel Chandra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Godda, Sonthal Parganas, is transferred temporarily to the Rajmahal subdivision of that district.

VOLUNTEERS.—No. 2240A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Mr. Ernest Edward Marshall Eliot is appointed to be Quartermaster with the Honorary Rank of Lieutenant in the 1st Battalion, Bengal-Nagpur Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps, with effect from the 4th October 1908, *vice* Brewster, deceased.

POLICE.—No. 2255A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Mr. R. E. Bradley, Superintendent of Police, Saran, is appointed to be Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling, *vice* Mr. J. Cowie, on leave.

No. 2265A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Mr. J. E. Bown, Assistant Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Superintendent of Police, Saran.

EDUCATION.—*No. 2183A.—The 22nd March 1909.*—Mr. H. R. James, Principal, Presidency College, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. G. W. Küchler, or until further orders.

No. 2185A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Mr. H. M. Percival, Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Principal of that College, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. H. R. James, or until further orders.

No. 2271A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Mr. J. A. Cunningham, Professor, Presidency College, is appointed to be Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division, with effect from the 7th April 1909.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 2079A.—The 17th March 1909.*—The Rev. D. H. Gillan, Second Chaplain, St. Andrew's Church, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Senior Chaplain of that Church, during the absence, on tour, of the Rev. G. J. Chree, or until further orders.

CONFIRMATION.

POLICE.—*No. 2074A.—The 17th March 1909.*—Maulvi Shahab-ud-din Khuda Baksh, Deputy Superintendent of Police, on probation, is confirmed in the fourth grade of Deputy Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 24th October 1908.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2267A.—The 23rd March 1909.*—The following promotion and appointment are sanctioned in the Indian Civil Service, with effect from the 17th December 1908:—

Promoted to the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

Mr. F. W. Ward, *vice* Mr. H. P. Duval, confirmed in the third grade of District and Sessions Judges.

Appointed to the second grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

Mr. J. T. Whitty, *vice* Mr. F. W. Ward, promoted to the first grade.

POLICE.—*No. 2072A.—The 17th March 1909.*—Mr. J. O. Farmer, Assistant Superintendent of Police, third grade, is promoted to the second grade of Assistant Superintendent of Police, with effect from the 24th October 1908.

No. 2125A.—The 18th March 1909.—Mr. F. L. Bussell, Assistant Superintendents of Police, third grade, is promoted to the second grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 11th March 1909.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2149A.—The 20th March 1909.*—Mr. Satyendra Chandra Mallik, i.c.s., is allowed leave up to the 3rd April 1909, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 24th December 1908.

No. 2182A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Mr. G. W. Küchler, Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, is allowed combined leave for eight months and fifteen days, viz., privilege leave for three months, of which two months and twenty-nine days will be under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the rest under article 271 of the Regulations, with effect from the 24th March 1909, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308(b) of the Regulations.

No. 2225A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Mr. A. H. Ley, Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Revenue, Political and Appointment Departments, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and twenty days, with effect from the 14th April 1909, and special leave for the remaining period under article 316 of the Regulations.

No. 2238A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Malik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 9th March 1909.

No. 2273A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Maulvi Shamsuddin Muhammad Abdul Aziz, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Madhubani, Darbhanga, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

VOLUNTEERS.—No. 2243A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Lieutenant John Frederick Gruning, Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for eighteen months, with effect from the 24th April 1909.

POLICE.—No. 2253A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Mr. J. Cowie, Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 308 (b) of the Regulations.

No. 2273A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Mr. P. H. Butterfield, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Ranchi, is allowed leave from the 2nd to the 21st January 1909, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

EDUCATION.—No. 2740A.—The 3rd March 1909.—Mr. C. W. Peake, Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta, is allowed combined leave for nine months, viz., privilege leave, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty days or the amount due on any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (b) of the Regulations.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 17th March 1909 :—

No. 969A.—The 15th March 1909.—Babu Ram Charan Mallik, Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for twenty-one days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 332A, dated the 2nd February 1909.

No. 970A.—The 16th March 1909.—Mr. Gopal Chandra Banarji is allowed privilege leave for six weeks, namely, one month and four days under articles 260 and 245 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under articles 274 and 345 of the Regulations, with effect from the date of the termination of his present appointment as Officiating Second Additional Sessions Judge of Mymensingh.

No. 971A.—The 16th March 1909.—Babu Rasik Mohan Bhattacharji, Munsif of Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Chittagong.

No. 972A.—The 16th March 1909.—Babu Bhupal Chandra Sen, Munsif of Notrokona, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for thirty days under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd March 1909, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

No. 973A.—The 16th March 1909.—Babu Kailas Chandra Sen, Munsif of Chandpur, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave for one day under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 455A., dated the 11th February 1909.

No. 974A.—The 16th March 1909.—Babu Sarat Kishore Basu, Munsif of Dinajpur, is allowed leave for thirty days, viz., eight days under article 274 and the remaining period under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th March 1909.

No. 975A.—The 16th March 1909.—Babu Nabin Chandra Nag, Munsif of Manikganj, in the district of Dacca, is allowed leave for six months under articles 336 and 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 5045A., dated the 15th December 1908.

No. 977A.—The 16th March 1909.—Babu Rebati Kanta Nag, Munsif of Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge of the same district, *vice* Babu Lalit Kumar Basu, about to retire.

No. 979A.—The 16th March 1909.—Babu Srish Chandra Mukharji, Subordinate Judge, Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Comilla.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1467 For.—The 16th March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 28 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare the provisions of Chapter IV of that Act to be applicable to the forest lands included in the tracts specified in the appendix to this notification, which are situated in the subdivisions of Sassaram and Bhabua, in the district of Shahabad.

2. The nature and extent of the rights of Government and of private persons in or over the forest lands referred to in this notification have been enquired into and recorded in a manner which the Local Government thinks sufficient.

APPENDIX.

List of villages included in the Banskatti mahal, pargana Rohtas.

Serial No.	NAME OF ESTATE.	Tausi No.	BOUNDARIES OF ESTATE.			
			East.	West.	North.	South.
1	Manikpore Bhainsaha.	4819 6183 7055	Bastipur ...	Ghongha ...	Khyrha ...	Manikpore and Narainpore.
2	Manikpore ...	4818 6167 6168 8771	Manikpore Bhainsaha.	Ditto ...	Manikpore Bhainsaha.	Sujanpore.
3	Katar Urf ... Narainpore ...	8772 4833 4834	Camp Dehri	Sujanpore...	Bastipore ...	Katar.
4	Katar Chaharam	4878	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Narainpore ...	Katar Kalan.
5	Katar Kalan ...	4805 4804 8862 8863 8864 8861 8865	Camp Dehri and River Sone.	Burdeeha ...	Katar Chaharam.	Sikareea.
6	Ghongha ...	4788	Manikpore Bhainsaha.	Bhatowloo...	Khyrha ...	Bhalooari Mithopore.
7	Bhatowlee ...	4747	Ghongha ...	Bharkuria...	Parbutpura ...	Bhalooari Mithopore and Nirbhyadeeh alias Durgapore.
8	Bhalooari Mithopore.	4746 4751 4752	Sujanpore...	Nirbhyadeeh alias Durgapore.	Bhatowlee and Ghongha.	Nawadeeh and Shunkerpore.
9	Sujanpore ...	4856 4857 4858	Katar and Burdeeha.	Bhalooari and Mithopore.	Manikpore ...	Shunkerpore
10	Nirbhyadeeh alias Durgapore.	4833 4834	Bhalooari Mithopore.	Gonaila and Pandepore.	Bharkuria and Bhathowli.	Kewra Josar and Nandpore Dubouli.
11	Gonaila ...	4793	Nirbhyadeeh alias Durgapore.	Dhowdand	Bharkuria ...	Pandepore.
12	Pandepore ...	4844 8293 8294	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Gonaila ...	Kewra Jesar.

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			East.	West.	North.	South.
13	Kewra Jesar ...	4802 9893 9894 9895 9896 9897 9898	Nandpore Dubouli.	Dhowdand hill.	Pandepore ..	Maheshdeeh and Sukh- dihra.
14	Nundpore Dubow- lee.	4833 4834	Nowadeeh	Kewra Jesar	Nirbhyadih ...	Sukhdihra.
15	Nawadeeh ...	4878 7612 4835 7644 7643	Sunkerpore and Cha- kandhwa.	Nirbhyadeeh, Nundpore Dubouli and Sukhdihra.	Bhalooari Mithopore.	Doodhmi Dehri.
16	Bardeeha ...	4759 7427 7428 7429 7430	Katar Kalan	Sujanpore ...	Katar ...	Shunkarpore.
17	Shunkarpore ...	4864	Sikareea ...	Nawadeeh...	Burdiha and Sujanpore.	Chakandhwa.
18	Sikareea (appertaining to Ma- nikpore).	4819 6483 7055	River Sone	Chakandhwa	Katar ..	Patanwan.
19	Chakandhwa ...	4771	Sikareea ...	Nawadeeh	Shunkarpore...	Palanwan and Shahpora.
20	Patanwan ...	4878 4846	River Sone	Shahpura ...	Sikareea and Chakandhwa.	Inderpura.
21	Misroulia ...	4830	Patanwan...	Ditto ...	Chakandhwa...	Shahpora.
22	Shahpore ...	4878	Ditto ...	Dehri ...	Ditto ...	Jamuhora.
23	Dudhmi ...	4771	Chakandhwa	Sukhdihra	Nawadeeh ...	Dehri.
24	Sukhdihra <i>alias</i> Kasdihra.	4869	Nawadeeh and Bisram- pore.	Mahuadih hill.	Nundpore Du- bouli and Kewra Jesar.	Koeedih and Hoorka.
25	Bisrampore ...	4760	Dudhmi ...	Sukhdihra...	Nawadeeh ..	Hoorka and Dehri.
26	Maheshdeeh ...	4817	Sukhdihra...	Mahuadeeh hill.	Kewra Jesar...	Sukhdihra.
27	Koeedeesh ...	4878	Hoorka ...	Ditto ...	Sukhdihra ...	Nimdihra.
28	Hoorka ...	6859 6869 6861 6862 6863 6858 4789 6864 6867	Dehri Jamu- hora and Jynagra.	Koeedih Nim Dehra and Burdiha.	Sukhdihra and Koeedih.	Harnachitee and Patlooka.
29	Jamoochara ...	4796	Inderpura...	Hoorka and Dehri.	Patanwan and Shahpura.	Jynagra.
30	Bishunpura <i>alias</i> Manhonia.	4763	River Sone	Jynagra ...	Inderpura ...	Jurha.
31	Jurha ...	4797	Ditto ...	Jynagra and Burdiha.	Bishunpura <i>alias</i> Man- hania.	Mira Sarai.
32	Jynagra ...	4878	Bishunpura and Jurha.	Hoorka and Harnachi tee.	Jamuhara ...	Buradeeh.

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			East.	West.	North.	South.
33	Baradeeh ...	4758	Jurha ...	Harnaohitee	Jynagra ...	Sewa and Shukulpura.
34	Mira Sarai ...	4862	River Sone	Sewa and Sonowra.	Jurha ...	Telathoo.
35	Shahpur Urf. Sewa ...	4860	Mira Sarai	Shukulpura	Baradih ...	Sonowra.
36	Sonowra ...	4861 4852	Mira Sarai and Tilathoo.	Shukulpura, Puthra and Baherwa Allinagar.	Sewa ...	Tilathoo.
37	Shukulpura alias Puthra.	4865	Sewa and Sonowra.	Patlooka ...	Harnaohitee ...	Baherwa Allinagar.
38	Harnaohitee ...	4791 4792	Jynagra and Baradeeh.	Ditto ...	Hoorka ...	Shukulpura.
39	Patlooka ...	4871	Harnaohitee and Shukulpura Pathra.	Sewahi and Mitarsenpur and Mirzapur.	Do. ...	Chimni Chuk.
40	Burdeeha ...	4753	Hoorka and Patlooka.	Sewahi ...	Nimdihra ...	Sewahi.
41	Bhorkhoh ...	4753	Nimdihra ...	Margohee ...	Mahuadih hill	Ditto.
42	Kokila and Margohi.	4807 4808 4809	Bhorkhoh ...	Syna ...	Ditto ...	Jhanjhra and Sewahi.
43	Syna ...	4868	Sewahi and Margohi.	Charmari ...	Ditto ...	Jhanjhra and Bhadokhra.
44	Jhanjhra, appertaining to Bhadokhra	4749	Sewahi ...	Syna ...	Syna ...	Bhadokhra.
45	Bhadokhra ...	4748	Mirzapore ...	Belwae and Chharmari.	Jhanjhra and Syna.	Kythee.
46	Chharmari alias Sheopore Itwa.	4771	Bhadokhra	Mahuadih hill.	Syna and Mahuadeeh hill.	Belwae.
47	Sewahi ...	4872 4878	Patlooka and Mitarsenpur.	Syna Margohi and Jhanjhra.	Bharkoh and Margohi.	Mirzapore and Bhadokhra.
48	Mirzapore Pali ..	4815 4816 4829	Patlooka and Chimni chuk.	Bhadokhra	Sewahi and Mitarsenpore.	Charkup.
49	Mitarsenpore alias Bisoonpore appertaining to mahal Shahpore.	4871	Patlooka ...	Sewahi and Mirzapore.	Sewahi ...	Mirzapore.
50	Chimni Chuk ...	4778	Tilathoo (Maharajgunj).	Mirzapore...	Patlooka ...	Barehta, appertaining to Tilathoo.
51	Barehta, appertaining to Tilathoo.	4878	Dharampura	Charkup ...	Mirzapur and Chimni Chuk.	Malpoora.
52	Dharampura ...	4782	Tilathoo (Maharajgunj).	Tilathoo Barehta.	Tilathoo ...	Ditto.
53	Tilathoo Maharajgunj and Baboo-gunj.	4878 4879 4880 4780	River Sone	Dharampura and Chimni Chuk.	Baherwa Sonowra and Mira Sarai.	Malpoora and Aurangabad Sarya.

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			East.	West.	North.	South.
54	Aurangabad Sarya with half Korurrokian.	4741	River Sone	Malpoora ...	Malpoora and Tilathoo.	Umra and Ramdiha Bhudsa.
55	Malpoora with half Kowr including Lahraddeh and Chatnobigha.	4820 8286 8287 8284 8285 8288 8492 4822 8089 8090 8091 4811 4821 8085 8086 4825 4824 8283 4826 8106 8105 8107	Tilathoo and Aurangabad Sarya.	Charkup, Baherwa and Chandanpura.	Tilathoo and Dharampoora	Busdeeha and Umra.
56	Baherwa Allinagar.	4744	Sonowra ...	Patlooka ...	Shookulpura Pathra.	Tilathoo.
57	Bahera ...	4843	Malpoora ...	Rendee ...	Charkup ...	Chandanpura.
58	Charkup ...	4774	Ditto ...	Kythee ...	Mirzaporo	Bahera.
59	Belwace ...	4766	Bhadokhra and Kythee.	Goree hill	Chharmari ...	Dighee.
60	Dighee ...	4780	Kythee ...	Ditto ...	Kythee and Belwace.	Sonepura.
61	Sonepura ...	4780 4815 4816	Chandanpura	Ditto ...	Dighee ...	Chandanpura.
62	Chandanpura ...	4771	Malpura, Lohradih and Bhisra.	Ditto ...	Sonepura and Bahera.	Rendee and Bhisra.
63	Bhisra ...	4750 4815 4816	Malpoora ...	Chandanpura, Rendee.	Chandanpura	Supa Seryee.
64	Busdeeha ...	4871	Kerpa, Samrath and Padareea.	Malpoora ...	Umra ...	Oochyla.
65	Umra ...	4871	Aurangabad Saraiya and Ramdiha Bhudsa.	Ditto ...	Aurangabad Saraiya	Busdeeha and Padareea.
66	Ramdeeha Bhudsa.	4848	River Sone	Umra ...	Ditto ...	Padareea.
67	Padareea ...	4847	Ditto ...	Busdeeha ..	Amra and Ramdiha Bhudsa.	Kerpa Semrath.
68	Kerpa Semrath...	4800 9307 9308 9309	Ditto ...	Oochyla ...	Busdeeha and Padareea.	Bawleea.
69	Bowlee hisse Chaharam.	4757	Ditto ...	Churesar ...	Kerpa Semrath	Bowlee, 12 annas.

Serial No.	NAME OF ESTATE.	Land No.	BOUNDARIES OF ESTATE.			
			East.	West.	North.	South.
70	Rupahtha ...	4878 4854 4816 4815 4771	Kazakpore Bishunpore	Kachuhar hill.	Panti ...	Chitouli.
71	Bishunpura Kazakpur.	4773 4878	River Sone	Panti and Rupahtha.	Jagodeesh ...	Chitoulee.
72	Chitoulee ...	4773 4878	Ditto ...	Kachuhar hill.	Rupatha ...	Ranjeetganj.
73	Ranjeetganj <i>alias</i> Ekpaw Tumba.	4787	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Chitoulee ...	Tumba Tinpow.
74	Tinpow Tumba	4874 4875 4876 9256 9257 9258	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ranjeetganj	Kurma.
75	Kurma ...	4806 9326 9327 9328	Ditto ...	Kachuhar Basarhee.	Tinpow Tumba	Basarhee and Bakooa Nuwadeeh.
76	Basarhee ...	4882 6962 6963	Kurma ...	Kachuhar hill.	Kurma ...	Bakooa Nawa- deeh.
77	Bakooa Nawadeeh	9240 9241 9239 9242 9243 9244 9246 4756	River Sone Dhelabar.	Ditto ...	Kurma and Basarhee.	Telkup.
78	Dhelabar ...	4771	River Sone	Bakooa Na- wadeeh.	Tinpow Tumba	Telkup.
79	Telkup ...	4771	River Sone and Khajoori.	Kachuhar...	Bakooa, Nawadeeh, and Dhelabar.	Rasoolpore.
80	Khajoori ...	4878	River Sone ..	Telkup ...	Dhelabar ...	Rasoolpore.
81	Rasoolpore ...	4878	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Khajoori ...	Kussianwan.
82	Kussianwan ...	4771	Ditto ...	Kachuhar ...	Rasoolpur and Telkup.	Bazidpore.
83	Bazidpore ...	4768	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Kussianwan ...	Bunjarre.
84	Rampoor <i>alias</i> Bunjaree.	4851 4852	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Bazidpore ...	Daoodpore <i>alias</i> Lebura.
85	Daoodpur <i>alias</i> Lebura	4771	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Bunjaree ...	Kalyanpore.
86	Kalyanpore ...	4771	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Daoodpur <i>alias</i> Lebura.	Samahuta.
87	Samahuta Goor- myah.	4771	Ditto ...	Bharoochi and Deea- deeh.	Kalyanpore and Kachuhar.	Murli hill and Buknour.
88	Buknour ...	4771	Ditto ...	Deeadeeh ...	Samahata and Murli hill.	Akberpore.
89	Kuskudar ...	4871	Samahuta Goormya & Bharoohee	Katra ...	Kachuhar ...	Deeudih.
90	Amdeeh ...	4811 4827	Kuskudar ...	Talooka Kouree- ari.	Kachuhar ...	Madha.

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			East.	West.	North.	South.
91	Madha ...	4827	Umra ...	Talooka Konreeari.	Amdeeh ...	Rohtas Hill.
92	Diadeeh ...	4781 222B 8872 8873	Baknour and Mendra.	Umra ...	Kutra, Kuskduar & Kaohuhar.	Rohtas Hill.
93	Mendra ...	4827	Baknour and Akbarpore.	Diadeeh ...	Diadeeh ...	Akberpore.
94	Akberpore ...	4740 9753 8737 8738 8739 8740	River Sone	Rohtas ...	Baknour Mendra and Ausani Nadi.	Pathkhaulia and Uchaila.
95	Talooka Kauriar, comprising villages— 1. Kauriari khas. 2. Tardih. 3. Manco. 4. Nakti. 5. Basnah. 6. Jamooniah. 7. Gulariah.	4811	Rohtas hill Mudha Amdih and Kaohuhar.	Talooka Budhua and Rehal.	Nurwa and Kaohuhar.	Kathoutya ghat and Rohtas slope.
96	Patkhaulia ...	4842	River Sone	Uchaila ...	Akberpore ...	Uchaila.
97	Uchaila ...	4838 4839	Ditto ...	Rohtas hill	Patkhauri ...	Arazi Gobindapore.
98	Arazi Gobindapore (4 annas).	4878	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Uchaila ...	Bunekatia alias Arazi Gobindapore (12 annas). Sukhdihra.
99	Bunekatia alias Arazi Gobindapore (12 annas).	4755	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Arazi Gobindapore (4 annas).	Milk Chuk.
100	Sukhdihra ...	4870 9034 9085 9036 9037	Ditto ...	Rohtas hill and Rajapore	Bunekatia ...	Milk Chuk.
101	Rajapore ...	4853	Sukhdihra	Rohtas hill Ditto ... Jamuan and Kishoonpore.	Sukhdihra ...	Kishoonpore.
102	Kishoonpore ...	4810	Milk Chuk	River Sone	Rajapore ...	Jamuan.
103	Milkchuk ...	4775	River Sone	Rohtas hill	Sukhdihra ...	Do.
104	Jamoon Nawadih in Talooka Jahangra.	4878	Ditto ...	Kanakpore and Jamoon.	Kishoonpore and Milkchuk.	Jahangra and Kanakpore.
105	Talooka Jahangra	4878	River Sone	Rohtas hill	Jamoon ...	Majhiganwan and Thumba.
106	Kanakpore ...	4810	Jahangra ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Majhiganwan.
107	Talooka Majhiganwan with its dakhili mauzas— 1. Nirpur. 2. Dandewa.	4814	Thumba ...	Ditto ...	Talooka Jahangra and Kanakpore.	Shahpore.
108	Thumba ...	4882 6962	River Sone	Majhiganwan.	Majhiganwan	Shahpore and Baliari.
109	Baliari (appertaining to talooka Majhiganwan).	4814	Ditto	Shahpore ...	Thumba ...	Shahpore.

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			East.	West.	North.	South.
110	Talooka Shahpore, comprising its dakhli villages—	4871
	(1) Shahpore ...	„	Baliari ...	Bishoonpore	Thumba ...	Singhpore.
	(2) Balatooa ...	„	River Sone	Ditto	Shahpore and Baliari.	Ditto.
	(3) Gouri soth	„	Bishoonpore	Bhangia ...	Rohtas hill ...	Khandaul kalan.
	(4) Bhangia with Bowli	„	Gouri soth	Khandaul kalna.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
	(5) Ahmad-pore.	„	Shahpore ...	Rohtas hill	Majhiganwan	Bishoonpore.
	(6) Gopalpore	„	Vide No. 64 of this list above.			
	(7) Busdoeha	„	Vide No. 39 of this list above.			
	(8) Patlooka ...	„	Vide No. 89 of this list above.			
	(9) Kuskudar	„	Vide No. 49 of this list above.			
	(10) Mitarsen-pore.	„	Vide No. 65 of this list above.			
	(11) Umra ...	„	Vide No. 65 of this list above.			
111	Bishoonpura ...	4761	Balatooa ...	Gouri Soth	Ahmadpore and Gopalpore.	Khandoul-kalan.
112	Singhpore ...	4866	River Sone	Khandoul kalan (Daranagar).	Balatooa ...	Khandoul kalan.
113	Sarayeedand ...	4873	Daranagar	Khandoul khurd and Bhadara Prasram-pore.	Daranagar ...	Khandoul khurd and Daranagar.
					Sarayeedand...	Bhadara Pras-rampur.
114	Khandoul khurd	4813	Sarayeedand and Daranagar.	Bhadara Prasram-pur.	Rohtas Hill ...	Amarkha.
115	Baryoha kalan and khurd.	4754	Kamal Khyrwa and Auraya.	Jyntipore and Anandichak.		
116	Auraya ...	4878	Kamal Khyrwa.	Baryoha ...	Kamal Khyrwa	Amarkha and Baryoha.
117	Kazipore (half)	4754	Baryoha ...	Kazipore nist	Jyntipore, and Baryoha.	Nawara.
118	Hankarpore ...	4754	Nawara and Kazipore.	Belbhadarpur	Nowdiha ...	Nawadih Sianua.
119	Harna ...	4790	Paharia ...	Chaphuta and Chowkhanda.	Berki ...	Nowhutta.
120	Talooka Bandoo with its dakhli mauzas.	4767	Vide details below.			
	(1) Bandoo khas	4767	River Sone	Amarkha ...	Khyrwa ...	River Sone.
	(2) Chowkhunda	4767	Harna and Nowhutta.	Lahra ...	Chaphuta ...	Lahra.
	(3) Chaphula ...	4767	Berki ...	Dumaria ...	Pipardi hill ...	Chowkhunda.
	(4) Pandooka ...	4767	Tilokhur ...	Pureha ...	Garur and Basarhee.	River Sone.
	(5) Tilokhar ...	4767	Badaria alias Chandargarh.	Panduka ...	Basarhee ...	Ditto.
	(6) Garur ...	4767	Basarhee khurd.	Majoorha ...	Khookhuma ...	Hillock in Panduka.
	(7) Basarhee kalan.	4767	Udla ...	Garur ...	Pipardi hill...	Basarhee khurd alias Katoodaud.

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			East.	West.	North.	South.
	(8) B sarhee khurd <i>alias</i> Katoodaud.	4767	Udla ...	Garur ...	Basarhee kalan	Tilokhur.
	(9) Paroha ...	4767	Panduka ...	Tiara Khurd	Khukhuma ...	River Sone.
	(10) Majurha ...	4767	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Garur ...	Puroha.
	(11) Tiara Khurd	4767	Puroha and Majura.	Tiarakalan	Sohdag ...	River Sone.
	(12) Tiara Kalan	4767	Tiara Khurd	Nawadih ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
	(13) Nawadih ...	4767	Tiara kalan	Chicharia ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
	(14) Chicharia...	4767	Nawadih ...	Amahuan ...	Bansikhoh ...	Ditto.
	(15) Amahuan...	4767	Checharia ...	Madhkupia	Ditto ...	Ditto.
	(16) Jasa ...	4767	Not traced (probably included in Amahuan).			
121	Talooka Pipardih— (1) Pipardih. (2) Janha. (3) Salma. (4) Barkhoh. (5) Barkatha. (6) Loundi. (7) Jamundiha.	4845	Talookas Rehal and Chunda.	River Durgaoti and Sirkeo and Sarodag and Lahra.	Talooka Chunda	Edge of the hill.
122	Talooka Bandhua, comprising— (1) Budhua-kalan. (2) Pahroo. (3) Looka. (4) Dhansa. (5) Budhua khurd. (6) Ranadih. (7) Gara.	4765	Talooka Kauriari.	Talooka Chunda.	Nurwa ...	Talooka Rehal.
123	Talooka Chunda, comprising— (1) Chunda. (2) Hansri. (3) Karhans. (4) Bunda. (5) Pounce. (6) Chauhutta.	4777	Talooka Budhua.	Kudhar Khoh.	Betri and Soogi Khoh.	Talooka Rehal and Pipardih.

Serial No.	NAME OF ESTATE.	Tauzi No.	BOUNDARIES OF ESTATE.			
			East.	West.	North.	South.
124	Talooka Sarodag, comprising— (1) Sarodag. (2) Dholdag. (3) Jhariawa. (4) Kurmunda. (5) Karma. (6) Chamurka. (7) Ohikta. (8) Garb. (9) Sarce. (10) Bahera. (11) Kuturkha. (12) Oldag. (13) Newras. (14) Sahijan. (15) Athan. (16) Khukhma. (17) Sahdag. (18) Jardag.	4877	Talooka Pi-pardih.	Talooka Sirkee.	Talooka Lohra	Edge of the hill.
125	Talooka Sirkee, comprising— (1) Sirkee. (2) Padwania. (3) Sodha. (4) Dumurka. (5) Padari. (6) Chaphna. (7) Chaya. (8) Bundha. (9) Bari Karag. (10) Kolhooa. (11) Chathans. (12) Sarawra Kalan. (13) Sarawra Khurd. (14) Saleya. (15) Dugha. (16) Salesoti. (17) Pckhra.	4855	Talooka Pi-pardih and Sarodag.	Mirzapore boundary.	Talooka Lohra and Chandanpura.	Ditto.
126	Randeea . . .	4771	Bhisra and Chandanpura	Goreea hill	Chandanpura	Rampore and Allipore.

No. 1551For.—The 22nd February 1909.—Four days' privilege leave is granted to Mr. Sundarbans. W. Breakey, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, attached to the Sundarbans Forest Division, in continuation of the leave granted in Notification No. 5304For., dated the 19th December 1908.

No. 1437L.R.—The 15th March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 29 of the Co-operative Credit Societies Act, 1904 (X of 1904), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to permit the association of the Bengali-speaking persons, residing in the Provinces of Bengal and Eastern Bengal and Assam, who have subscribed to an application in this behalf dated in Calcutta the 4th February 1909, to be registered as an Urban Society under that Act, under the title of the Bengal Young Men's Zamindary Co-operative Urban Society, Limited.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of the same section, the Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to exempt the said society from the operation of clause (a) of section 3 of the said Act.

No. 1463 L.R.—The 18th March 1909.—Mr. C. L. Philip, i.c.s., employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Bhagalpur, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and special leave on urgent private affairs for the remaining period under article 316 of the Regulations, with effect from the 17th April 1909, or any subsequent date from which he may avail himself of the leave.

He is also allowed to affix the Puja holidays to the period of his leave.

No. 1526 L.A.—The 20th March 1909.—In line 6 of declaration No. 2788 L.A., dated the 27th July 1908, published at page 1363, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, in respect of acquisition of land for the residence of the Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, for “1 bigha 9 cottahs 15 chitaks and 33 square feet” read “1 bigha 17 cottahs 7 chitaks.”

No. 1528 L.A.—The 20th March 1909.—Declaration No. 2319 L.A., dated the 9th July 1907, published at page 1218, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, regarding acquisition of land for the construction of Dupurkha outpost, in the district of Bhagalpur, is hereby cancelled.

No. 1472 Agri.—The 18th March 1909.—The undermentioned Military Officers are appointed to be Charge Superintendents of famine relief in the district of Darbhanga with effect from the date noted against each :—

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| 1. Major J. H. Stewart, 7th Rajputs | ... | 28th January 1909, forenoon. |
| 2. Lt. L. G. Williams, 5th Cavalry | ... | 4th February 1909, afternoon. |
| 3. Lt. C. H. F. Nixon, 1st Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles. | | 11th February 1909, afternoon. |

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1432 L.A.—The 16th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Moniary rest-shed in the village of Kukurah, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0.36 acre, bounded—

On the North—By Khedu Ahir's cultivated land ;

On the South—By village road ;

On the East—By waste land of Dabu Mohan Bikram Shah, held by temporary tenureholder Mr. Ammon ; and

On the West—By Moniary rest-shed compound,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kukurah.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, Motihari.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1433 L.A.—The 17th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for an outfall channel from Mangalapur sluice at 67½ mile, Champaran embankment, in the village of Mangalapur, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1.93 acre, bounded—

On the East—By the Government land of Champaran embankment ;

On the West—By the Gandak river ;

On the North—By the cultivated land of Kaliprosad Lal, Kison Dhoobi, Bhola Mahton, Doman Mahton, Ramgobind Mahton, Lakhnan Mahto, Bhola Mahto, and Bison Mahton ; and

On the South—By the cultivated paddy land of Kaliprosad Lal, Kison Dhoobi, Bhola Mahto, Doman Mahto, Ramlakhan Mahto and Ramgobind Mahto,

is required within the aforesaid village of Mangalapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1434 L.A.—The 16th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the District Board of Patna, for a public purpose, viz., for construction of a new pound, in the village of Bukhteyarpur, pargana Ghayaspur, zilla Patna, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs 2 obitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By Kasht land of Mokha Sing ;

East—By Kasht land of Mokha Sing and house of Etwar Sing ;

South—By public roadside pit ;

West—By house of Hazari Halwai and Kasht land of Mokha Sing,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bukhteyarpur, pargana Ghayaspur, district Patna.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Barh.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1435 L.A.—The 16th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz., for an outfall channel from Barharwa sluice at 51½ mile, Champaran embankment, in the village of Barharwa, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 1·86 acre, bounded on the—

North—By the cultivated paddy land of Gariban Upadhya, Hardwar Kalwar, Ali Buksh, Mahabir Kalwar and Gopal Tewari ;

South—By the cultivated paddy land of Gariban Upadhya, Hardwar Kalwar, Khowari Dosad, Mahabir Kalwar and Gopal Tewari ;

East—By the Government land of Champaran embankment ;

West—By the Gandak river,

is required within the aforesaid village of Barharwa.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, Motihari.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1436 L.A.—The 16th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Puri Lodging-house Committee for a public purpose, viz., for the erection of a public latrine, in the village of Bhubaneswar, killa Khurda, zilla Puri, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·011 acre, bounded on the—

North— } By portion of plot No. 538 belonging to the members of the Bhubaneswar

South— } Temple Committee,

East—By ditto ditto and beyond that by plot No. 540,

West—By ditto ditto and beyond that by plot No. 533,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bhubaneswar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Puri.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1438 L.A.—The 16th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for watering arrangement at

24-Parganas. Kachrapara, Eastern Bengal State Railway, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, two pieces of land—one about 70 chains long, with a width of 10 feet passing through or near the villages of Chakla and Jottia, and the other about 308 feet long, with a width from 20 feet to 100 feet in the village of Khashbati, in pargana Hambilshahar, in the district of 24-Parganas—are required for the above purpose. The total area of the two pieces of land, is more or less, 5 bighas 12 cottahs 11 chitaks of standard measurement.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Construction Division, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1439 L.A.—The 16th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the outfall channel

Champaran. from Saraya sluice at 58 mile, Champaran embankment, in the village of Saraya, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 acre, bounded—

On the North—By the Government land of Champaran embankment;

On the South—By the Gandak river;

On the East—By the fallow land of Sirni Factory, and

On the West—By the cultivated paddy land of Sokai Jolaha and Gajadhar Sawteli,

is required within the aforesaid village of Saraya.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1440 L.A.—The 16th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Post Office at

Midnapore. Ghatal, in the village of Konnagore, pargana Barada, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs 10 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded—

On the North—Chetua Circuit Embankment and its slope;

On the South—Harhpara lano and Sridam Jana's huts;

On the East—Girls' school, and

On the West—Municipal road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Konnagore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Ghatal.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1480 L.A.—The 18th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for staff quarters of the

24-Parganas. Eastern Bengal State Railway at Sangrampore, in the village of Somushat (Sangrampore), pargana Mooragacha, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs 6½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north, east and west by the land belonging to estate No. 326, Baroda Prasad

- Ray Chowdhry and others, and on the south by the Sangrampore Railway station yard, is required within the aforesaid village of Somushat (Sangrampore).

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Calcutta District, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1503 L.A.—The 19th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a Minor Distributary at 23 mile 50 chain, right bank of High Level Canal, Range I, in the villages of Bhatripasi and Brahmunda, killa Darpan, zilla Cuttack, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 roods 4·32 poles, bounded—

On the North—By the cultivated land belonging to Sunder Behera, Parsu Mullick, Moni Mahanty, Sindhu Deori, Chain Sahu, Nanda Swain, Banamali Pandi and waste land ;

On the South—By the cultivated land belonging to Lakhan Behera, Dadhi Baral, Bimbai Deori, Ram Rout, Hrudi Sahu, Banamali Pardi, Sadai Padhan and waste land ;

On the East—By the waste land of mauza Bhatripasi, and

On the West—By the High Level Canal, Range I,
is required within the aforesaid villages of Bhatripasi and Brahmunda.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Officer, Irrigation Branch, Cuttack.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1504 L.A.—The 19th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the Bali Municipality, for the construction of drainage in Bankdanga, thana Bali, in the village of Bali, pargana Boro, district Howrah, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 1 cottah 36 square feet of standard measurement, bounded—

On the North—By Sridhar Bera's tank and embankment ;

On the South—By Embankment of tank (disputed with Sridhar Bera and Kamini Debi) ;

On the East—By Municipal drain, and

On the West—By Prasan Goswami's land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bali.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Howrah.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1527 L.A.—The 19th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for extending Gangnapur station, on the Central Section of the Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the village of Gangnapur, pargana Alampur, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 42 bighas 15 cottahs 13 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows :—

Land on the North side of the Railway line.

North, East and West—By the lands of Gopeswar Pal Chowdhuri and Upendra Nath Mukherji, and

On the South—By the Railway line ;

Land on the South side of the Railway line.

South, East and West—By the lands of Gopeswar Pal Chowdhuri and Upendra Nath Mukherji, and

On the North—By the Railway line,

are required within the aforesaid village of Gangnapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Nadia.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1536 L.A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-

24-Parganas.

Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the new canal from Ultadanga to Bhangore khal near the junction of the new canal with the Sluice Channel in the village of Thakdari, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, an extra piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 11 cottahs and 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north and east by the village land of Thakdari and on the south and west by the land already declared for acquisition for the Canal is required within the aforesaid village of Thakdari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Circular and Eastern Canals Division, No. 13 Kyd Street, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1568 L.A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-

24-Parganas.

Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Traffic Office at Patipukur, in the village of Patipukur, Dihi Panohannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 4 cottahs and 14 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north and east by the remaining land of Chandra Nath Dulal, on the south by Jessore Road and on the west by the land belonging to Anath Nath Deb, is required within the aforesaid village of Patipukur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, 24-Parganas.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1577 L.A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor

Murshidabad.

of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for strengthening the Bhagirathi Embankment at Kalukhali in the village of Digha, pargana Kumarprotop, zilla Murshidabad, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, three plots of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 8 cottahs and 4 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

Plots Nos. 1 and 2.—On the north and south by Tinkari Ohandra Saha's land, on the west by the coop acquired for the Drainage Channel and on the east by the District Board road;

Plot No. 3.—On the north, south and west by Tinkari Ohandra Saha's land and on the east by the coop acquired for the Drainage Channel;

are required within the aforesaid village of Digha.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Lalbagh.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1840.—The 22nd March 1909.—The following draft of rules which the Lieutenant-Governor intends to make, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 20 of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII of 1904), and in supersession of Notification No. 5, dated the 2nd January 1909, published at page 21 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th January 1909, for the purpose of protecting and preserving the ancient monuments described in the said draft, is, as required by sub-section (2) of the said section published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 24th April 1909, and any objection or suggestion with respect thereto which may be received by the undersigned before that date, will be duly considered.

DRAFT RULES.

1. No excavation within, or within a distance of half a mile from, the walls of the ancient cities of old and new Raj Griha, in the vicinity of the village of Rajgir, in the Bihar subdivision of the Patna district, shall be carried on without a license from the Collector of Patna.

2. Such a license shall only be granted subject to the condition that any sculptures, carvings, images, bas-reliefs, inscriptions, stones, bricks, coins, or other ancient objects which may be dug out or discovered within the area referred to in rule 1, shall be immediately surrendered to the Collector.

3. Any person committing a breach of rule 1 or rule 2 shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATIONS.

No. 1832.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Baladev Sahay Barma, Sub-Registrar, Chapra, Saran, in the district of Saran, was granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 17th January to the 28th February 1909.

No. 1834.—The 22nd March 1909.—Maulvi Kutub-ud-din Ahmad, Sub-Registrar, Basantpur, in the district of Saran, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

No. 1851.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Gopi Krishna Banarji, Sub-Registrar, under orders of transfer to Habra, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months in extension of the combined leave granted to him by Government notification No. 244, dated the 11th January 1909.

No. 1853.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Rama Nath Raha, Sub-Registrar, Khalispur, Jessore, in the district of Jessore, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations for one month, in extension of the leave granted to him under Government Notification No. 152, dated the 9th January 1909.

No. 1860.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Surendra Gopal Mitra, Sub-Registrar, Kaliganj, in the district of Jessore, is transferred to Kotechandpur in the same district.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1213F.—The 22nd March 1909.—Mr. R. J. Watson, Controller of Office Systems, Bengal, is allowed privilege leave for 2 months and 17 days, under article 242(a) Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 22nd March 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 1219F.—The 22nd March 1909.—Mr. M. F. Oonvala, Registrar of the Financial, Municipal and Accounts Departments, Bengal Secretariat, is granted privilege leave, under articles 260 and 345 of the Civil Service Regulations, for 16 days with effect from the 9th March 1909.

No. 1220F.—The 22nd March 1909.—Mr. E. H. Pascal, Head Assistant, Municipal Department, is appointed to officiate as Registrar of the Financial, Municipal, and Accounts Departments, Bengal Secretariat, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. M. F. Oonvala.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 664Medl.—The 17th March 1909.—Captain J. W. D. Megaw, M.B., I.M.S., on return from leave, is appointed to do general duty at the Presidency General Hospital, with effect from the 2nd March 1909, or until further orders.

No. 666Medl.—The 17th March 1909.—Captain J. W. D. Megaw, M.B., I.M.S., on general duty at the Presidency General Hospital, is appointed to act as 1st Resident Surgeon of that Hospital, during the absence, on leave, of Captain J. G. P. Murray, I.M.S., or until further orders.

No. 690Medl.—The 22nd March 1909.—Third class Military Assistant Surgeon L. McCurtis was on general duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, on the 7th February 1909.

No. 733Medl.—The 23rd March 1909.—Third class Military Assistant Surgeon J. C. Chalke, I.S.M.D., is appointed to act as apothecary at the Presidency General Hospital, with effect from the forenoon of the 12th December 1908, *vice* Military Assistant Surgeon F. H. Gleeson, on leave.

No. 730San.—The 23rd March 1909.—The Services of Captain W. C. H. Forster, I.M.S., on special duty in connexion with the enquiry into the prevalence of malaria in Bengal, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department, with effect from the 1st April 1909.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 709Medl., dated the 22nd March 1909.—Whereas by Notification No. 1688Medl., dated the 10th April 1894 published at page 74 part I B of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 11th April 1894, after reciting that in or about the month of November 1891 Syed Muhammad Mehdi Hossein Khan of Patna had placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal the sum of Rs. 10,000 to be applied to some public and charitable object in the City of Patna; and reciting that it had been resolved by the Government of Bengal that the said sum should in the first instance be devoted to the creation of an endowment to provide funds for the payment of the salary of the lady doctor to be employed in the female ward of the Temple Hospital at Patna and that the said sum should be invested

in the purchase of securities which should be vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal in manner thereafter appearing; and reciting that the said sum with accumulation of interest thereon to the date of the said notification had accordingly been invested in the purchase of the two several Calcutta Municipal Debentures of which particulars are contained in part I of the 1st schedule hereunder written. It was notified that the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, did thereby order and direct that the said two several Calcutta Municipal Debentures should as from the date of the first publication in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the said notification vest and be thenceforth vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal to be held by him and his successors subject to the provisions of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, and any rules from time to time framed thereunder by the Governor-General in Council upon trust (until the Local Government in exercise of the powers conferred by the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, should direct the expenditure of the trust fund in building a separate hospital for women at Patna or its application to some other purpose of a similar nature, and should in consequence frame a new scheme) to receive the interest of the said securities when and as the same should become due and payable and from time to time to apply the same in terms of the scheme for the creation of an endowment for the payment of the salary of a lady doctor to be employed in the female ward of the Temple Hospital at Patna, of which scheme particulars were contained in the second schedule to the said notification. And whereas by Notification No. 2035Medl, dated the 4th August 1902, published at pages 1083-1085 part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* dated the 6th August 1902, after reciting as is hereinbefore recited and reciting that accumulations having resulted of the surplus interest of the securities vested by the said therein recited notification (being the said notification dated the 10th April 1894) the same had been invested in the purchase of the Calcutta Municipal Debenture of which particulars were contained in part II of the first schedule thereunder written and are contained in part II of the first schedule hereunder written and reciting that it had been resolved that the said last mentioned security should be vested in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments upon the same trusts as were declared by the said therein recited notification of and concerning the said two several securities therein comprised and reciting that it was necessary that a modification should accordingly be effected of the said scheme, of which particulars were contained in the second schedule to the said therein recited notification. It was thereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, did thereby order and direct that in place of the said scheme, of which particulars were contained in the second schedule to the said therein recited notification there should be substituted the modified scheme, of which particulars were contained in the second schedule to the said reciting notification and that the said two several Calcutta Municipal Debentures, of which particulars are contained in part I of the first schedule hereunder written, and also the said Calcutta Municipal Debenture, of which particulars are contained in part II of the last mentioned schedule should as from the date of the first publication in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the now reciting notification vest and be thenceforth vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal to be held by him and his successors subject to the provisions of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, and any rules from time to time framed thereunder by the Governor-General in Council upon trust (until the Local Government should in exercise of the powers conferred by the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890 direct the expenditure of the trust fund in the erection of a separate hospital for women at Patna or the application of the same to some other purpose of a like nature in accordance with any scheme to be thereafter framed by the Local Government) to receive the interest of the said securities vested by the now reciting notification when and as the same should become due and payable and from time to time to apply the same in accordance with the said substituted scheme for the creation of an endowment for the payment of the salary of a lady doctor to be employed in the female ward of the Temple Hospital at Patna, of which scheme the particulars were contained in the said second schedule to the reciting Indenture and are contained in the second schedule hereunder written and it was thereby further notified that the said therein last mentioned scheme should come into operation on the vesting of the said securities in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal and whereas accumulations having resulted of the surplus interest of the securities vested by the said last recited notification, the same have been invested in the purchase of the Government security, of which particulars are contained in part III of the first schedule hereunder written and it has been resolved upon the application of the persons now acting in the administration of the trust that the said last mentioned security shall be vested in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments upon the same trusts as are declared by the said last recited notification of and concerning the several securities therein comprised. Now it is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, doth hereby order and direct that the Government security, of which particulars are contained in part III of the first schedule hereunder written and which has been purchased and acquired with and out of the surplus interest of the property vested by the said hereinbefore last recited notification shall as from the

date of the first publication of this notification vest and be thenceforth vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal to be held by him and his successors upon the like trusts and for the like purposes in all respects as are declared by and in the said hereinbefore recited Notification No. 2035Medl., dated the 4th day of August 1902, of and concerning the said Calcutta Municipal Debentures which were vested by that notification in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments and of which particulars are contained in parts I and II of the first schedule hereunder written and it is hereby declared that so much of the interest of the security vested by this notification as shall be received by the persons for the time being acting in the administration of the trust shall be applied by them towards the same purpose as the interest of the said Calcutta Municipal Debentures which were vested in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments by the said hereinbefore recited Notification No. 2035Medl., dated the 4th day of August 1902, has to be applied in pursuance of the scheme set out in the said schedule to such last mentioned notification, and a copy of which said scheme is also contained in the second schedule hereunder written:—

The first Schedule above referred to.

PART I.

No. 771—5 per cent. Calcutta Municipal Debenture of 1887-88 for Rs. 4,000.
No. 804—5 ditto ditto ditto of 1889-90 „ „ 5,000.

PART II.

No. 1762—5 per cent. Calcutta Municipal Debenture of 1887-88 for Rs. 500.

PART III.

Government promissory note of the nominal value of Rs. 500 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 purchased by the Comptroller, Post Office, on behalf of the Syed Muhammad Mehdi Hossein Fund at present kept in his custody.

The Second Schedule above referred to.

I.—The endowment hereby created shall be called “the Syed Muhammad Mehdi Hossein Fund,” and its object is and shall be the provision of a suitable monthly salary for a lady doctor to be employed in the female ward of the Temple Hospital at Patna.

II.—The trustees to be appointed under section 5(1) of the Charitable Endowments Act 1890 to administer the property vested by the above notification shall be—

- (1) The Commissioner for the time being of the Patna Division.
- (2) The Collector of Patna for the time being.
- (3) The Civil Surgeon of Patna for the time being (who shall also act as Secretary of the trustees).

III.—The interest of the Calcutta Municipal debentures specified in parts I and II of the first Schedule above-written shall be paid by the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments as and when the same shall be received by him to the said trustees mentioned in clause II hereof who shall apply the same from time to time in paying the whole or a portion of the salary of a lady doctor to be employed in the female ward of the Temple Hospital at Patna.

IV.—The trustees may hold meetings for the despatch of business at such times and places, and may adjourn and otherwise regulate such meetings as they think fit, and determine the quorum necessary for the transaction of business. Questions arising at any meeting shall be determined by a majority of votes, and in case of an equality of votes, the Chairman shall have a second or casting vote.

V.—The trustees may elect a Chairman of their meetings. If no such Chairman is elected, or if he is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the trustees present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.

VI.—Minutes shall be made in books to be provided for the purpose of the names of the trustees present at each meeting, and of all resolutions and proceedings of the trustees. Any such minute signed by any person purporting to be Chairman of any meeting shall be receivable in evidence of the facts therein stated without further proof.

VII.—The trustees shall in books to be kept by them regularly enter or cause to be entered full and true entries of all moneys received and paid by them as such trustees as aforesaid and shall from time to time submit to such public servant in such form and at such times as the Local Government may from time to time appoint and prescribe, an abstract of such accounts and such returns as to any matters relating to the administration of the trust property as the said Local Government may from time to time require.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2310A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2171A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Krishna Sahay, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in Chota Nagpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Gumla, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Manmatha Nath Mallik, or until further orders.

No. 2175A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Srish Chandra Halder, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Burdwan, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Purna Chandra Sarkar, or until further orders.

No. 2189A.—The 22nd March 1909.—The services of the officers named below are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam:—

Babu Rajkrishna Banarji,	Subordinate Judge, 24-Parganas.
„ Umesh Chandra Sen (No. I),	ditto, Patna.
„ Sarada Prasad Basu,	ditto, Gaya.
„ Shyama Kanta Nag,	ditto, Saran.
„ Satya Charan Gangali,	ditto, Jessore, now acting as
	Additional Subordinate Judge, Cuttack.
„ Hari Prasanna Mukharji, Munsif,	now acting as Subordinate Judge,
	Midnapore.

No. 2197A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Pramatha Nath Chatterji, Subordinate Judge, Nadia, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge, 24-Parganas.

No. 2201A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Lal Singh, Subordinate Judge, Shahabad, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge, Saran, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes, for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500 within the local limits of the Chapra Munsifi.

No. 2207A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Paresah Nath Chatterji, Subordinate Judge, Hooghly, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge, Jessore.

No. 2213A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Bijay Gopal Basu, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Purnea, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge, Patna.

No. 2217A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Prasanna Kumar Gupta, Munsif of Sambalpur, now on deputation to Balasore, in the district of Cuttack, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge, Purnea, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Nagendra Nath Dhar, or until further orders, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500 within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Purnea.

No. 2257A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Ashutosh Chatterji, Additional Munsif, Ulubaria and Serampore, in the district of Hooghly, now acting as Additional Munsif, Purulia, in Chota Nagpur, is appointed to act as a Munsif in Chota Nagpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Hazaribagh, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Amulya Chandra Ghosh, or until further orders, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Hazaribagh Munsifi.

No. 2259A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Panna Lal Basu, B.L., is appointed to act as an Additional Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Ulubaria and Serampore, but for the present to act as an Additional Munsif in Chota Nagpur, to be on deputation to Purulia.

No. 2288A.—The 23rd March 1909.—The services of the officers named below are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam:—

- (1) Babu Satkari Halder, Munsif, Jessore.
- (2) „ Biraja Charan Mitra, Munsif, Khulna.
- (3) „ Ambika Charan Masumdar, Munsif, Burdwan.
- (4) „ Gyanendra Chandra Banarji, Munsif, Jamui, Bhagalpur.

- (5) Maulvi Abdul Jubbar, Munsif, Darbhanga.
- (6) Babu Bipin Bihari Ghosh, Munsif, Purnea.
- (7) Maulvi Abdur Rahim, Munsif, Patna.
- (8) Babu Bipin Chandra Chatarji, Munsif, Serampore, Hooghly.
- (9) „ Sharat Chandra Bose, Munsif, Baruipur, 24-Parganas.
- (10) Maulvi Mirza Bedar Bakht, Munsif, Vishnupur, Bankura.
- (11) Mr. Abus Sobah Muhammad Ziya-ur-Rahman, Munsif, Hooghly.
- (12) Babu Manmatha Nath Bose, Munsif, Chuadanga, Nadia.
- (13) „ Phanindra Mohan Chatarji, Munsif, Kalna, Burdwan.
- (14) „ Bijay Gopal Chatarji, Munsif, Narail, Jessore.
- (15) „ Hem Chandra Basu (No. 1), Munsif, Narail, Jessore.
- (16) „ Banamali Sen, Munsif, Barasat, now on deputation to Basirhat, 24-Parganas.
- (17) „ Haripada Banarji, Munsif, Bagerhat, Khulna.
- (18) „ Prabodh Chandra Bose, Munsif, Berhampore, Murshidabad.
- (19) „ Kshetra Nath Banarji, Munsif, Arambagh, Hooghly.
- (20) „ Nitai Charan Ghosh, Munsif, Kendrapara, Cuttack.
- (21) „ Basanta Kumar Pal, Munsif, Basirhat, 24-Parganas.
- (22) „ Kumad Nath Ray, Munsif, Jessore, now on deputation to Narail.
- (23) „ Jagadish Chandra Sen, Munsif, Darbhanga.
- (24) „ Bakulal Biswas, Munsif, Chapra, Saran.

No. 2289A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Dina Nath De, Munsif of Cuttack, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Khulna, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes, for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Khulna. He is also vested with powers under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the district of Khulna.

No. 2291A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Satish Chandra Ghosh, Munsif of Burdwan, now on deputation to Asansol, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Narail, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Narail Munsifi.

No. 2292A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Narendra Lal Basu, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Baruipur, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Lelit Mohan Basu, or until further orders.

No. 2293A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Debendra Prasad Bagchi, Munsif of Jajpur, in the district of Cuttack, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Bankura, to be ordinarily stationed at Vishnupur, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII 1889, within the local limits of the Vishnupur Munsifi.

No. 2294A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Natabihari Ghosh, Munsif of Bargarh, in the district of Cuttack, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Kendrapara, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Kendrapara Munsifi.

No. 2295A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Kali Kumar Sarkar, Munsif of Madhubani, in the district of Darbhanga, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Darbhanga. He is also vested with powers under section 19, sub-section (2) of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act XII of 1887 to try under the ordinary procedure original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the district of Darbhanga.

No. 2297A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Maulvi Amir Hamza, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Darbhanga, to be ordinarily stationed at Madhubani.

No. 2298 A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Mr. Muhammad Zahur, Munsif of Aurangabad, in the district of Gaya, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Purnea, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Purnea.

No. 2299 A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Mr. Muhammad Wahid-ud-din Ahmad, Munsif of Gaya, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Aurangabad, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Aurangabad Munsifi.

No. 2300 A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Rajiba Nayan Sahay, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Gaya, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station.

No. 2301 A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Ram Bilas Singh, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Darbhanga, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station.

No. 2302 A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Brajendra Prasad, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Saran, to be ordinarily stationed at Chapra.

No. 2303 A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Ashutosh Ghosh (No. II), Additional Munsif of the district of the 24-Parganas, now on deputation to Baruipur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Basirhat, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Basirhat munsifi.

No. 2304 A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Manoranjan Ray, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Barasat.

No. 2305 A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Atul Chandra Gangali, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Murshidabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Berhampore.

No. 2306 A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Maulvi Najabut Husain, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station.

No. 2307 A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Jatindra Nath Ghosh, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Cuttack, to be ordinarily stationed at Sambalpur, but for the present to be on deputation to Balasore during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Prasanno Kumar Gupta, or until further orders.

No. 2308 A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Thakur Dayal, Additional Munsif of the 24-Parganas, now employed as an Additional Munsif in the district of Darbhanga, is confirmed in his present appointment as Additional Munsif, Darbhanga, on deputation to Madhubani.

POWERS.

No. 1942 A.—The 12th March 1909.—Babu Ashutosh Banarji, Deputy Magistrate, Hazaribagh, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the headquarters station of the Hazaribagh district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 2177 A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Sudhanshu Bhushan Mitra, Deputy Magistrate, Purnea, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

No. 2215A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Tarak Nath Datta, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Patna, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the thanas comprising the Sadar Munsifi of Bankipore, exclusive of the area over which the Cantonment Magistrate of Dinapore has jurisdiction.

No. 2220A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Anadi Ranjan Bose, Deputy Magistrate, Purnea, is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 2223A.—The 22nd March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Babu Hari Charan Bose, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Bhagalpur, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

No. 2234A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Radha Prasad Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate, Sitamarhi, Muzaffarpur, is vested with powers under section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Under the authority vested in the Local Government by sub-section (2), section 8, of the Reformatory Schools Act, VIII of 1897, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to invest Babu Radha Prasad Mukharji with the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of the said section.

No. 2244A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Mukunda Deb Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate, Patna, is vested, under section 407 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, with power to hear appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the second and third classes.

No. 2251A.—The 23rd March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Mr. A. E. Seroope, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Manbhum, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Mr. Seroope is also vested with powers under sections 133, 134, 190 (1) (a) (b) (c) and 524 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 2276A.—The 23rd March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Babu Nagendra Nath Sarkar, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Babu Nagendra Nath Sarkar is also vested with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 2290A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Surendra Nath Ghose, Munsif of Burdwan, is vested with powers under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try under the ordinary procedure original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000 arising within the local limits of the district of Burdwan.

No. 2296A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Mr. Shaikh Ahmad Husain Khan, Munsif of Madhubani, in the district of Darbhanga, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Madhubani Munsifi.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1376J.—The 18th March 1909.—Babu Ambu Nath Chatarji, Registrar of the Chief Presidency Magistrate's office, Calcutta, is appointed, under section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to be a Presidency Magistrate for the town of Calcutta, and is authorised to sit singly for the trial of such cases or classes of cases as are made over to him for trial by the Chief Presidency Magistrate.

No. 1373J.—The 20th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Babu Pratapendra Chandra Pande to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification and to direct that he shall sit singly at Pakour, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas, for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Pakour subdivision of that district. He is also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

No. 1405J.—The 22nd March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Maulvi Shah Amirul Hasan and Babu Kishun Lal Dhokri Gayawal to be Magistrates of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification and to direct that they shall sit as members of the Sadar Independent Bench in the district of Gaya. Maulvi Shah Amirul Hasan is also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

No. 1438J.—The 22nd March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Babu Debi Lal to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Dinapore Independent Bench, in the district of Patna.

No. 1440J.—The 22nd March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Maulvi Hafiz Saiyid Abdul Gafur to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Bihar Independent Bench, in the district of Patna.

No. 1480J.—The 22nd March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Amarendra Singh to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Madhubani Independent Bench, in the district of Darbhanga.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 1403J.—The 22nd March 1909.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Ramji Prasad of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench in the district of Gaya.

No. 1445J.—The 22nd March 1909.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Kedar Nath Banarji of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Uttarpara Municipal Bench, in the district of Hooghly.

POWERS.

No. 1416J.—The 19th March 1909.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1893, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Janaki Nath Ganguli, Babu Hari Gopal Mukharji and Maulvi Quari Abdul Ali, Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Haliashahar, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

No. 1436J.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Bijay Lal Datta, an Honorary Magistrate of the Basirhat Independent Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

No. 1443J.—The 22nd March 1909.—Maulvi Nur Muhammad, an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Bihar, in the district of Patna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class. He is also authorized to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Bihar subdivision of that district, and is empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

No. 1447J.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Bindhyeswari Prasad, an Honorary Magistrate of the Bankipore Independent Bench, in the district of Patna, is authorised to sit singly for the trial of cases which may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of that district, and is empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1414J.—The 19th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 12, 15, 190 (2) and 261 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act 24-Parganas. V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased—

(a) to appoint Babu Janaki Nath Ganguli, Mr. William Mackenzie, Babu Hari Gopal Mukharji and Maulvi Quari Abdul Ali to be Magistrates of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

(b) to direct that the said Magistrates or any two or three of them shall sit together at Halishahar as an Independent Bench,

(c) to invest the said Bench with the powers conferred or conferrable by or under the said Code on a Magistrate of the third class,

(d) to direct the said Bench to exercise the said powers for the trial of—

(i) cases occurring within the limits of Wards 1, 2 and 3 (a) of the Halishahar Municipality, and

(ii) any cases made over to it by the Subdivisional Officer of Barrackpore,

(e) to empower the said Bench to take cognizance, under clause (a) or clause (b) of

- (1) Section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861).
- (2) The Bengal Public Gambling Act, 1867 (Ben. Act II of 1867).
- (3) The Bengal Cruelty to Animals Act, 1869 (Ben. Act I of 1869).
- (4) The Bengal Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1878 (Ben. Act IV of 1878).
- (5) The Bengal Vaccination Act, 1880 (Ben. Act V of 1880).
- (6) The Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), and the by-laws framed thereunder.
- (7) The Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1891 (Ben. Act II of 1891).

section 190 of the said Code, of offences against any of the enactments noted in the margin for which it may try or commit for trial, and

(f) to confer on the said Bench power to try summarily the offences referred to in section 261 of the said Code.

No. 1489J.—The 23rd March 1909.—Under section 3, Act I (B.C.) of 1876 (an Act to provide for the voluntary registration of Muhammadan marriages and divorces), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a license to Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Esa, authorizing him to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Registrar within thana Kalna in the district of Burdwan.

No. 1490J.—The 23rd March 1909.—Under section 2, Act XII of 1880 (an Act for the appointment of persons to the office of Kazi), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a sanad (license) to Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Esa, appointing him Kazi of thana Kalna, in the district of Burdwan, for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1643P.—The 22nd March 1909.—Whereas the District Magistrate of the 24-Parganas, made a conditional order on the 20th February 1909, under sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Newspapers (Incitements to Offences) Act, 1908, declaring the printing press used for the purpose of printing or publishing the *Prabhat* newspaper to be forfeited to His Majesty; and whereas by an order dated the 26th February 1909, passed by the said District Magistrate under sub-section (5) of the said section the conditional order aforesaid was made absolute;

In exercise of the power conferred by section 7 of the said Act, the Lieutenant-Governor:—

- (1) hereby annuls the declaration made by the printer and publisher of the said *Prabhat* newspaper, on the 28th day of October 1908, under the Press and Registration of Books Act, 1867, and
- (2) prohibits any further declaration being made or subscribed under the said Press and Registration of Books Act, 1867, in respect of the said *Prabhat* newspaper or of any newspaper which is the same in substance as the said *Prabhat* newspaper, until this prohibition be withdrawn.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1593P.—The 20th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 clause (s), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the police-stations in the district of Monghyr, which are mentioned in column 1 of the following table shall be police-stations within the meaning of that clause, and shall include the areas respectively specified opposite thereto in column 2 of that table:—

1	2
Police-stations.	Areas.
Monghyr Town police-station ...	The area included within the Monghyr Municipality.
Monghyr Mufassal police-station ...	The rest of the area formerly included within the Monghyr Sadar police-station.

No. 1608P.—The 20th March 1909.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Gaur Ohand Majhi, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. II—Gazalia of the Kachua outpost, in the district of Khulna, *vice* Babu Hira Lal Biswas, removed, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Gaur Ohand Majhi for the period not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 1609P.—The 20th March 1909.—The Notification No. 1120P.D., dated the 25th June 1906, published at page 1293, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Hira Lal Biswas, as President of the panchayat of Union No. II—Gazalia of the Kachua outpost, in the district of Khulna, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 18th March 1909.

No. 49.—Rai Annada Prasad Sarkar Bahadur, Executive Engineer, is attached to the office of the Superintending Engineer, Central Circle, from the forenoon of the 17th March 1909 and until further orders.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 50.—Rai Annada Prasad Sarkar Bahadur, Executive Engineer, attached to the office of the Superintending Engineer, Central Circle, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for 3 months with effect from the 1st April 1909, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

The 20th March 1909.

No. 51.—The following extract from a notification issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department is republished for information:—

No. 31, dated the 18th March 1909.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to order the following reversion and promotion in the Chief Engineer classes of the Public Works Department, with effect from the 5th December 1908:—

Names.	From	To
* * *	* * *	* * *
Thomson, A. S. ...	Officiating Chief Engineer ...	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, permanent.

The 22nd March 1909.

No. 54.—Mr. P. H. Barboza, Apprentice Engineer, Darjeeling Division, is promoted to the rank of Assistant Engineer, Provincial Service, with effect from the 10th January 1909.

A. S. THOMSON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 22nd March 1909.

No. 53.—Mr. J. G. Powell, Assistant Engineer, Champaran Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for ten days, with effect from the 2nd January 1909.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 20th March 1909.

No. 19 Marine.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 16 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, Mr. M. W. Muir, of the firm of Messrs. Finlay Muir & Co., has been elected by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to be a Commissioner of the Port of Calcutta, in the place of Mr. Lockhart Smith, resigned.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 20th March 1909.

No. 20 Marine.—Mr. John McPherson, Manager of the Bally Jute Mills, is appointed to act as a member of the Commission appointed by the Government for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Bengal Steam-Boilers and Prime-Movers Act, 1879, during the absence of Mr. Stewart McPherson.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 23rd March 1909.

No. 21 Marine.—Mr. J. D. D. Kirkman, Branch Pilot, is granted combined leave for eight months, viz, privilege leave for one month and six days, under article 676 (a) of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 672 of the Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 8th March 1909.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 23rd March 1909.

No. 22 Marine.—Mr. C. F. Keys, Senior Master Pilot, is appointed to act as a Branch Pilot, with effect from the date he is placed on the running list, *vice* Mr. J. D. D. Kirkman, Branch Pilot, on leave.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.**ESTABLISHMENT.***The 22nd March 1909.*

No. 52.—Babu Surondra Lal Maitra, Overseer, first grade, Cossye Division, is granted under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for nine days in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 22, dated the 13th February 1909.

T. BUTLER,
Chief Engineer.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.*No. 2311A.*

No. 2173A.—*The 22nd March 1909.*—Babu Harihar Padhan, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sambalpur, is transferred to the Bargarh subdivision of that district.

No. 2236A.—*The 23rd March 1909.*—Babu Satish Chandra Upadhyaya, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st April 1909.

No. 2261A.—*The 23rd March 1909.*—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Pandit Raj Ballabh Misra, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, 24-Parganas, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

No. 2263A.—*The 23rd March 1909.*—Babu Chintamani Acharji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Jajpur, Cuttack, is transferred to the head-quarters station of that district.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 3496, dated Calcutta, the 19th March 1909.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Surendranath Mukharji of the Ghatal Subdivision and Dispensary, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed temporarily to the Bunwari Lal Hospital, Laheria Serai, Darbhanga, *vice* 1st grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Jogendra Nath Basu, deceased.

No. 3551, dated Calcutta, the 22nd March 1909.—2nd grade Assistant Surgeon, Babu Jogyeswar Mukharji, of the Giridih subdivision and Rattray Charitable Dispensary, in the district of Hazaribagh, is granted privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st February 1909.

No. 3553, dated Calcutta, the 22nd March 1909.—2nd grade Assistant Surgeon, Babu Nandalal Mukharji, is appointed, with effect from the 1st February 1909, to act at the Giridih subdivision and Rattray Charitable Dispensary in the district of Hazaribagh during his absence, on leave, of 2nd grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Jogyeswar Mukharji, or until further orders.

No. 3622, dated Calcutta, the 23rd March 1909.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Braja Gopal Chatarji did supernumerary duty in the Campbell Hospital from the 26th February to the 10th March 1909, both days inclusive.

No. 3624, dated Calcutta, the 23rd March 1909.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Braja Gopal Chatarji is deputed to do special duty at the Teljala Additional Small-pox Hospital, until further orders, with effect from the 11th March 1909.

No. 3632, dated Calcutta, the 23rd March 1909.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Karuna Kumar Chatarji of the Arrah Dispensary having returned to duty on the 31st December 1908, the unexpired portion of the extraordinary leave without allowance is cancelled.

No. 3636, dated Calcutta, the 23rd March 1909.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Satya Sharan Chakrabatti is granted combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for 26 days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the same Regulations, with effect from the date on which he avails himself of it.

No. 3641, dated Calcutta, the 23rd March 1909.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Maulvi Muhammad Sulaiman Ashruff acted as House Surgeon, Mayo Native Hospital, Calcutta, from the 31st January to the 15th February 1909, both days inclusive, during the absence, on leave, of 3rd grade Assistant Surgeon Maulvi Dabiruddin Ahmad.

No. 3643, dated Calcutta, the 23rd March 1909.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Maulvi Dabiruddin Ahmad, House Surgeon, Mayo Native Hospital, Calcutta, is granted leave on medical certificate under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations from the 31st January to the 15th February 1909.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Orissa Medical School, Cuttack.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medical, dated 19th September 1907, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will be held at 9 A. M. on Monday, the 26th April 1909, at the Orissa Medical School, Cuttack.

2. Every candidate must produce certificates of training, age and previous education as required by Rules 9 and 11 of Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medical, dated 19th September 1907, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th September 1907, except in those cases provided for in Rule 10.

3. These certificates must comply with the conditions laid down in Rule 10 of the above resolution.

4. Male candidates must register their names and submit their certificates, together with a fee of Rs. 5, at least one week before the 26th April 1909 at the office of the Superintendent, Medical School, Cuttack.

Female candidates will be examined free of charge.

5. Should any candidate fail to pass the required examination he will forfeit his fee.

6. No candidate for the Compounder's examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

CUTTACK :
The 17th March 1909. }

E. E. WATERS, M. D., MAJOR, I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Medical School, Cuttack.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Temple Medical School, Patna.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medl., dated 19th September 1907, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will be held at 10 A.M. on Wednesday, the 7th April 1909, at the Temple Medical School, Bankipore.

2. Every candidate must produce certificates of training, age and previous education as required by Rules 9 and 11 of Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medl., dated 19th September 1907, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th September 1907, except in those cases provided for in Rule 10.

3. These certificates must comply with the conditions laid down in Rule 10 of the above resolution.

4. Male candidates must register their names and submit their certificates, together with a fee of Rs. 5, at least one week before the 7th April 1909, at the office of the undersigned.

Female candidates will be examined free of charge.

(Exception.—The students belonging to the Compounder class of a Vernacular Medical School will be exempted from paying this fee on producing a certificate from the Superintendent that they have already paid the school entrance fee.)

5. Should any candidate fail to pass the required examination, he will forfeit his fee.

6. No candidate for the Compounders' examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

B. C. OLDHAM, MAJOR, I.M.S.,

Superintendent, Temple Medical School, Patna.

The 2nd March 1909.

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

The 10th March 1909.

THE Honorable the Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal has appointed John Josselyn, Esq., of Ipswich in the County of Suffolk, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Judicature in England, a Commissioner within all parts of England to take affidavits or affirmations or declarations in all suits matters and proceedings in the Calcutta High Court and also the acknowledgments of married women in respect of property in India.

By order,
W. R. FINK, Registrar.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.**Subordinate Educational Service.**

The 16th March 1909.—Babu Panna Lal Banerjee, Officiating Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore (class V). is allowed combined privilege leave for two months from 22nd March 1909, viz, 46 days under article 260 and 14 days under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations.

(2) Babu Suraj Mohan Ray, Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore (class V), is appointed to act as Deputy Inspector of Schools Midnapore, *vice* Babu Panna Lal Banerjee, on leave.

(3) Babu Rasik Kanta Ganguli, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Midnapore (class V), is appointed to act as Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore, *vice* Babu Suraj Mohan Ray.

The 17th March 1909.—*Erratum*.—In the orders of the 10th February 1909, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, appointing Mr. John Nabo Kishore Sarkar, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Pakur (class VIII), to act as Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Prasanna Chandra Dutt, read "class VII" for "class VIII."

Babu Raj Kishore Sahay Verma, B.A., a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Darbhanga (class VIII), is appointed to be a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Patna, *vice* Babu Lal Narayan Dhar, transferred.

Babu Purusottam Mohapatra is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Sambalpur High English School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service on an allowance of Rs. 37-8 a month with effect from the date he joins that appointment, *vice* Babu Benode Behari Das, on deputation to the David Hare Training College.

Babu Bansidhar Chobay, Inspecting Pandit, Bagodar Circle, in the district of Hazaribagh, is appointed to act as Sub-Inspector of Schools in that Circle and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, from 1st February 1909, *vice* Babu Dineshwar Prasad, resigned.

The 18th March 1909.—In modification of the orders of the 23rd November 1908, Babu Kali Charan Ghosh, Officiating Head Clerk of the Hazaribagh Reformatory School (class VIII), is allowed combined leave, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, for 8 months and 25 days, viz, privilege leave under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations for three months and furlough for the remaining period, under article 338 of the Regulations, from 1st December 1908.

The 20th March 1909.—Babu Hara Mohun Roy, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Burdwan (class V), was on leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for six days, from the 18th January 1909.

Miss Edith H. Crawford is appointed, on probation for one year, to be an Assistant Mistress in the Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong, and substantively *pro tempore* to class IV of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 5th March 1909, *vice* Miss Ida D'Cruze, resigned.

The 21st March 1909.—Babu Keshab Chandra Misra, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Upper Keonjhar Circle (class VIII), was absent on leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, from 25th January 1909.

Babu Bhabani Sankar Das, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, Orissa Tributary Mahals (class VIII), was on leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one day, viz, the 2nd January 1909.

The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Sasi Bhusan Bhattacharjya, Assistant Master, Bankura Zilla School (Rs. 50 outside the grades), is promoted to class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 6th June 1908, *vice* Babu Srish Chandra Mitra, promoted to Rs. 60 outside the grades.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that the first Half-yearly Departmental Examination during 1909 of Assistant and Deputy Magistrates and Sub-Deputy Collectors of the Regulation and non-Regulation Districts and of officers of the Police, Medical, Forest and Public Works Departments, in the districts of the Orissa Division, will be held at Cuttack, in the office of the Commissioner of the Orissa Division on Wednesday, the 28th April 1909, and the two following days. The examination will begin at 11 A.M. on each day.

E. V. LEVINGE,
Commissioner and President of the Local Committee for the examination of Assistant Magistrates and others at Cuttack.

ORISSA COMM'R.'S OFFICE, CUTTACK, the 17th March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that for the ensuing half-yearly Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others to be held at 11 A.M. on the 28th April 1909 and the two following days, a Local Examination Committee will be convened in the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at No. 3 Charnock Place, Calcutta, for the conduct of the examination of officers employed in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

KRISHNA KALI MUKHARJI, for Commissioner.

COMM'R.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, the 15th March 1909.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1529B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I., I.C.S.,

Member in charge.

IN exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Sea Customs Act, 1879 (VIII of 1878), and with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, the Board of Revenue direct that the following amendments be made in the rules relating to the clearance and discharge of salt, which were published under Notification No. 3884B., dated the 9th July 1907, at pages 1179—1205 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th idem:—

1. In rule 22,—

- (a) in the last line of the first paragraph, for “fees prescribed in section V” substitute “allowances prescribed in article 2 of the table subjoined to Notification No. 6040B., dated the 10th November 1908, published at pages 1796—1823 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem”;
- (b) in the last line of the second paragraph, for “fees prescribed in rule 70, section V,” substitute “allowances prescribed in article 5 of the aforesaid table.”

2. For rule 68 substitute the following:—

68. The following allowances shall be payable for work done in respect of the discharge of salt on Sundays and holidays, namely:—

- (i) When such work is done between the hours of 6 A.M. and 2 P.M. during the period from 1st March to 31st October (both inclusive), or between the hours of 7 A.M. and 3 P.M. during the period from 1st November to 29th February (both inclusive)—the allowances prescribed in articles 18, 27 and 31, respectively, of the table subjoined to Notification No. 6040B., dated the 10th November 1908, published at pages 1796—1823 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem; and
- (ii) When such work is done after the hours of 2 P.M. or 3 P.M., as the case may be, during the same respective periods—the allowances prescribed in article 4 of the aforesaid table, in addition to the allowances referred to in clause (i) of this rule.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE DEPT.,
SALT BRANCH,
CALCUTTA;
The 19th March 1909.

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI,

Secretary.

No. 1315B.

AN examination of the Patna and Benares Provision Opium of season 1907-08 will be held at the new Opium-godowns No. 14, Strand Road, on Monday, the 5th April 1909, at 10-45 A.M. Merchants, dealers and others interested in opium are invited to attend.

Samples of the opium examined will be given to merchants and dealers only, in small tins, which must be placed on the table labelled with the names of the persons requiring the sample.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI,

Secretary.

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE DEPT., OPIUM SALE, CALCUTTA, the 9th March 1909.

No. 923B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1906-07 will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Thursday the 1st April 1909, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,600 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	1,800
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	1,800
Total	...	3,600

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 27th November 1908, and published in the *Government and Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 16th April 1909, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 8th April 1909, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Friday, the 16th April 1909.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory ; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory ; about chests.	Total ; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 4th May 1909 ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday, 1st June „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday, 6th July „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday, 3rd August „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday, 8th September „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Monday, 4th October „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday, 3rd November „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday, 1st December „ ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
Total ...	14,400	14,400	28,800

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJEE, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, the 23rd February 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the provisions of section 9 of the Bengal Excise Act VII (B.O.) of 1878, and with the sanction of the Board of Revenue, a distillery for the manufacture of spirituous liquors after the native process having been established at Kumrar, in the district of Patna, it is hereby notified, in supersession of the Notification dated the 10th December 1904, published on page 40 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th January 1905, that from and after the 1st April 1909, within the following limits which have been fixed with the sanction of the said Board of Revenue, no such liquors unless manufactured at the said Sadar distillery, shall be introduced or sold without a pass from the Collector, and no still shall be constructed or worked or spirituous liquors manufactured, except at the said distillery.

The limits comprise and include all the villages in thanas Manair, Dinapur, Phulwari, Bakerganj, Pirbahore, Sultanganj, Allamganj, Khawajeh Kallan, Chowk, Malsalami and Fatwa.

North.—The river Ganges.

West.—The river Sonc.

South.—The thanas Bikram, Marourhi, Hilsa and Chandi.

East.—Thana Barh.

NOGENDRA NATH MUKHARJI,
for Collector.

The 16th March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Contract supply system will be introduced into the district of Purnea with effect from the 1st April 1909. It is hereby notified under the provisions of the Bengal Excise Act, VII of 1878, that from and after that date within the following limits of the district of Purnea, no spirituous liquors manufactured after the native process shall be sold without a license from the Collector of Purnea and no still shall be constructed or worked or spirituous liquors be manufactured:—

Northern boundary—Nepal, Darjeeling, Jalpaiguri.

Eastern boundary—Malda, Dinajpur, Jalpaiguri.

Southern boundary—Bhagalpur, Sonthal Parganas.

Western boundary—Bhagalpur.

E. GEAKE,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

The 19th March 1909.

Statement showing the quantity of salt (private property) in bonded warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of March 1909, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th March 1909.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN CALCUTTA.				Quantity afloat.	Grand Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 1st TO THE 15th MARCH 1909, INCLUSIVE.			
	In private goas.	In Sultea Government goas.	In Kidderpore Dock Government goas.	Total.			Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—										
Liverpool and other	8,48,822	4,73,842	13,22,664	1,50,547	14,73,211	1,06,304	3,36,167	38,500	90,155
Panga salt.										
Other European countries—										
Port Said salt	1,06,894	.....	1,06,894	86,727	1,06,621	34,662	1,40,722	22,030	13,340
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	59,291	.....	59,291	.....	59,291	10,670	.....	.....	20,192
Hamburg rock
Aden and Red Sea—										
Spanish salt	6,73,679	90,761	7,63,343	1,07,036	8,71,279	96,531	1,70,666	33,000	53,237
Aden salt	25,058	.....	25,058	1,10,668	1,35,626	40,492	1,54,078	23,060	13,560
Salif salt	7,37,905	31,600	7,72,503	80,008	8,62,511	76,818	1,88,327	160	80,353
Do. rock salt	4,443	.....	4,443	.....	4,443	700	4,083	.....	700
Kawayah salt
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Lingah and
Hanjam salt.
Ditto ditto rock salt
British India—										
Bombay salt	1,17,973	6,633	1,24,606	3,110	1,37,716	42,910	26,000	150	33,763
Madras salt
Coronada salt
Visagapatam salt
Other places—										
Phocce salt	24,584	.....	24,584	.....	24,584	50	.....	.....	550
Total	28,99,549	6,05,839	32,05,388	5,84,954	37,44,342	4,03,137	10,39,043	1,13,470	2,96,261

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in private goas	.....
Ditto in Sultea goas	3,385
Ditto in Kidderpore Dock goas	1,856
Abandoned and destroyed	10

In transit—

	Mds.
Liverpool and other Panga salt	43,980
Spanish salt	11,003
Port Said Salt	13,200
Salif Salt	21,720
Aden	4,300
Bombay Salt	9,000

* This quantity includes 793 maunds 10 seers Bombay karkach salt charged with the duty in Calcutta.

G. N. BOWER,
Asst. Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 22nd March 1909.

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that the next general election of the Commissioners of the Kotrung Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, under the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, will be held on 26th June 1909.

KUMUD NATH MUKHARJI, for *Commissioner*.

COMM'R.'s OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURAH, *the 13th March 1909.*

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that Babu Upendra Kristo Rai has been elected at a bye-election held on the 1st March 1909, to be a member of the Barrackpore Local Board representing the thanas Barrackpore and Nawpara in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Babu Girish Chandra Chatterji, resigned.

E. W. COLLIN, *Commissioner*.

COMM'R.'s OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 17th March 1909.*

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that Thursday, the 15th April 1909, has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner for Ward No. C of the Monghyr Municipality.

E. H. C. WALSH, *Commissioner*.

COMM'R.'s OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 19th March 1909.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 415C.C.S.—*The 23rd March 1909*—Whereas, after holding an enquiry under section 21, sub-section (5), of the Co-operative Credit Societies Act, 1904 (X of 1904), into the working of the Husir Sarom Bangali Tola and the Husir Sarom Patwa Tola Rural Co-operative Credit Societies, I am of opinion that both these societies ought to be dissolved; now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 23 of that Act, I hereby cancel the registration of both the said societies.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 24 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Revd. O. Finch White, of the Dublin University Mission at Chitarpur, to be liquidator of both the said societies.

W. H. BUCHAN,

Registrar of Co-operative Credit Societies, Bengal.



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PART I A.

[Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 20th March 1909.]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKK,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

JUDICIAL.

Calcutta, the 17th March 1909.

No. 424.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Brett having been granted furlough from the 27th March to the 2nd September 1909, both days inclusive, the Governor-General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of the Indian High Courts Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Viot., C. 104), section 7, to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Richardson, at present acting as a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, to act as a Judge of the said Court, during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Brett, or until further orders.

No. 425.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Holmwood having been granted furlough from the 27th March to the 2nd September 1909, both days inclusive, the Governor-General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of the Indian High Courts Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Viot., C. 104), section 7, to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Vincent, at present acting as a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, to act as a Judge of the said Court, during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Holmwood, or until further orders.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 440.—Mr. W. H. H. Vincent, I.C.S., took his seat as an Acting Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on the 15th March 1909.

EDUCATION.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 223.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 6, sub-section 3, of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta

University is pleased to approve of the following elections of Ordinary Fellows by the Faculties of Arts and Science, respectively :—

Elected by the Faculty of Science.

Dr. E. P. Harrison, Ph.D.

H. A. STUART,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

METEOROLOGY.

Calcutta, the 19th March 1909.

No. 679-12-7.—Mr. O. W. Peake, M.A., Meteorologist, Calcutta, is granted leave without pay for nine months, with effect from the 20th March 1909 or subsequent date.

No. 680-12-7.—Dr. E. P. Harrison, Ph.D., Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta, is appointed to be Meteorologist, Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Peake, or until further orders.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort William, the 17th March 1909.

No. 675-G.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Monsieur L. Grezoux as Honorary Vice-Consul for Spain at Calcutta.

No. 687-G.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. J. Lincé as Vice-Consul for Belgium at Calcutta.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Fort William, the 19th March 1909.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Cossipore Artillery Volunteers.

No. 260.—Lieutenant-Colonel William Stewart Malcolm, v.n., is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 19th March 1909.

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY SUPPLY.*Fort William, the 19th March 1909.***PROMOTIONS.****INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.****ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.**

No. 14.—The undermentioned 3rd class Assistant Surgeons, having completed seven years' service in that class and passed the required departmental examination, to be 2nd class Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 16th February 1909 :—

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Frank Herbert Gleeson.

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E. W. S. K. MACONOHY, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART I B.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 502M.—The 19th March 1909.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. W. A. Batterfield to be a Commissioner of the Budge-Budge Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Mr. W. Webber, resigned.

No. 505M.—The 22nd March 1909.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Bhadreswar Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, of Babu Bhut Nath Banarji to be their Chairman during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. D. Ogg.

No. 510M.—The 22nd March 1909.—It is hereby notified that the Commissioners of the Dumraon Municipality in the district of Shahabad, having at a meeting requested the Local Government, under sections 23 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Captain J. B. Rutherfordord, D.S.O., to be their Chairman, *vice* Mr. J. E. Rutherfordord, resigned.

No. 512M.—The 22nd March 1909.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Asansol Municipality in the district of Burdwan :—

The Subdivisional Officer, Asansol	East Indian Railway, Asansol	} <i>Ex-officio.</i>
The District Engineer,	ditto	
The Junior Engineer,	ditto	
The District Medical Officer,	ditto	
The District Locomotive Superintendent,	ditto	
The Traffic Superintendent,	ditto	}
The Locomotive Foreman, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Asansol	...	
Babu Sasi Bhushan Raha.	Munshi Assimuddin.	
„ Dola Gobinda Chattaraj.	Babu Jaharimal Marwari.	
Babu Dijendra Nath Roy.		

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint, under section 23 of the Act, the Subdivisional Officer, Asansol, to be Chairman, *ex-officio*, of the Municipality.

No. 519M.—The 19th March 1909.—Under rule 9 of the Rules framed under section 5 of the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the Lieutenant-Governor intends to sanction the following application from the Commissioners of the Bhagalpur Municipality for a loan of Rs. 10,000 from Government, bearing interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum, and repayable in forty equal half-yearly instalments of Rs. 365-8-10 each, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the said Municipality.

Rs.	Twenty	Four per cent.	One	Rs.	15th	Rs.
For the purchase of a low service pump and two vertical						
Municipal						
Bengal Municipal Act						
Forty equal half-yearly instalments, payable on 15th November and 15th May each year, commencing						
Rs.						
C.—Revenue received from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation.						
1. Rent on lands, houses, etc. ...	544			627	572	2,810
2. Sale proceeds and produce of land ...	282			1,337	43	5,407
3. Consistency receipts other than taxes and rates ...	31			24		
4. Fees and revenue from medical institutions ...	2,267			2,736	1,038	6,080
5. Markets and slaughter-houses ...	362			301	207	9,654
6. Other fees (water-supply to jail, etc.) ...	7,330			6,973	8,468	7,237
7. Fines under Municipal Act ...	1,369			925	463	4,710
8. Interest on investment—						
For medical purposes ...	61			49	103	360
D.—Grants and contributions for general and special purposes.						
From Government—						
For general purposes ...	56,074			10,555	48,700	1,558
For medical purposes ...	5,958			303	615	455
From Local Funds—						
For general purposes ...	5,000			5,000	5,000	12,579
For medical purposes ...	823			687	700	154
From other sources—						
For general purposes ...	1,303			129	36	2,454
For medical purposes ...	752			542	948	254
E.—Miscellaneous.						
1. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals.	219			294	85	11,141
2. Other items ...	546			510	541	33
Total Ordinary Revenue ...	1,84,362			1,41,532	1,67,145	28
F.—Extraordinary and Debt.						
1. Sale proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank.	84,700					577
2. Loan from Government	23,341					1,105
3. Realization of Sinking Fund for payment of loan.	3,62,303					235
Total Revenue ...	1,41,532			1,41,532	1,67,145	284
Total of Suspense Heads ...						
Total of expenditure heads ...						
Total ...						

No. 517M.—The 22nd March 1909.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in exercise of the power vested in him by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in compliance with an application made under that section by the Commissioners of the Tollyganj Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to extend the provisions of Part VIII of the said Act to the said Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

No. 528M.—The 23rd March 1909.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 1, clause 3, of Bengal Act II of 1891 (an Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to hackney carriages and palanquins in Calcutta) and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Purnea Municipality, in the district of Purnea, made at a meeting, to extend the provisions of the said Act to the above Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of publication of this notification within the Municipality.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention and no objection having been received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, define the general line of buildings on each side of Durgapore Lane in Ward No. 23, in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 15th January 1909.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 19th March 1909. }

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.



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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

IN supersession of previous orders the following dates have been fixed for holding the Preliminary and Final Examinations in Law and the M.A. Examination in July 1909:—

The Preliminary Examination in Law will be held on Monday and Tuesday, the 5th and 6th July 1909.

The Final Examination in Law will be held on Wednesday, the 7th July, and will continue to Saturday, the 10th July 1909.

The M. A. Examination will be held on Monday, the 12th July 1909, and following days.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 17th March 1909.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

NOTIFICATION.

AN examination in the knowledge of English idiom and in pronunciation for teachers of English in Native schools will be held at the office of the Inspector of European Schools, 12, Dalhousie Square, East, on Friday, the 26th of March 1909, at 11 A.M.

Teachers who intend to present themselves for examination should send at least a week before the examination a statement containing the following information, and should also bring with them their University certificates on the day of the examination:—

Name in full.	Last University examination passed.
Name of father in full.	Year of passing.
Name of native village and district.	Signature of the applicant.
Designation and full address.	

Candidates should also state whether they have sat for this examination before, and, if so, how often, giving dates.

CALCUTTA,
The 19th March 1909.

N. L. HALLWARD,
Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.

VERNACULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION, JANUARY 1909.

PATNA, BHAGALPUR AND CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISIONS.

The undermentioned candidates have passed the Vernacular Mastership Examination held in January 1909.

No.	Name of candidate.	Age.	Name of school
FIRST GRADE.			
<i>(Arranged alphabetically).</i>			
MEDIUM.			
		Yrs. m.	
1	Dayal, Prabhu	15 10	Ranohi Training School.
2	Jha, Dharanath*	17 0	Patna Training School.
3	„ Ganouri	18 0	Ditto.
4	Lal, Suba*	18 2	Ditto.
5	Muhammad Umar	18 0	Second Master, Kako M. V. School.
6	Pandey, Balkishore*	19 10	Patna Training School.
7	„ Chatradhari*	17 11	Ditto.
8	Parmanand	21 9	Ditto.
9	Paulus, Topno*	20 9	Ranohi Training School.
10	Rai, Pasupati	19 1	Patna Training School.
11	Ram, Damri	19 4	Ditto.
12	Ram, Nathu*	19 1	Ranohi Training School.
13	Sahay, Brij Mohan*	17 1	Ditto.
14	Sahu, Raghunath*	17 2	Patna Training School.
15	Sinha, Baleswar	18 3	Ranohi Training School.
16	Tewari, Sachidanand	19 0	Patna Training School.
17	„ Ram Krishna	21 10	Ranohi Training School.
18	Upadhyay, Sukdeo	18 4	Ditto.
Low.			
1	Dubey, Raghunath	19 10	Ranohi Training School.
2	Lal, Ramanand	20 6	Patna Training School.
3	Pandey, Ramdhari	23 8	Ditto.
4	Prasad, Janki	17 0	Ditto.
5	Rai, Bhagwan	19 5	Ditto.
6	„ Nirsan	18 11	Ditto.
7	„ Ram Sudisht	19 1	Ditto.
8	Ram, Nakohhedi*	17 11	Ranohi Training School.
9	Tewari, Bhola	20 0	Patna Training School.
10	Upadhyay, Tirbeni	18 11	Ditto.
Candidates already passed in the old Course and taking up one or more new subjects— <i>Art of Teaching, Kindergarten and Object Lessons, Drill and Manual Work.</i>			
1	Pandey, Buldeo	29 0	Teacher, Sasseram H. E. School.
<i>Science, Art of Teaching, Kindergarten and Object Lessons, Drill and Manual Work.</i>			
1	Khoda Buksh	35 10	Head Pandit, Monghyr G. T. School.
2	Sahay, Chaturbhuj	29 0	Second Pandit, Rampur M. E. School.
<i>Science, Art of Teaching, Kindergarten and Object Lessons, Drawing and Practical Geometry, Drill, and Manual Work.</i>			
1	Chowdhry, Makund Narayan	24 0	Head Pandit, Patori G. T. School.

* Entitled to certificates of special proficiency in Drawing and Practical Geometry.
N.B.—All passed in Manual Work.

VERNACULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION, JANUARY, 1909—*contd.*

No.	Name of candidate.	Age.	Name of school.
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SECOND GRADE.

(Arranged alphabetically.)

HIGH.

			Yrs. M.	
1	Dubey, Dhup Narayan	19 9	Ranchi Training School.
2	Lal, Baleswar ...	...	17 3	Ditto.
3	Pandey, Kedar Nath ...	...	17 6	Daltonganj Training School.
4	Rai, Jai Nath ...	...	16 8	Ranchi ditto.
5	Sinha, Bishun Dhari ...	...	16 0	Patna ditto.
6	" Sivapujan ...	...	17 10	Daltonganj ditto.
7	Tewari, Ram Krishna ...	...	16 10	Ranchi ditto.
8	Upadhyaya, Gayetri ...	...	17 0	Patna ditto.

MEDIUM.

1	Chaubey, Ohhabi Nath ...	...	18 9	Patna Training School.
2	" Jadu Nandan ...	...	17 4	Ranchi ditto.
			10 days.	
3	Dubey, Lakshmi ...	...	19 2	Motihari ditto.
4	Gir, Raj Kishore ...	...	21 1	Ranchi ditto.
5	Jha, Bhagwat ...	...	19 3	Patna Training School.
6	" Biswa Nath ...	...	16 11	Ditto.
7	" Kedar Nath ...	...	20 11	Ditto.
8	Lal, Jagdeo ...	...	17 9	Ditto.
9	" Ram Naresh ...	...	14 1	Ranchi Training School.
10	Mahto, Ram Swarath ...	...	18 0	Patna Training School.
11	Mandar, Narsinha ...	...	16 1	Ditto.
12	Misra, Baldeo ...	...	15 10	Ranchi Training School.
13	" Dukhi ...	...	16 7	Ditto.
14	" Suraj Narayan ...	...	18 2	Patna ditto.
15	Muhammad Abul Qasim ...	...	18 0	Patna Training School.
16	" Ishaque ...	...	16 6	Ditto.
17	Pandey, Adalat ...	...	18 11	Motihari Training School.
18	" Chilmil ...	...	18 5	Patna ditto.
19	" Dewa Bansa ...	...	15 11	Daltonganj ditto.
20	" Jokhu ...	...	16 2	Motihari ditto.
21	" Hari Kisore ...	...	18 2	Daltonganj ditto.
22	" Matadeen ...	...	16 10	Ranchi ditto.
23	" Ram Nath ...	...	16 11	Motihari ditto.
24	Prasad, Bhola ...	...	17 5	Patna ditto.
25	Rai, Deo Narayan ...	...	18 9	Ditto.
26	" Harnandan ...	...	16 8	Ranchi Training School
27	" Seo Tahal ...	...	33 1	Head Pandit, U. P. School attached to Daltonganj Training School.
28	Rai Varma, Shiva Ratan ..	...	18 4	Teacher attached L. P. School, Bankipore.
29	Ram, Bhatu ...	...	17 4	Ranchi Training School.
30	" Mohon ...	...	16 7	Ditto.
31	" Ram Sundar ...	...	19 0	Patna Training School.
32	" Sital ...	...	13 10	Ranchi ditto.
33	Sahay, Narang ...	...	14 9	Ditto.
34	Sinha, Ayodhya Prasad ...	...	21 0	Patna Training School.
35	" Kesho Sharan ...	...	17 1	Ranchi Training School.
36	" Satya Narain ...	...	21 0	Patna Training School.
37	" Suraj ...	...	18 3	Ditto.
38	Tewari, Rama Kant ...	...	19 7	Motihari ditto.

* Not passed in Manual work.

VERNACULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION; JANUARY, 1909—*concl'd.*

No.	Name of candidate.	Age.	Name of school.
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SECOND GRADE—*concl'd.*

(Arranged alphabetically.)

Low.

			YRS. M.	
1	Kumar, Basudeo	...	17 5	Patna Training School.
2	Misra, Raja Ram	...	19 1	Motihari ditto.
3	" Damodar	...	16 10	Ranchi ditto.
4	Muhammad Ismail	...	20 4	Patna Training School.
5	" Sagiruddin	...	17 0	Ditto.
6	" Sharif Khan	...	17 10	Ditto.
7	Persad, Bhagwat	...	19 0	Head Guru, Narwara U. P. School.
8	Rai, Sahdeo	...	14 8	Ranchi Training School.
9	Ram, Punai	...	25 0	Head Guru, Makhdumpur U. P. School.
10	" Ram Charan	...	17 5	Ranchi Training School.
11	" Ram Kumar	...	21 1	Ditto.
12	Sinha, Jadu Nath	...	20 3	Patna Training School.
13	" Kamal	...	15 10	Daltonganj ditto.
14	" Nanhu Pershad	...	25 0	Head Guru, Chahuta U. P. School.
15	" Nath Prashad	...	20 4	Pupil teacher, Lahera Sarai G. T. School.
16	" Rambaran	...	28 0	Head Guru, Silout U. P. School.
17	" Ram Prasad	...	17 11	Patna Training School.
18	" Sakhal Dip	...	25 0	2nd Pandit, Sewan G. T. School.
19	Tewari, Gajadhar	...	17 0	Patna Training School.

CALCUTTA,
The 16th March 1909.

JOHN RICHARD CUNNINGHAM,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Commercial Course Final and Special Examinations, 1909, will be held at 303, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta, on the dates and at the hours noted below :—

Final Examination—The 3rd, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 14th, and 16th April 1909, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4-30 P.M.

Special Examinations.

Shorthand	...	15th April 1909	...	11—1-30
Typewriting	...	17th "	...	11—1-30
Book-keeping	...	19th "	...	11—1-30
Banking and Currency	...	19th "	...	2—4-30
Modern English	...	20th "	...	11—1-30
Commercial Correspondence	and	20th "	...	2—4-30
Précis-writing.				
Insurance	...	21st "	...	11—1-30
Mercantile Law	...	21st "	...	2—4-30
Political Economy	...	22nd "	...	11—1-30

The 8th March 1909.

G. W. KUCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No candidate has been successful at the Pleader's Survey Examination held in February 1909.

CALCUTTA,
The 13th March 1909.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

THE BENGAL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

The following courses of instruction are provided at this College:—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering.

Admission qualification—The Intermediate Examination of Science and Arts of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Application for admission by regular students, on or before May 15th.

by special students, on or before July 1st.

Session to commence on 1st Monday in November 1909.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination of the Joint, Technical Examination Board.

Admission qualification—

To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University Middle School Examination or equivalent.

To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June.
 { To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Overseer Examination of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

Offered in two branches—

(a) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.

(b) Mining, leading to the Government of India Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

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The 11th January 1909.

B. HEATON,
Principal, Bengal Engineering College.



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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the “Gazette” cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement for Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 26th March 1909, corresponding to 13th Choitra 1315 B. S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of sale.

- 1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.
- 2nd.—The sale is subject to the existing leases and to rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and to the laws in force, and purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid at once.
- 4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, the one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the succeeding day the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to the Government), and the estate to be put up to sale again at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

List of Petty Government Estates of Hooghly Sadar subdivision to be sold on 26th March 1909.

Tauzi number.	Name of estate and thana or pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue.	REMARKS.
		A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1998	Horibati, thana Hooghly	0 3 14 2 10 10	7 4 0	
2009	Horibati, ditto	0 0 9 0 3 6	0 8 0	
4071	Musuriab, thana Bolagori	0 0 19½ 0 7 5	4 13 0	
4626	Toreegram, thana Pandua	1 1 10 3 19 6	20 12 0	
4647	Telipara, ditto (old thana Pandua) ...	0 1 7 0 17 12	5 6 0	
3032	Pandua, thana Pandua	0 1 2½ 0 16 1	2 0 0	

Chinsurah, the 6th March 1909.

MIRZA SHIRUPTA BAKHT, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in district of Patna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909, at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
227 1mal.	Nirandarpur Kharonia Vogairah, pargana Asimabad.	Rs. A. P. 5,809 13 0	.....	Simli Murarpur 8 Mosalahpur 16 Janarjanpur 16 Sultanpur Ghordaur 16 Lodipur Sakat 8 Hazratpur Akhariya 16 Himatpur Deara 16 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mosamat Makhduman, Vogairah. Maulvi Abdul Latif, Vogairah. Mahanth Gayani Das, Vogairah. Siva Sankar Chowdhri himself and guardian of Ram Narain Chowdhri, Dip Narain Chowdhri, minors, Vogairah. Nabob Lal. Jang Bahadur Singh, Vogairah. Kup Lal Mahto, Vogairah.	Rs. A. P. 1,972 13 10	.....	1,370 5
227 1	Ditto ...	5,809 13 0	.....	Manpur Bairiya 8 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mohip Narain Singh ...	766 15 0	.....	434 10
227 2	Ditto ...	5,809 13 0	.....	Nirandarpur Kharonia ... 9 4 Kalyanpur 8 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Babu Hira Singh Ditto.	770 5 0	...	448 9
228 5	Ditto ...	5,809 13 0	.....	Nirandarpur Kharonia ... 6 8 Manpur Bairiya 8 0 Simli Murarpur 2 8 Sadikpur Jogi 8 0 Kalyanpur 8 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Audhesh Kumar Singh ... Ditto. Ditto. Ditto. Ditto.	1,631 4 8	.....	937 14
228 1mal.	Ditto ...	1,818 11 0	.....	Himatpur Deara 10 0 0 Simli Murarpur 16 0 0 Mosalahpur 16 0 0 Sadikpur Jogi 15 4 10 Janarjanpur 16 0 0 Hazratpur Akhariya ... 16 0 0 Sultanpur Ghordaur ... 16 0 0 Kalyanpur 16 0 0 Sakatpur Lodi 16 0 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mosamat Kaniz Fatema, Vogairah. Shakh Nurul Haq, Vogairah. Haji Ahmad Basir, Mohammad Basir, Vogairah. Balzobind Singh, Vogairah. Balzobind Mahto, Vogairah. Dayal Singh, Haribar Singh, Vogairah. Kuldip Singh, Vogairah. Ramdhan Lal. Babu Ramod Nath Sen Gupta, Vogairah.	883 4 2	.....	126 9
229 1mal.	Ditto ...	1,185 0 0	.....	Nirandarpur Kharonia ... 8 0 Mosalahpur 16 0 Sadikpur Jogi 16 0 Janarjanpur 16 0 Hazratpur Akhariya ... 16 0 Nirandarpur 16 0 Sakatpur Lodi 6 8 Himatpur Deara 16 0 Kalyanpur 8 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mosamat Bechan Kuer, Vogairah. Ramkrishna Lal Babu, Vogairah. Jwar Sahai, Vogairah. Mahanth Gayani Das, Vogairah. Dayal Singh, Vogairah. Mohamad Sarfraz Hosain, under guardianship of Mosamat Saliman Nani. Audhibihari Prasad Singh. Gosain Rama Lalji Mahraj, Vogairah. Mohar Lal, Vogairah.	935 0 0	...	29 12
4563 106	Sobra Nuf pargana Masaudha.	1,220 9 10	Entire ...	.....	Babu Siva Nandan Prasad Singh.	.....	30 5 11	.....
11059 136	Pawnda Munderje, tauzi Panwara, pargana Pillich.	872 13 1	Do. ...	.....	Mosamat Jasmurat Kuer, wife of Ram Hari Lal, Vogairah.	.....	217 15 1	.....

The 2nd March 1909.

SIVA SANKAR SINGH, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 25th March 1909 at midday for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
938	Rasahia Sheikh, pargana Bahra Ohamparan.	Rs. A. P. 1,082 10 8	Entire ...	.....	Mrs. Mary Christian.	....	Rs. A. P. 62 15 10	
3632	Jahangirpur Sham, pargana Hajipur.	605 10 11	Do, ..	...	Musammnat Sohago Kuar and others.	.....	4 2 5	

Muzaffarpur, the 13th February 1909.

H C WOODMAN, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Saran will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909 at noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
394	Benaut, pargana Bal.	Rs. A. P. 883 15 8	Nil	..... Jinnat— Rampuro 10 8 Benaut 8 0 Masihen Tola 8 0 Bistimeldar Bhadour ... 8 0 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Musammnat Jainti Kuer.	Rs. A. P. 510 8 8	Rs. A. P. Nil	Rs. A. P. 67 8 9

Saran Collectorate, the 25th February 1909.

J. M. CHRISTIAN, Deputy Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue 13th February 1909.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3621	Durga, pargana Horo.	Rs. A. P. 580 3 5	Entire ..	Nil	Hasanta Lal Chutry	Rs. A. P. Nil ...	Rs. A. P. 107 15 11	Rs. A. P. Nil
3641	Kharsarai, pargana Horo.	1,311 10 6	Nil ...	8 Annas share of the estate	Bhagabati Chatterjee and another.	655 13 0	Nil	53 13 6

The 13th February 1909.

B. DE, Collector, Hooghly.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, of Act XI of 1859 that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 24th March 1909 at 12 o'clock noon or arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of revenue. When in columns 6, 8 and 10 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Consecutive No.	Tausi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1		Pargana Magura, kismet Kagonberia and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,828 5 0	Whole estate.	.....	Romaneth Burn-on and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 881 15 6	Rs. A. P.
2	8-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Julpia.	2,480 1 0	.....	Excluding 10 annas share, remaining 6 annas share.	Srimati Ohandra Bala Debi, mother and guardian on behalf Haridhan Ray Chowdhuri.	1,906 10 8½	.....	24 11 3
3	10	Pargana Magura, kismet Uhetia and others.	809 7 0	Whole estate.	.....	Ditto .. ..	.....	112 3 2½	
4	15 R. 4.	Pargana Magura, kismet Khariberia and others.	4,078 3 0	.....	Excluding 3 annas share remaining 18 annas share.	Preonath Roy Chowdhuri and others.	3,312 3 3	.....	81 1 0
5	15-1	Ditto ...	4,078 3 0	.....	Excluding 13 annas share, remaining 3 annas share.	Kali Sahay Roy Chowdhuri	765 14 0		19 10 8

Alipore, the 15th February 1909. A MOOKERJI, for Collector, 24-Parganas.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate on the 5th April 1909, corresponding with 23rd Chaitra 1315 B.S. (Bengali, Fusli, or Umlī, according to the era current in the district.)

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

The condition regarding the payment of a land revenue fixed in perpetuity are not applicable to estate in temporarily-settled districts in which the land revenue should be fixed for the term of the current settlement and be subject to periodical revision on expiry of each settlement. In the case of one estate, situated in a permanently-settled area and yielding an annual rental of less than Rs. 1 there should be no condition regarding payment of land revenue.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
445	Raghunathpur, pargana Halisalar	53 26	Rs. A. 65 9	

Collector's Office, District Nadia, the 24th February 1909. R. S. BHATTACHARYA, Dy. Collector in charge.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bengal and North-Western Railway, in the district of Purnea, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 20th April 1909, corresponding with the 15th Baisakh 1316 Fusli, at Purnea Sadar.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Purnea	Muradpur, Kumbhila, pargana Dharampur.	86-87	West side	5 0 6	1 2 25	....	....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ayodhya Singh. North—Railway land. South—Ayodhya Singh.
2	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
3	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
4	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
5	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
6	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
7	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
8	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
9	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
10	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
11	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kaj parti. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
12	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kaj parti. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
13	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kaj parti. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
14	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	1 13 6	0 2 8	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Mukhlal Sethi. North—Ditto. South—Railway land.
15	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	East side	5 7 15	1 3 5	.....	.....	...	East—Parti. West—Do. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of miles on which land is situated.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
16	Purnea	Muradpoor, Kuraila, pargana, Dharampoor.	86-87	East side	4 4 13	1 1 24	.....	.....	...	East—Bankoo Ganganta. West—Mongan Ganganta. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
17	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 7	1 1 33	.....	.....	...	East—Raj parti. West—Kanchan. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
18	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	3 13 1	1 0 33	.....	.....	...	East—Raj parti. West—Foukai Mandal and large ditch. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
19	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Large ditch. North—Rajmunder. South—Raj parti.
20	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rajmunder. South—Raj parti.
21	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
22	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
23	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
24	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
25	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Mekhoo Mandal. South—Raj parti.
26	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Mekhoo Mandal. South—Raj parti.
27	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
28	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
29	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
30	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
31	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
32	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
33	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Ratoo Mandal and Mahadeo. West—Railway land. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
34	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 4 2	1 3 35	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Raj parti. North—Ditto. South—Mahadeo.
35	Ditto	Mujdees, pargana, Dharampoor.	86-87	Ditto	4 16 2	1 2 14	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.
36	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 3 5	1 3 33	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.
37	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 19 9	1 3 23	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situated.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					H. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
38	Purnea	Mujdeea, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	East side	2 17 15	0 3 33	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.
39	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	3 15 12	1 1 0	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Batesur Mandal. North—Railway land. South—Batesur Mandal.
40	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 5 3	1 1 25	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
41	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 6 5	1 1 28	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
42	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 6 5	1 1 28	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
43	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
44	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
45	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 13 15	1 2 0	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
46	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
47	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 14 5	1 2 9	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
48	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 15 7	1 2 12	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
49	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 17 10	1 2 18	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
50	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 18 13	1 2 21	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
51	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 0	1 2 24	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
52	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 3 5	1 2 33	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
53	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 5 10	1 2 37	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
54	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 13	1 3 2	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
55	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 10 0	1 3 11	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
56	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ziraf of Dehpoor Factory. South—Batesur Mandal.
57	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ziraf of Dehpoor Factory. South—Batesur Mandal.
58	Ditto	Muradpoor, Kur-sila, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	Ditto	14 9 1	4 3 4	...	...	...	East—Railway land. West—Batesur Mandal. North—Ziraf of Dehpoor Factory. South—Railway land.
59	Ditto	Mujdeea, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5	...	...	...	East—Chandhola land Batesur Mandal. West—Railway land. North—Ziraf of Dehpoor Factory. South—Batesur Mandal.
Total					298 14 6	98 3 0				

Advertisement for Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 26th March 1909, corresponding to 13th Choitra 1315 B.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

- 1st.*—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.
- 2nd.*—The sale is to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and to the laws in force; and purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.
- 3rd.*—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.
- 4th.*—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, the one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by the noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the succeeding day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be put up to sale again at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

List of Petty Government Estates of the Arambagh Subdivision to be sold on the 26th March 1909.

Tauzi No.	Name of estate, thana or pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue.		REMARKS.
			A.	R. P.	
4057	Kumarhat Nirbhoypur (Khanakul police-station) ...	0 1 30 7 6 10	2	5	0
4332	Satberiah Goghat police-station ...	0 0 32 0 12 3			
4589	Gouranga alias Mandaran (Khanakul police-station)	3 3 3 11 8 3	28	5	0
4636	Niranjanbati Khanakul police-station and Basanta bati Arambagh police-station.	2 3 15 8 12 1			
4650	Kamechey Kurmona Goghat police-station ...	4 0 38 1 6 8	25	5	0
4657	Kurmona Goghat police-station ...	6 0 24 18 11 15			
4662	Dwaripur ditto ...	4 3 23 14 16 1	48	10	0
4675	Beurgram Arambagh ditto ...	4 1 4 12 18 11			
4693	Salepur alias Kurmona ditto ...	4 1 16 13 2 14	19	11	6
4697	Betra ditto ...	6 0 38 15 16 12			
4700	Amarpur Goghat ditto ...	2 1 16 7 1 12	12	6	0
4728	Kurmona alias Salepur Goghat police-station ...	3 2 27 11 1 13			
4732	Pantahori ditto ...	0 2 3 1 11 4	5	0	0
4737	Arjungori Goghat ditto ...	4 1 31 13 8 13			
4742	Bharasole Goghat ditto ...	4 0 33 12 14 5	28	10	0
4744	Kurmona alias Salepur Goghat ditto ...	1 3 20 5 13 4			
4745	Kamechey Goghat ditto ...	4 3 15 4 12 15	29	5	0
4751	Niranjanbati, Basantabati Khanakul police-station	4 2 29 14 3 3			
4818	Mominpur Arambagh ditto ...	4 1 25 13 11 7	12	12	0
4150	Gholepur Khanakul police-station ...	1 2 32 5 2 15			
4384	Jaroer Khanakul ditto ...	0 2 21 1 18 2	3	13	10
4840	Pantahori ditto ...	3 0 5 9 3 6			

MIRZA SHEGUFAT BAKHT, for Collector.

Chinsurah, the 9th March 1909.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, and the undermentioned estates situated in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate on the 26th March 1909, corresponding with 13th Chaitra B.S. 1315 :—

Conditions of Sale.

- 1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.
- 2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.
- 4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.			Government revenue assessed.			REMARKS.
		A.	R.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
4814	Dadhia, pargana Manohar ...	1	0	5	1	9	0	
6404	Nigon, pargana Dhenia ...	3	2	6	20	9	3	
6418	Ditto ditto ...	4	1	2½	28	5	0	
6396	Ditto ditto ...	7	1	10½	46	12	6	
6397	Ditto ditto ...	6	0	34½	36	15	0	
6398	Ditto ditto ...	7	1	39	47	15	9	
6034	Kotal Ghosh, pargana Amatsahi ...	0	3	82½	5	12	0	
6419	Senpara, pargana Indrani ...	11	2	3	48	8	0	
6552	Nigon, pargana Dhenia ...	7	1	24	33	10	0	
6602	Ditto ditto ...	5	½	0	35	1	0	
6558	Khudrun, pargana Dhenia ...	2	1	20½	17	6	8	
4414	Gidhagrain, pargana Arsa ..	0	0	38	1	0	0	
6600	Karui, pargana Dhenia ...	3	3	28½	33	10	6	
121	Gangatikari, pargana Manaharsahi ...	0	0	38½	1	13	3	

Collector's Office, district Burdwan, the 12th February 1909.

17th

A. SAMAD, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Midnapore, will be put up to sale at the Midnapore Collectorate on Friday, the 26th March 1909, corresponding with Bengali 13th Chaitra 1315.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

- 1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to him subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.
- 2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.
- 4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.			Government revenue assessed.			REMARKS.
		A.	R.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
186	Nabaniber Srirampur, pargana Barada	1	2	12	9	2	0	
2908	Jagannathpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	14	3	17½	14	0	0	
2982	Iwarpurbar, pargana Barada ...	9	0	33	43	10	0	
2986	Srirampur, pargana Barada ..	7	2	25½	38	14	3	
2990	Harirampur, pargana Chetna ...	6	2	23½	45	2	6	
2996	Syampur, pargana Chandrakona ...	13	3	24½	108	11	0	
2997	Masakpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	4	2	25½	30	6	0	
3004	Bhangadaha, pargana Barada ..	6	0	30	31	9	0	
3012	Kuran, pargana Barada ...	6	1	16½	36	16	8	
3013	Bhagirathpur, pargana Chandrakona ...	20	2	21	134	1	3	
3014	Dewanchak, pargana Chandrakona ...	1	1	30½	8	7	4	

Collector's Office, district Midnapore, the 16th February 1909.

A. T. DEB, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Toposi Extension, Nandi-Panuria section of the East Indian Railway, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, the 19th April 1909, corresponding to the 6th Baisakh B.S. 1316, Sitarampur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than 3 feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Burdwan	Mauza Chaulia, pargana Shergarh.	7 & 8	Situated on the south side of the Railway.	7 18 11	2 2 19'87	...	...	The Lot contains two rectangular plots measuring (125 x 250) and (400 x 20) and lying between chains 36'60 and 37'30.	Bounded on all sides the khud danga land.

Hooghly, the 19th February 1909.

RUSIK LAL SEN, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estate in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909 at 12 noon for arrears of January 1909 Kist of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Badar nama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the badar nama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
54	Habibpur, pargana Banihati	Rs. A. P. 1,085 4 9	.....	Residuary share—Rs. 1000. 1k 1kag. is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Oh'ru Chandra Nandi and others.	Rs. A. P. 685 10 9	.....	Rs. A. P. 7 1 3

Burdwan Collectorate, the 22nd February 1909.

W. B. HENCOCK, Collector of Burdwan.

Sale Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on Thursday, the 25th March 1909, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Serial No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
815	Bampur diara, pargana Barabganwan.	1,015 0 0	Whole ..	..	Jaikumar Chand ..	.....	3,521 3 7	....
1718	Itarihapatti Harakhnath Patak, pargana Chausa.	676 0 0	Do.	Nil	Udit Patak and others ..	Nil	380 4 8	.....
1786	Kataria Jalalpur, pargana Chausa.	1,262 0 0	Do.	Nil	Ram Karan Ahir and others.	Nil	1,239 9 6	.....
1786	Kathar Nawabad, pargana Chausa.	1,824 0 0	Do.	Nil	Sahadeo Rai and others ..	Nil	2,200 13 1	....
1798	Kusurja, pargana Chausa	1,325 0 0	Do.	Nil	Ram Soorosh Pandey ..	Nil	150 15 6	.....
1884	Mohanpore, pargana Chausa.	622 0 0	Do.	Nil	Ramyad Rai and others...	Nil	826 11 7	.....
2021	Sarinja, pargana Chausa ..	1,386 0 0	Do.	Nil	Ramtahal Rai and others	Nil	619 2 3	.....
2023	Ditto ditto ..	774 0 0	Do.	Nil	Ramawtar Rai and others	Nil	400 8 7	.....
2025	Sikthi, pargana Chausa ..	654 6 4	Do.	Nil	Sheodhar Singh and others	Nil	39 9 9	.....
1076	Amason, pargana Chainpore.	11,261 13 8	Do.	Nil	Nanack Chand and others	* Land revenue— 120 8 6 Road cess— 12 0 6 T. M.— 36 0 0 Pine— 10 0 0 Interest— 3 0 0	Nil	.....
480	Kanchri, pargana Chausa	356 0 0	Do.	Nil	Basmati Kunr ..	Nil	870 7 8	.....
582	Tanarpore, pargana Chausa.	661 0 0	Do.	Nil	Mahadeo Tiwari ..	Nil	165 3 0	.....

* These are the arrears due from Khatas 70 and 45 at September kist 1908 and the sale is held under section 14, Act XI of 1859.

Shahabad Collectorate, Arrah, the 24th February 1909.

W. A. MARR, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 26th March 1909, at 12 o'clock, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Serial No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
242	Hynli, pargana Mam-jouani.	955 13 10	No ..	212-1 8 annas. Besides the above the remaining share, 8 annas, is excluded from the sale.	Nogendra Nath Pal Chowdhuri and others.	477 14 11	.....	29 6 4
488	Shanka Chandra, pargana Shabajal.	10,885 3 3	No ..	485-1 4 annas. Besides the above the remaining share, 12 annas, is excluded from the sale.	Pran Nath Chowdhuri and others.	1,824 1 3	.....	6 7
801	Cher Bannazar, Rudranagar, pargana Bogawan.	1,006 0 0	Whole ..	.....	Deendra Nath Singha Rai and others.	.....	193 4 0	.....
2210	Chilman, pargana Rajpur.	1,720 8 10	Do. ....	.....	Primbada Gupta and others	.....	260 10 6	.....
3194	Banudebpur, pargana Tarangunia.	196 8 7	No ..	3194-1 8 annas. Besides the above the remaining share, 8 annas, is excluded from the sale.	Lalit Mohan Mukherji ..	208 4 1	.....	60 7

Krishnagar, the 11th February 1909.

B. S. BHATTACHARYA, Deputy Collector in charge, Nadia.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch of Gopalshuck Siding off Bhalgara Joint Assisted Siding, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 8 o'clock on Wednesday, the 11th May 1909, corresponding with the 25th Baisakh 1916 Fual, at Dhanbad District Board Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Lot Consecutive number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. B. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. B. P.		
1	Manbhum	Mauza Jharla, pargana Jharla.	Mile 17½	South side of the Railway line.	5 11 178	1 3 1385	Nil	.....	From the dead end of the sid- ing to chain a g o 30—12 9".	

KANTI BHUSHAN SEN, Collector.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 13th March 1909.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 16th March 1909.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
		Ra.	A. P.			Ra.	A. P.
Capital paid up	---	2,00,00,000	0 0	Government securities	---	2,79,54,327	0 0
Reserve Fund	---	1,65,00,000	0 0	Other authorized investments	---	38,28,715	0 0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Ra. 80,02,903 15 2	1,58,68,698	10 9	Loans on Government and other authorized securities	---	4,87,70,335	11 5
Ditto ditto at Branches	76,80,994 11 7			Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	---	5,15,84,414	4 8
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	---	16,45,88,718	7 8	Bills discounted and purchased	---	2,70,15,764	2 5
Bank Post Bills, &c.	---	8,21,183	2 1	Balances with other Banks	---	35,84,046	12 10
Sundries	---	17,74,079	7 10	Bullion	---	3,950	12 0
				Dead Stock	---	18,98,437	1 1
				Stamps	---	10,776	5 10
				Sundries	---	1,84,884	12 3
						16,45,96,702	8 6
				Cash & Currency Notes			
				at Head Office	Ra. 2,59,11,086 9 1		
				Cash & Currency Notes			
				at Branches	Rs. 2,88,40,090 10 4	5,47,51,127	3 5
Rupees	21,93,47,829 11 11			Rupees	21,93,47,829 11 11		

* Includes Govt. & Govt. value Rs. 1,30,080 0 0
 † Do. do. do. " 1,11,180 0 0
 " 2,41,260 0 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 16th March 1909.

Rate for Demand Loans, 7 per cent.

Percentage 20-94.
C. M. BASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,

W. D. CRICKENBANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to a decree and orders of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made in suit No. 652 of 1894 (wherein the Administrator-General of Bengal is the plaintiff and Annada Prosad Dass and others are the defendants) and dated, respectively, the 9th day of December 1896, the 7th day of January 1899 and the 17th day of August 1908 by the Registrar of the said Court in his sale-room on Saturday, the 27th day of March 1909, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon the following property :—

All that brick-built partly one, partly two and partly three storied dwelling house with land therein belonging containing by measurement 7 cottahs and 4 chittacks more or less situate, lying at and being premises No. 8, Ram Kamal Mukerjee's Street at Khidderpur in the suburbs of Calcutta in pargana Magura in the district of 21-Parganas and Presidency Registration and sub-district of Alipur, thana Watgunge, and bounded on the north by a blind lane, on the south by Ram Kamal Mukerjee's Street, on the east by a blind lane and on the west by the premises No. 9, Ram Kamal Mukerjee's Street.

The abstract of title and the conditions of sale may be seen at the office of Messrs. B. N. Basu & Co. at No. 10, Hastings Street in Calcutta, Attorneys at law, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

B. N. Basu & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Calcutta High Court, Original Side, the 17th day of February 1909. (318—1—117)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to a decree and an order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal made in suit No. 231 of 1906 wherein Priya Nath Dhur is plaintiff and Lalit Mohun Dey is defendant, dated, respectively, the 9th day of May 1906 and the 7th day of August 1908 by the Registrar of the said Court in his sale-room in the Court House on Saturday, the 17th day of April 1909, at 10 o'clock, the undermentioned properties belonging to the defendant abovenamed.

Lot No. 1.—No. 10, formerly No. 51, Brindaban Bysak's Street, formerly known as Brindaban Bysak's Lane, being a two-storied brick-built dwelling-house with land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by estimation 3 cottahs and 4 chittaks more or less in Sutanutty in the Northern Division of the town of Calcutta and bounded on the north by Brindaban Bysak's Street aforesaid, on the west by the premises No. 9, Brindaban Bysak's Street being the dwelling-house of the late Ram Chunder Bonnerjee, on the south by the land belonging to the late Nilmoney Gurb, being the premises No. 61-2, Nimtolla Ghat Street, and on the east partly by the tenanted house of the late Kamal Lochan Bysak and partly by the Temple of Sree Sree Siva Thacoar.

The abstract of title and the conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar in the Court House or at the office of the plaintiff's attorney, Babu Purnoo Chunder Law, at No. 4, Hastings Street, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK,
Registrar.

P. C. Law, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, 22nd February 1909. (304—1—118)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of POKHARMOLL and FOOLCHAND, insolvents.

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of February 1909 the Presidency Commissioner of the said Court has specially ordered that this matter be set down for hearing on Tuesday, the 9th day of March, then next now instant, with liberty to the said insolvent Foolchand at the said hearing to apply that the deed of composition be recorded and given effect to and the vesting order made thereon be discharged.

NOTE.—The above matter came on for the said hearing on the 9th March 1909 and was adjourned to Tuesday, the 6th day of April 1909.

P. N. Sen, Attorney.

(353—1)

In the matter of ISMAIL KHAN MAHOMED, an insolvent.

On the 14th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. C. Dutt and Roy, Attorneys. (355—2)

In the matter of MOHUN BANSI PAL and others, insolvents.

On the 19th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Baksht, Attorney. (356—2)

In the matter of RAGHU NATH DASS AGARWALLAH, an insolvent.

On the 8th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. C. Mitter, Attorney. (357—2)

In the matter of KANAYA LALL, an insolvent.

On the 2nd day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. C. Gupta, Attorney. (358—2)

In the matter of JOSEPH ROGERS, an insolvent.

On the 2nd day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. B. Sircar, Attorney. (359—2)

In the matter of GIRIJA BHUSHAN MITTER, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. L. Mulik, Attorney. (360—2)

In the matter of JUGUNNATH, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (361—2)

In the matter of MAHOMED REJAN and another insolvents.

On the 24th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. N. De, Attorney. (362—2)

In the matter of ARINASH CHUNDER ROY, an insolvent.

On the 17th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. K. Bysack, Attorney. (363—2)

In the matter of A. T. SIMPER, an insolvent.

On the 18th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. N. Mitter, Attorney. (364—2)

In the matter of J. C. BAIN, an insolvent.

On the 18th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(365—2)

In the matter of E. ST. CLAIR BENBOW, an insolvent.

On the 17th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(366—2)

In the matter of G. E. KERR, an insolvent.

On the 16th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(367—2)

In the matter of SHAIK DILLOO KHANSAMAH, an insolvent.

On the 16th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Paul, Attorney.

(368—2)

In the matter of ALI HOSSEIN KHAN, an insolvent.

On the 7th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. N. Chatterjee, Attorney.

(369—2)

In the matter of A. E. WILSON, an insolvent.

On the 18th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. K. Bysack, Attorney.

(370—2)

In the matter of CHOORAMONI SING, an insolvent.

On the 11th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney.

(371—2)

In the matter of A. W. GODFREY, an insolvent.

On the 18th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. C. Ghosh, Attorney.

(372—2)

In the matter of SHAIK ABDUL SUTTER, an insolvent.

On the 12th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Paul, Attorney.

(373—2)

In the matter of G. E. ROBERTSON, an insolvent.

On the 4th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(374—2)

In the matter of BENARASI DASS, an insolvent.

On the 9th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(375—2)

In the matter of E. A. SHELVERTON and another, insolvents.

On the 6th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(376—2)

In the matter of CHOORAMULL and others, insolvents.

On the 6th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. C. Gupta, Attorney.

(377—2)

In the matter of P. GINNON, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(378—2)

In the matter of R. PAPWORTH, an insolvent.

On the 29th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. L. Mukerjee, Attorney.

(379—2)

In the matter of D. BALFOUR, an insolvent.

On the 22nd day of December last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Orr, Dignam & Co., Attorneys.

(380—2)

In the matter of MOHAMED CHUNDER SADKHAN, ARINASH CHUNDER SADKHAN and BEOLA NATH SADKHAN, insolvents.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvents, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 29th day of March instant, at the hour of half-past 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Any creditor of the said insolvents desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

N. B. Sarkar, Attorney.

(381—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 3 OF 1909.

Tin Cowri Rajak, son of late Kailash Chandra Rajak, by caste Rajak of Sonarpore, district 24-Parganas, applicant, *versus* Rajendra Nath Banerji of Kaurabad, thana Sonarpore, district 24-Parganas, and others, creditors, opposite party.

ON the 15th February 1909, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 22nd March 1909, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROX, District Judge.

Alipore, the 15th March 1909.

(385—1—119)

**In the Court of the District Judge of
Muzaffarpur.**

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 of 1909.

In the matter of Lachuman Sahu, son of Lochan Sahu, resident of mauza Sisna, tpa Baloya Godouli, district Champaran, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on 5th April 1909.

D. H. KINGSFORD, District Judge.

Muzaffarpur, Judge's Court, the 14th March 1909.
(344-1-127)

**In the Court of the District Judge of the
24-Parganas.**

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 of 1909.

Shaikh Abdul Gain, son of late Torapally, by caste Mahomedan, at present resident in the Presidency Jail, applicant, *versus* Peary Babu of Taltolla, Calcutta, and others, creditors, opposite party.

ON the 1st March 1909, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the applicant will be heard on the 29th March 1909, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.

Alipore, the 15th March 1909. (336-1-120)

**In the Court of the District Judge of the
24-Parganas.**

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 15 of 1909.

Shaikh Mahammad, son of late Shaikh Karim Bux, by caste Mussalman, by occupation Compositor, applicant, *versus* Adhar Chandra Sardar of Entally, thana Entally, and others, creditors, opposite party.

ON the 8th March 1909, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the applicant will be heard on the 5th April 1909, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE, District Judge.

Alipore, the 15th March 1909. (337-1-121)

**In the Court of the District Judge of
24-Parganas.**

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 80 of 1908.

Ganesh Chandra Das, applicant.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ganesh Chandra Dass of Nischindapur, thana Budge-Budge, district 24-Parganas, is, on the 22nd February 1909, declared insolvent and discharged.

F. R. ROE, District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 16th March 1909. (841-1-122)

**In the Court of the District Judge of
Hooghly.**

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907 to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Satyacharan Datta, son of Dinanath Datta of Baidyabati, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 11 of 1909, and that the 20th April 1909 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 19th March 1909. (346-1-126)

**In the Court of the District Judge of
the 24-Parganas.**

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 81 of 1908.

Ram Kumar Sardar, son of late Nakai Sardar of Dabu, thana Matla, applicant, *versus* Aghoremoni Debi of Sikarbeli, thana Baruipore and others, creditors, opposite parties.

IT was ordered on the 25th January 1909, that the matters of the petition of the said applicant be heard on the 29th March 1909, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. ROE, District Judge, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 1st March 1909. (285-1-123)

BABU SIVA NANDAN ROY, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court.
(345-4-124)

KHURSHAD HANNAN intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court.
(354-4-125)

SURENDRO-NATH GUPTA BHAYA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.
(281-4-88)

FOUND in Manki Khal, Sundarbans State Forests one door of corrugated iron fastened on angle iron considerably bent belonging to a flat. The owners should apply to the undersigned who will deliver it at any time and date agreed upon on the Aura Shipsha river on the despatch route.

Deputy Conservator of Forests,

Sundarbans Division, Khulna.

Khulna, the 1st March 1909.

Notice.

A CERTIFICATE under section 36 of Act II of 1874 to the estate of Elizabeth Rose Bathie, late of Calcutta, who died intestate at the Presidency General Hospital Calcutta, on 26th January 1909, has been granted to Wilmot Bathie of No. 10, Gardner's Lane, Calcutta, as husband of the deceased to enable him to administer the estate. All persons being indebted to, or having claims against, the estate should communicate with the said Wilmot Bathie.

HENRY T. HYDE, Administrator-General of Bengal.

3, Council House Street, Calcutta, 16th March 1909.
(339-1)

WANTED a graduate, strong in Science and Mathematics, for the Bhagalpur Zilla School. Candidates are requested to apply with copies of testimonials stating the lowest salary that they will accept. Preference will be given to Biharis.

M. PROTHERO,

Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

Bhagalpur, the 9th March 1909.

WANTED an Estimator for the office of the Superintendent, Famine Surveys, North Bihar, on a salary of Rs. 60 per mensem.

Preference will be given to a passed candidate of any Engineering College having experience in any Superintending Engineer or Executive Engineer's offices in the Public Works Department.

The selected candidate will have to join at once.

G. W. DISNEY,

Superintendent, Famine Surveys, North Bihar.

Muzaffarpur, the 20th March 1909.

Wanted

A GRADUATE strong in Persian and possessing a knowledge of Hindi and Urdu. Salary Rs. 50 a month with a place in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service. Apply with copies of testimonials.

S. JHARKHANDI,

Hindi and Urdu Translator to the Government of Bengal.

Calcutta, Writers' Buildings, the 15th March 1909.

Wanted

A SHORTHAND TYPIST for the office of the Commissioner of the Tirhut Division, Muzaffarpur, on a salary of Rs. 30, plus Rs. 60 as allowance (Rs. 90 in all).

Apply to the undersigned at once, stating age and educational and other qualifications.

S. AHMAD ALI KHAN.

Personal Asst. to Commissioner.

Tirhut Commissioner's Office, Muzaffarpur, the 18th March 1909.

Notice.

WANTED a Bihari graduate for the post of an Assistant Master in the Palamau Zilla School on a salary of Rs. 60 a month in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service. Applications must reach the undersigned on or before the 1st April 1909.

E. A. LEFAYRE,

Offg. Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division, Purulia, the 9th March 1909.

Notice.

WANTED an apprentice for the Ulubaria Sub-divisional Office. None need apply who has not passed the Entrance Examination. Applications with certificates required under rule 2, appendix B, page 83, of the Board's Rules, will be received by the undersigned up to the 31st March 1909.

R. D. CHATTERJEE,

Subdivisional Officer, Ulubaria.

Ulubaria Subdivisional Office, the 10th March 1909.

Notice.

WANTED nine Amins for the Batwara Department of the Darbhanga Collectorate to be paid by remuneration at contract rates. None need apply who does not hold a certificate from a Survey School or the head of a professional Survey party.

Preference will be given to those who have an experience in the Batwara works.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 31st March 1909.

A. M. RAY,

Batwara Sub-Deputy Collector.

Laheriasera, the $\frac{18\text{th}}{19\text{th}}$ March 1909. (347-1)

Notice.

WANTED a Lady Doctor for the Local Board of Kishanganj on a salary of Rs. 60 per mensem with free quarters.

None need apply who is not duly qualified. Applications with copies of Diploma and other testimonials to be submitted to the Chairman of the District Board, Mymensingh, before the 31st instant.

MUHAMMAD ISMAIL,

Vice-Chairman, District Board.

Mymensingh District Board Office, the 10th March 1909. (328-2)

Wanted

A HEAD CLERK for the District Board office at Gaya, on Rs. 60 per month, for 15 months for the present, with effect from the 1st May 1909.

No one need apply who has not passed the F. A. Examination of the Calcutta University and who has not experience in District Board and official correspondence.

Applications stating age, qualifications, past service, &c., with attested copies of testimonials will be received up to 31st March 1909.

R. S. GREENSHIELDS,

Chairman, District Board, Gaya.

Gaya, the 9th March 1909. (316-2)

WANTED two Sub-overseers for District Board on a salary of Rs. 30 per mensem, with a consolidated travelling allowance of Rs. 15.

None need apply who is not qualified under notification No. 8334, dated 20th December 1901, and has some past experience. The applications will be received by the undersigned till the 25th March 1909.

E. G. BARTON, District Engineer, Darbhanga.

Laheriasaria, the 15th March 1909. (334-1)

Advertisement.

A PPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Librarian, Krishnagar College, on a salary of Rs. 60 a month. The candidate must be a graduate, and have some experience of the work of Librarian. Applications will be received up to the 30th instant.

J. R. CANNINGHAM,

Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

The 13th March 1909.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given for general information that the Teur Canal with its Distributary Lakhora, in the district of Champaran, will be closed from the 25th March 1909 to 15th June 1909 for repairs.

W. J. KERR,

for Executive Engineer, Champaran

Division.

Motihari, the 11th March 1909.

Notice.

THE Christian Burial Board hereby notify that several Tombs, Monuments and Masonry graves are at present in a ruinous condition in the undernoted cemeteries. They should be repaired within two months from date, failing which, the Board propose to level them, if necessary.

Any person willing to undertake the repair of the graves should communicate with the undersigned:—

- (1) North Cemetery, Park Street.
- (2) South " "
- (3) Mission " "
- (4) French or Tirettas " "
- (5) Lower Circular Road Cemetery.

It is also notified that a number of old iron railings belonging to the tombs in the Park Street Cemeteries have fallen away. These should also be restored, otherwise the Board will deal with them as may appear most expedient.

By order,

G. O'CONNELL,

Secretary, Christian Burial Board.

Office of the Christian Burial Board, 186, Lower Circular Road, the 14th March 1909. (307-2-114)

Irrigation Department, Bengal.**NOTICE**

IS hereby given that the undermentioned estates will be leased out by public auction at the Public Works Irrigation Department Bungalow at Seijberia, near Ulubaria, on Saturday, the 27th March 1909, at 12 noon. For further particulars and conditions of the lease enquire at the Executive Engineer's office, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, 13, Kyd Street, Calcutta.

Tauzi No. 4770 for the next three official years commencing from 1st April 1909.

Dancoone Drainage Boat License.

1. Bonderbill to Pakirbagau.
2. Jhankari to Bonderbill.

Tauzi No. 4766 for the next three official years.

Dancoone Drainage Spoil Bank.

1. From Gobindapore to Boidabati.
2. Jhankari to Digra.

Tausi No. 4826 for the next three official years commencing from 1st April 1909.

Howrah drainage Fishery.

Tausi No. 4828 for the next three official years.

Rajapore Burrojolla Boat License.

Tausi No. 4841 for the next three official years commencing from 1st April 1909.

Hogla Jama of Dauko Hatia khal in Burrojolla drainage works.

C. ADDAMS WILLIAMS,

Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage & Embankment Division.

The 18th March 1909.

Lost or Stolen.

THE lower halves of the Government Promissory Notes Nos 016922 and 089342 of the 8½ per cent. loans of 1900-01 and 1854-55, respectively, for Rs. 500 each originally standing in the name of Hari Dass Sreemaney and the Bank of Bengal, respectively, and last endorsed to Agabeg Brothers, the proprietors, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been lost or stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietors. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities.

Advertiser—AGABEG BROTHERS.

Residence—Jogta, Sijua P. O.

Manbhum, the 10th February 1909. (168—8)

Lost or Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 082062 of the 8½ per cent. of 1900-01 for Rs. 25,000, originally standing in the name of Bank of Bengal and last endorsed to Tejpal Jumna Dass, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person but was endorsed in blank having been lost, or stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

Name of the Advertiser - Tejpal Jumna Dass.

Residence—No. 93, Lower Chitpur Road, Calcutta. (295—8—94)

Estate Francis Samuel Peck, Col., I.M.S., late of Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the Estate of the deceased above-named are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King Hamilton & Co., 4 and 5, Koilaghat Street, Calcutta, on or before the third day of April 1909, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the Estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 3rd day of March 1909.

W. H. TAYLOR,

Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased, 4 & 5, Koilaghat Street, Calcutta. (289—8—100)

NOTICE.

Estate of John Michael, deceased.

PURSUANT to section 42 of Act XXVIII of 1889 the creditors and all persons interested in the Estate of John Michael of 7, Moira Street, Calcutta, deceased, who died at 7, Moira Street, aforesaid on the 4th day of February 1909 and Probate of whose Will

was, on the 1st day of March 1909, granted by the High Court, Calcutta, to Elizabeth, otherwise called Ella Manuk and John Manuk, the Executors therein named, are hereby required to submit particulars of their claims with vouchers attached to their Solicitors, Messrs. Morgan & Co., at No. 1, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the 30th April next, after which date no claims will be admitted and the assets of the Estate will be distributed. All persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make payment of their respective debts without delay.

Dated this 19th day of March 1909.

MORGAN & Co.,
Solicitors for the Executors of the
Will of the deceased.
(843—3—128)

Estate William Francis Ackland, late of the East Indian Railway, Jhansi and Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the Estate of the deceased abovenamed are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King Hamilton & Co., 4 & 5, Koilaghat Street, Calcutta, on or before the fifteenth day of April 1909, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the Estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 11th day of March 1909.

J. HENDERSON GRAY,

Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased,

4 & 5, Koilaghat Street, Calcutta.
(319—3—116)

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WINDOW DELIVERY TICKET HOLDERS AND BOX NUMBER ASSIGNED

From 1st September 1908 to 31st March 1909.

Name.	Post Box No.
A	
Abrecht & Co. ...	19
Arracan Co., Ltd. ...	28
Agelasto & Co., A. ...	37
Alliance Bank of Simla, Ltd. ...	43
Army Department, Government of India ...	62
Allen Brothers & Co. ...	77
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Apear & Co. ...	130
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Birkmyre Bros. ...	18
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Bird & Co. ...	46

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"Capital"	14
Cooke & Kelvey	20
Crompton & Co., Ltd.	24
Calcutta Tramways Co., Ltd.	32
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China	40
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BENGAL ACT No. III OF 1909.

THE CHOTA NAGPUR ENCUMBERED ESTATES
(AMENDMENT) ACT, 1909.

An Act further to amend the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates Act, 1876.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates Act, 1876 ; VI of 1876.

And whereas the previous sanction of the Governor General has been obtained, under section 5 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, to the passing of this Act ; 55 & 56 VI t., G. 14.

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates (Amendment) Act, 1909.

Amendment of section 2 of Act VI of 1876.

2. (1) In section 2 of the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates Act, 1876, as amended by the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates (Amendment) Act, 1884 (hereinafter cited as "the said Act"), VI of 1876. V of 1884. for the words from "or, when any such property" to the words "such property is situate" the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"or the Deputy Commissioner within whose jurisdiction any such property belonging to such holder is situate, when—

(i) attachment has been made of, or a proclamation has been issued for the sale of, such property or any portion thereof, in execution of a decree or order of a Civil Court or a Revenue Court, or

(ii) such Deputy Commissioner is satisfied, after making such inquiry as he may think fit, and after considering and placing on record all representations (if any) made by such holder, that such holder has entered upon a course of wasteful extravagance likely to dissipate his property."

(2) After the words "consent of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal," in the same section, the words "(to be obtained through the Board of Revenue)" shall be inserted.

(3) After the words "during the continuance of such management," in the same section, the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"Provided as follows—

First, if any holder referred to in clause (ii) of this section petitions the Commissioner, while the inquiry referred to in that clause is being made, to postpone, until the petitioner has been heard, the passing of orders on any request that the Deputy Commissioner may make for applying the provisions of this Act to his case,

and if a request as aforesaid be made by the Deputy Commissioner,

the Commissioner shall appoint a day for hearing the petitioner ; and if he appears, either in person or by agent, on the day so appointed, and on the subsequent day (if any) to which the hearing is adjourned, the Commissioner shall not pass any order in the matter until he has been heard ;

Secondly, if any holder referred to in clause (ii) of this section petitions the Board of Revenue, while any proceedings are pending before the Commissioner under proviso *First*, to postpone, until the petitioner has been heard, the passing of orders on any request that the Commissioner may make for the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor to the application of the provisions of this Act to his case,

and if a request as aforesaid be made by the Commissioner,

*(Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates (Amendment) Act, 1909—
Sections 3-5.)*

the Board of Revenue shall appoint a day for hearing the petitioner; and if he appears, either in person or by agent, on the day so appointed, and on the subsequent day (if any) to which the hearing is adjourned, the Board shall not pass any order in the matter until he has been heard;

Thirdly, the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor shall not be given in the case of any holder referred to in clause (ii) of this section unless either—

such holder belongs to a family of political or social importance, or

the Lieutenant-Governor is satisfied that it is desirable, in the interests of the tenants of such holder, that such consent should be given."

New section 2A.

3. After section 2 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"2A. (1) For the purpose of making an application under section 2 in the case of any holder, the Deputy Commissioner may, by written order, require the said holder to produce before him, on a date to be stated in such order,—

Power of Deputy Commissioner to order production of statement and documents.

(i) a statement in writing, showing—

(a) all debts and liabilities to which the said holder is subject,

(b) the amount, kind and particulars of his property, and the annual value of any such property not consisting of money,

(c) the names and residences of his creditors, so far as they are known to, or can be ascertained by, him, and

(d) such other information as the Deputy Commissioner may, by his order, require, and

(ii) such documents relating to his estate, which are in the possession, power or control of the holder, as the Deputy Commissioner may deem necessary.

(2) The Deputy Commissioner may, by a like order, call upon any person in whose possession, power or control he has reason to believe there is any document relating to a debt or liability to which the holder is subject, to submit the same to him for the aforesaid purpose."

Amendment of section 3.

4. (1) In clause *First* of section 3 of the said Act, after the words "British India" the words "or in any Revenue Court in Bengal" shall be inserted.

(2) In clause *Secondly* of the same section, after the words "British India" the words "or any Revenue Court in Bengal" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 4.

5. (1) In section 4 of the said Act, after clause *thirdly*, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"*fourthly*, all sums due in re-payment of loans effected under the power conferred by clause (c) of section 18,"

and clause *fourthly* shall be re-numbered clause *fifthly*.

(2) In the same section, the words from "and also in or towards the re-payment" to "by the Manager under this Act," are hereby repealed.

*(Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates (Amendment) Act, 1909—
Sections 6-11.)*

Amendment of
section 5.

6. In section 5 of the said Act, for the words "Urdu and Hindi" the words "and the language of the district or estate" shall be substituted.

Addition to sec-
tion 7.

7. To section 7 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely:—

If a holder of property has petitioned the Commissioner, under the first proviso in section 2 or the first proviso to section 12A, sub-section (5), to postpone the passing of orders on any request that the Deputy Commissioner might make for applying or re-applying the provisions of this Act to his case, every debt or liability which such holder has, after the date on which the said request was made, incurred, or charged upon his property, shall be barred, with the exception of—

- (a) debts due or liabilities incurred to the Government,
- (b) debts or liabilities which the Deputy Commissioner is satisfied had necessarily to be incurred for the maintenance of such holder or his family,
- (c) in the case of under-tenures, the rent due to the superior landlord, and
- (d) interest due in respect of debts or liabilities incurred before the said date.

Amendment of
section 9.

8. (1) In section 9 of the said Act, after the word "lease"—

- (a) in the first place where it occurs, the words "or rent-free or maintenance grant," and
- (b) in all other places where it occurs, the words "or grant" shall, respectively, be inserted.

(2) To the said section the following shall be added namely:—

"Provided that no rent free or maintenance grant shall be set aside or cancelled without the previous sanction of the Commissioner, which may be accorded only if he is satisfied that the grant was not made in good faith."

Amendment of
section 10.

9. In section 10 of the said Act,—

- (a) after the figure "9" the words and figure "except a refusal under the proviso to section 9" shall be inserted; and
- (b) for the words "shall be final," in both places in which they occur, the words, figures and letters "shall, subject to the provisions of sections 10A and 21A, be final," shall be substituted.

New section 10A.

10. After section 10 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"10A. The Commissioner may of his own motion review any order or proceeding under section 6, 7, 8, 9 or 10, and may revise, modify or reverse the same."

Amendment of
section 12.

11. (1) In section 12 of the said Act, for the words "received from the Government under section eighteen" the words, brackets, letter and figures "effected under the power conferred by clause (c) of section 18," shall be substituted.

*(Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates (Amendment) Act, 1909—
Section 12.)*

New section 12A

(2) In the said section 12, after the words "powers hereinafter contained" the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"Provided that, where a fresh order has been made under section 2, in pursuance of section 12A, sub-section (5), re-appointing a Manager and vesting in him the management of the whole or any portion of the property of any holder, such property shall not be restored to such holder, but shall be retained by the Manager for restoration to the heir of such holder in due course."

12. After section 12 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"12A. (1) When the possession and enjoyment of property is restored, under the circumstances mentioned in the first or the third clause of section 12, to the person who was the holder of such property when the application under section 2 was made, such person shall not be competent, without the previous sanction of the Commissioner,—

(a) to alienate such property, or any part thereof, in any way, or

(b) to create any charge thereon extending beyond his lifetime.

(2) If the Commissioner refuses to sanction any such alienation or charge, an appeal shall lie to the Board of Revenue, whose decision shall be final.

(3) Every alienation and charge made or attempted in contravention of sub-section (1) shall be void.

(4) The Deputy Commissioner may at any time, either of his own motion or on the application of any person interested, make an inquiry to ascertain whether any holder of property who is referred to in sub-section (1) has made or attempted to make any alienation or charge in contravention of that sub-section, and shall consider and place on record all representations (if any) made by such holder and by the person in whose favour such alienation or charge is alleged to have been made.

(5) If the Deputy Commissioner is satisfied, after making such an inquiry, that such holder has made or attempted to make any alienation or charge in contravention of sub-section (1), he may make a report to the Commissioner, setting forth the result of the inquiry and showing all debts and liabilities to which such holder is subject, and requesting that the provisions of this Act be re-applied to his case; and the Commissioner may, with the previous consent of the Lieutenant-Governor (to be obtained through the Board of Revenue), publish a fresh order under section 2, re-appointing a Manager and vesting in him the management of the whole or any portion of the property of such holder:

Provided as follows—

First, if the said holder petitions the Commissioner, while the said inquiry is being made, to postpone, until the petitioner has been heard, the passing of orders on any request that the Deputy Commissioner may make for re-applying the provisions of this Act to his case,

and if a request as aforesaid be made by the Deputy Commissioner,

the Commissioner shall appoint a day for hearing the petitioner; and if he appears, either in person or by agent, on the day so appointed, and on the subsequent day (if any) to which the hearing is adjourned, the Commissioner shall not pass any order in the matter until he has been heard;

*(Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates (Amendment) Act, 1909—
Sections 13-14.)*

Secondly, if the said holder petitions the Board of Revenue, while any proceedings are pending before the Commissioner under proviso *First*, to postpone, until the petitioner has been heard, the passing of orders on any request that the Commissioner may make for the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor to the re-application of the provisions of this Act to his case,

and if a request as aforesaid be made by the Commissioner,

the Board of Revenue shall appoint a day for hearing the petitioner; and if he appears, either in person or by agent, on the day so appointed, and on the subsequent day (if any) to which the hearing is adjourned, the Board shall not pass any order in the matter until he has been heard.

(6) No suit shall be brought to charge any person to whom property is restored under the circumstances mentioned in the first or the third clause of section 12—

(i) upon any promise, made after such restoration, to pay any debt contracted while the management of the property was vested in the Manager, or

(ii) upon any ratification, made after such restoration, of any promise or contract made while the management of the property was vested in the Manager,

whether or not there be any new consideration for such promise or ratification."

New section 14A.

13. After section 14 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"14A. (1) The Manager may order all holders of tenures and under-tenures on property under his management to produce their evidence of title to such tenures and under-tenures.

(2) Any person who refuses to comply with an order of the Manager under sub-section (1) shall be liable, by order of the Deputy Commissioner, to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees:

Provided that the Deputy Commissioner shall, before passing such order, hear any explanation or objection that may be made by such person."

New sections 18, 18A & 18B.

14. For section 18 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"18. After a scheme has been approved by the Commissioner under section 11, the Manager shall, subject to the sanction of the Commissioner, have power,—

(a) to demise by way of mortgage the whole or any part of such property for a term not exceeding twenty years from the date of publication of the order under section 2, or

(b) to sell by public auction or by private contract, and upon such terms as the Manager thinks fit, such portion of such property as may appear expedient, for the purpose of raising any money which may be required for the settlement of the debts and liabilities to which the holder of the property is subject, or with which such property or any part thereof is charged, or,

(c) to borrow money, at such rate of interest as appears reasonable to the Board of Revenue,

for the aforesaid purpose or for the purpose of meeting the costs of such repairs and improvements of the property as appear necessary to the Manager and are approved by the Commissioner.

"18A. (1) A mortgagee advancing money upon any mortgage made under section 18 shall not be bound to see that such money is wanted, or that no more than is wanted is raised.

(2) The receipt of the Manager for any moneys paid to him as such shall discharge the person paying the same therefrom and from being concerned to see to the application thereof.

**(Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates (Amendment) Act, 1909—
Sections 15-18.)**

"18B. Subject to the sanction of the Commissioner, the Manager shall have power to enter upon any contract or to execute or relinquish any lease or counterpart of a lease, or to take any action not otherwise provided for in this Act which in his opinion is necessary for the proper care and management of the property."

New sections 19A and 19B.

15. After section 19 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"19A. (1) The Commissioner may make such orders as to him may seem fit in respect of the education of any child of a holder whose property is being managed under the provisions of this Act otherwise than on the application of the Deputy Commissioner.

(2) Any person who disobeys any order made by the Commissioner under sub-section (1) shall be liable, by order of the Deputy Commissioner, to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees:

Provided that the Deputy Commissioner shall, before passing such order, hear any explanation or objection that may be made by such person.

"19B. Any fine imposed by the Deputy Commissioner under section 14A or section 19A shall be recoverable as an arrear of land-revenue."

New sections 21A and 21B.

16. After section 21 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"21A. All orders or proceedings of the Commissioner and of the Deputy Commissioner under this Act shall be subject to the supervision and control of the Board of Revenue; and the Board of Revenue may, if it thinks fit, revise, modify or reverse any such order or proceeding.

"21B. During the period of management,—

(1) every suit or appeal by the holder shall be instituted in his name by the Manager;

(2) in every pending suit or appeal in which the holder is plaintiff or defendant, the Manager shall be named as the representative of the holder for the purposes of the suit or appeal; and no application in any such suit or appeal shall be made to the Court on behalf of the holder except by the Manager;

(3) no person other than the Manager shall be ordered to sue or be sued as next friend or guardian, or be named as guardian, of the holder, for a pending suit; and

(4) the Court, upon application by the Manager or by any party to a suit, may order that the plaint or memorandum of appeal be amended so as to conform with the requirements of clause (1), or that the Manager be named as the representative of the holder as required by clause (2), of this section."

Amendment of section 23.

17. In section 23 of the said Act,—

(a) to the words "nothing in this Act" the words, figures and letter "subject to the provisions of section 21B," shall be prefixed; and

(b) the words "but to all such suits the Manager of such property shall be made a party" shall be omitted.

Repeal of section 24.

18. Section 24 of the said Act is hereby repealed.

CALCUTTA;

The 20th March, 1909.

F. G. WIGLEY,

Secretary to the Bengal Council.



APPENDIX TO
The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 1909.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

CALCUTTA, the 17th March 1909.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

BAY OF BENGAL—ORISSA COAST.

Dhamrá river—Extension of Chandipal flat.

No. 129 (first publication).—

Subject.—Masters of vessels plying to Chandballi are recommended to pass 100 yards south of the "A" buoy, Dhamrá river, as the Chandipal flat is liable to extend to the southward during the dry season.

Charts affected.—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 814, The Sandheads.

„ 754, Dhamrá river.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 204.

Authority.—Port Officer of Cuttack and Balasore Ports, Notice dated the 12th March 1909.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST.

Muttum point light—Alteration in character.

No. 130 (first publication).—

Subject.—The present dioptric first order white fixed light shewn at Muttum Point will be extinguished on or after the 1st July next and that in its place another light of the undermentioned description will be exhibited from the 1st September next.

Position (approx.)—Lat. $8^{\circ} 7\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $77^{\circ} 18'$ E.

Character.—White light showing one flash every five seconds.

Visibility.—18 miles.

Order.—2nd (dioptric).

Power.—200,000 candles.

Height.—141 feet above H. W. L.

Remarks.—During the interval, a temporary fixed white light of less intensity than the present one will be shown from the existing lantern.

The dates given are only approximate and further notice will be issued later on giving the exact dates of extinguishing and re-lighting.

Charts affected.—No. 2788, Cochin to Cape Comorin, &c.

„ 827, Vengurla to Cape Comorin.

„ 751, Anjengo to Cape Comorin.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights, part VI, 1907, No. 280.

Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 120.

Authority.—Presidency Port Officer, Madras, Notice No. 7 of 17th February 1909.

ARABIAN SEA—MEKRAN COAST.

Gwatar bay—Shoals.

No. 131 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay (No. 10 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject ... Two patches of very discoloured water which looked like shoals are reported in the following positions :—

(a) Position	...	Lat. 25° 0' N., long. 61° 24' E.	} Approximate.
(b) Position	...	Lat. 24° 59' N., long. 61° 30' E.	

Chart affected ... No. 38, Maskat to Karachi.

Publication ... Persian Gulf Pilot, 1908, page 134.

Authority ... Master, S.S. *Mozaffari*.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—GULF OF ADEN.

Aden harbour—Dredging operations.

No. 132 (first publication).—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, has given notice (No. 11 of 1909) that during the dredging operations in the Inner Harbour and the channel leading into it, all dredgers at work will exhibit from the 8th instant, by day from a small yard at a height of at least 20 feet above the water and in a conspicuous position 2 horizontal black discs 5 feet apart on their clear side, and one black disc on the other, from sunset to sunrise. The disc referred to above will be replaced on the clear side of the dredger by 2 horizontal white lights 5 feet apart showing all round the horizon and on the other side by one white light.

JAPAN SEA—RUSSIAN TARTARY, AMERICA BAY.

Cape Povorotni—Fog-signal re-established.

No. 133 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 273 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—The fog-signal at Cape Povorotni lighthouse is again working. The period has been altered and the signal is now of the undermentioned description.

Position.—Lat. 42° 40½' N., long. 133° 2½' E.

Description of Fog signal.—Siren, worked by compressed air, giving one blast of five seconds' duration every ninety seconds, thus :—

<u>Blast,</u>	<u>silent interval,</u>
5 secs.	85 secs.

Remarks.—A gun fired in answer to vessel's fog-signals as formerly.

Charts affected.—No. 3198, Askold island to Cape Povorotni.

„ 2511, Strelok bay to Mosolova point.

„ 2405, Kuril islands

Publications.—List of lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 1157.

Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 198.

Notice to Mariners, No. 764 of 1908. (*This office No. 254 dated 19th June 1908.*)

Authority.—St. Petersburg Notice No. 17 of 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH.—NEW HEBRIDES.

Espiritu Santo island—Depth on shoal westward of.

No. 134 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 276 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The depth on the 7-fathom shoal (P.D.) shown on the chart westward of Espiritu Santo island should be amended as undermentioned.

Position.—Lat. $15^{\circ} 23\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $166^{\circ} 34'$ E.

Amended depth.—3 fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 179, Espiritu Santo island.

„ 3033, New Hebrides and New Caledonia.

„ 780, Pacific ocean, south-west sheet.

Authority.—Pacific Islands, Vol. II, 1908, page 393.

RED SEA, WESTERN SHORE.—PORT SUDAN APPROACH.

Wingate reefs—Beacons established.

No. 135 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 279 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—Two beacons have been erected on Wingate reefs, in the approach to Port Sudan.

(a) *Position.*—On eastern extremity of reefs.

Lat. $19^{\circ} 38\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $37^{\circ} 19'$ E.

Description.—Iron pole surmounted by a brown cage.

(b) *Position.*—On southern extremity of reefs.

Lat. $19^{\circ} 37'$ N., long. $37^{\circ} 16\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Description.—Iron pole surmounted by a brown diamond-shape.

Remarks.—The exact positions of these beacons are not stated. It is presumed that the southern beacon is on the small detached patch to the southward of the main reef.

Charts affected.—No. 81, Mersa Darúr to Trinkitat.

„ 8c, Red sea, sheet III.

„ 2523, Red sea.

Publication.—Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 155.

Authority.—Foreign Office, 27th January 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—SOLOMON ISLANDS—BOUGAINVILLE STRAIT.

Shortland harbour—Shoal.

No. 136 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 284 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal, not hitherto shown on the chart, exists in Shortland harbour, Solomon islands.

Position.—Eastern extreme of Faisi island, bearing N. 11° E., distant about 6 cables, and the northern extreme of Orlofe island nearly in line with the northern extreme of Onua island, N. 68° E.

Lat. $7^{\circ} 5\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $155^{\circ} 51\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Depth.— $3\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Remarks.—Two 4-fathom rocks are situated close to the above position and 5 fathoms is the general depth around.

Variation.— 7° E.

Chart affected.—No. 329, Bougainville strait, with plan.

Publication.—Pacific islands, Vol. I, 1908, page 337.

Authority.—H. M. S. *Cambrian*, Hydrographical Note No. 4 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA—NORTH-WEST COAST.

Mermaid reef—Rocks north-westward of.

No. 137 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 298 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A patch of rocks is reported to exist to the north-westward of Mermaid reef, north-west coast of Australia.

Position.—Lat. $16^{\circ} 55'$ S., long. $119^{\circ} 19'$ E

Depth.—Awash at low-water.

Remarks.—"Position approximate" has been placed on the chart against this reported danger.

Charts affected.—No. 1048, Buccaneer archipelago to Bodout island.

„ 475, North-west coast of Australia.

„ 2759a, Australia, northern portion.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. III, 1905, page 225.

Authority.—Fremantle Notice, dated 18th December 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Caution—Amended positions of certain reefs.

No. 138 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 301 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A recent survey has ascertained the positions of certain reefs off the west coast of Sumatra to be as given below:—

(a) Reef situated between Sikarbau and Dua reefs:

Amended position.—About one mile north-westward from position now shown on chart, as undermentioned—

Lat. $0^{\circ} 6'$ N., long. $99^{\circ} 25'$ E., on chart No. 2760.

Remarks.—This reef, consisting of 2 rocks with a least depth of 6 feet over them, is not marked by surf.

(b) Haai reefs:

Amended positions.—About one mile south-westward from positions now shown on chart, as undermentioned—

Northern reef, lat. $0^{\circ} 30'$ S., long. $99^{\circ} 46'$ E., on chart No. 709.

Southern reef, lat. $0^{\circ} 31\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $99^{\circ} 46\frac{3}{4}'$ E., on chart No. 709.

Remarks.—These reefs are about half a cable and one cable in extent, respectively.

(c) Ingaris reef:

Amended position.—About three-quarters of a mile north-westward from position now shown on chart, as undermentioned—

Lat. $0^{\circ} 29'$ S., long. $99^{\circ} 51\frac{1}{2}'$ E., on chart No. 709.

Remarks.—This reef is about two-thirds of a cable in extent, and has a least depth of $1\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms over it.

Caution.—Between the Haai reefs and the reef recently discovered in lat. $0^{\circ} 28\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $99^{\circ} 31\frac{1}{2}'$ E., several reefs exist, the positions of which will be published in a further Notice. "Foul ground" should be marked on the chart temporarily.

Charts affected.—No. 709, Ujong Masang to Ujong Indrapura.
,, 2760, Sumatra, west coast.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, Vol. 1, 1903, pages 324, 326, 327.

Notice to Mariners, No. 57 of 1909. (*This office No. 76 of 3rd February 1909.*)

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 285 of 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN—NEW GUINEA, NORTH COAST.

Geelvink strait—Shoal.

Mokmer road—Decreased depth on shoal.

No. 139 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 302 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned information has been received with regard to Geelvink strait and Mokmer road, north coast of New Guinea.

1. Shoal in Geelvink strait:

Position.—Lat. $1^{\circ} 24'$ S., long. $136^{\circ} 28\frac{1}{2}'$ E., on chart No. 942b.

Depth.—About 5 fathoms (estimated); bottom, sand and stones.

Remarks.—This shoal cannot be distinguished by discolouration of the water.

2. Decreased depth on shoal in Mokmer road, Wiak island:

Position.—At a distance of about $3\frac{1}{2}$ cables, E. by S., from Sapor point.

Lat. $1^{\circ} 12\frac{3}{4}'$ S., long. $136^{\circ} 9'$ E.

Amended Depth.—Barely 6 feet in the place of 3 fathoms as at present shown on the chart.

Variation.— 3° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2467, Plan of Mokmer (2).

,, 942b, Eastern archipelago, eastern portion (1).

,, 780, Pacific ocean, south-west sheet (1).

,, 2759a, Australia, northern portion (1).

Publication.—Pacific Islands, Vol. I, 1908, pages 230, 231.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 287 of 1909.

AFRICA, EAST COAST.

Formosa bay—Shoal.

No. 140 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 304 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal, not hitherto shown on the chart, on which H.M.S. *Hermione* touched, exists in the eastern part of Formosa bay,

Position.—Centre of southern rock ("dries 9 feet") of Mwamba Zewoyu, bearing N. 49° E., distant $7\frac{3}{4}$ cables, and the south-westernmost rock ("dries 9 feet") of the same reef, N. 25° W.

Lat. $2^{\circ} 39'$ S., long. $40^{\circ} 35'$ E.

Depth.— $2\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms, sand and coral bottom.

Variation.— 5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1747, Plan of Ozi anchorage.

„ 848, Malindi to Juba.

„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1905, page 489.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Hermione*, Hydrographical Note No. 1 of 1909.

AFRICA, EAST COAST.

Kilifi river approach—Beacon erected.

No. 141 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 305 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A beacon of the undermentioned description has been erected to form the rear leading mark for Takaungu pass, Kilifi river approach.

Position.—On summit of Quoin (Mbogolo) hill.

Lat. $3^{\circ} 41\frac{3}{4}'$ S., long. $39^{\circ} 49\frac{3}{4}'$ E.

Description.—White cone surmounted by black inverted cone. This beacon is very conspicuous.

Remarks.—The Custom house and flagstaff, shown on the chart, on the north side of the entrance to Kilifi river, no longer exist. On page 480 of the Pilot, lines 17 and 18, for “Custom house point” read “point south-west of Kioni village.”

Charts affected.—No. 238, Kilifi river and approaches.

„ 664, Zanzibar to Malindi.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1905, pages 478, 480.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Hermione*, Hydrographical Note No. 3 of 1909.

The 13th March 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL.—BURMA COAST.

Krishna shoal light-vessel—Temporarily relieved.

No. 119 (second publication).—

Subject.—On or about the 25th March 1909 the present light-vessel on Krishna shoal will be temporarily relieved by *Martaban* as undermentioned.

Position.—Lat. $15^{\circ} 37\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $95^{\circ} 36\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Character.—White flashing of five seconds' duration, eclipse forty seconds.

Chart affected.—No. 823, Koronge island to white point.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, No. 366.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, page 345.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Burma, Telegram dated 12th March 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL.—COCO ISLANDS.

Table island light—Discontinuance of; Provisional light exhibited.

No. 120 (second publication).—

Subject.—On or about the 20th of May 1909, Table island light (white fixed) will be discontinued for the purpose of installing a white double flashing second order light. The character of the new light, when exhibited, will be two flashes every 10 seconds. During the period of alteration of the existing light, 20th May to 9th June 1909, a temporary light of the undermentioned description will be exhibited from the lantern of the light-house. A blue flare will also be shown from the balcony of the light-house every half hour during the above period.

*Position (approximate).—*Lat. $14^{\circ} 11' N.$, long. $93^{\circ} 21' E.$

*Character.—*White fixed.

*Power.—*1,300 candles.

*Charts affected.—*No. 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang, etc.

„ 825, Andaman islands.

„ 3103, North Andaman islands, with adjacent channels.

*Publications.—*List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, No. 384.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 334.

*Authority.—*Principal Port Officer, Burma, Notice dated 15th February 1909.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Dusky sound—Rock.

*No. 121 (second publication).—*The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 236 of 1909), are republished :—

*Subject.—*A rock exists in Dusky sound.

*Positions.—*South-west extreme of Parrot island, bearing $N. 71^{\circ} W.$, distant $12\frac{1}{10}$ cables, and the eastern extreme of Pigeon island, $N. 23^{\circ} E.$

Lat. $45^{\circ} 43\frac{1}{2}' S.$, long. $166^{\circ} 33\frac{1}{2}' E.$

*Depth.—*Dries at low water.

*Remarks.—*The rock appears to be a continuation of the reef extending from the islet situated $2\frac{1}{2}$ cables to the south-westward of it.

Variation.— $18^{\circ} E.$

*Charts affected.—*No. 719, Dusky and Breaksea sounds.

„ 2589, Foveaux strait to River Awarua.

*Publication.—*New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 300.

*Authority.—*H. M. S. *Pioneer*, Hydrographical Note No. 4 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Drinkwater point light-vessel—Temporarily replaced.

*No. 122 (second publication).—*The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 237 of 1909), are republished :—

*Subject.—*On or about the 2nd January 1909, Drinkwater point light-vessel would be temporarily replaced by a reserve light-vessel, as undormentioned.

*Position.—*Lat. $31^{\circ} 24\frac{1}{2}' N.$, long. $121^{\circ} 50\frac{1}{2}' E.$

*Character of lights.—*Two fixed white lights, placed vertically, 15 feet apart, from each yardarm of yard on mainmast.

*Elevation.—*Upper lights, 50 feet.

*Visibility.—*10 miles.

*Description of Vessel.—*Steam lighter *Wai Tung*, painted a dark colour, black funnel, one derrick and two masts. Black ball on mainmast.

*Fog signal.—*A gong sounded at intervals of one minute.

*Remarks.—*A white riding light is carried on the forestay.

Should the light-vessel be driven from the station, the usual lights will not be exhibited, but a small red light will be shown at each end of the vessel; also, the ball will be struck as soon as possible, and until struck will be surmounted by a red flag.

*Caution.—*It may possibly happen that one or both of the vertical lights on one yardarm may be obscured by the masts or funnel of the light-vessel to a vessel that is approaching her.

*Charts temporarily affected.—*No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 1199, Kueshan islands to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.

*Publications.—*List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 813.

China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1904, page 402; Supplement, 1907.

*Authority.—*Shanghai Notice (Special) No. 325 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—INNER ROUTE.

Frankland islands and Great Barrier reef—Shoals near.

No. 123 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 240 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—Shoals of the undermentioned description exist near the Frankland islands and the Great Barrier reef.

(a) *Position.*—Situated at a distance of about 3 cables off the western side of the reef joining Russell and Normandy islands.

Lat. $17^{\circ} 13' 36''$ S., long. $146^{\circ} 5' 20''$ E., on chart No. 2350.

Depth.—3 fathoms, coral.

(b) *Position.*—Lat. $16^{\circ} 49' 23''$ S., long. $146^{\circ} 21' 52''$ E., on chart No. 2350.

Depth.— $2\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Remarks.—This coral bank extends N. 15° W. for a distance of $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles from the above position with a breadth of $2\frac{1}{2}$ cables, having depths of $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 6 fathoms over it.

(c) *Position.*—Lat. $16^{\circ} 42' 58''$ S., long. $146^{\circ} 16' 52''$ E., on chart No. 2350.

Depth.— $4\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms, coral.

Variation.— 6° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2350, Double point to Cape Grafton.

„ 2763, Coral sea, etc., sheet I.

„ 2764, Coral sea, etc., sheet II.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, pages 334 and 382.

Authority.—H.M. Surveying Ship *Fantome*, Hydrographical Note No. 3 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MINDANAO, NORTH COAST.

Polo point light—Alterations in.

No. 124 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 250 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The *fixed* light shown from the lighthouse on Polo point, North coast of Mindanao, has been altered as undermentioned:—

Position.—Lat. $8^{\circ} 36'$ N., long. $123^{\circ} 45'$ E.

Alterations. (a) Colour altered from white to *red*.

(b) Visibility decreased to 9 miles.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Sulu or Mindoro sea, eastern part.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 608.

Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 319; Supplement, 1906.

Notice to Mariners, No. 1542 of 1908. (*This office No. 430 of 6th November 1908.*)

Authority.—United States Hydrographic Office, Notice No. 169 of 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, EAST COAST.

Kanimo island light—Character altered.

No. 125 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 251 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The fixed red light exhibited from Kanimo island, east coast of Luzon, has been replaced by a light of the undermentioned character:—

Position.—Lat. $14^{\circ} 6'$ N., long. $123^{\circ} 1'$ E., on Chart No. 2577.

Character.—Occulting white light every ten seconds, thus :—

<u>Light</u>	<u>eclipse.</u>
7 secs.	3 secs.

Visibility.—15 miles.

Order.—6th.

Remarks.—The elevation of the light is presumably unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, San Bernardino strait to Mindoro strait.

943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 689.

Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 375.

Notices to Mariners, No. 835 of 1907 and 1545 of 1908. (*This office*
Nos. 340 of 1907 and 433 of 1908).

Authority.—United States, Hydrographic Office, Notice No. 172 of 1909.

NEW ZEALAND.—SOUTH ISLAND—PEGASUS BAY.

Waimakariri harbour— Lights established.

No. 126 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 261 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—On the 5th January 1909, the undermentioned lights would be established at Waimakariri harbour, Pegasus bay.

(a) Occasional light :

Position.—On north bank of river entrance.

Lat. 43° 25' S., long. 172° 43½' E.

Character.—Fixed white.

Visibility.—5 miles.

Structure.—Flagstaff.

Remarks.—This light is shown when vessels are expected or are leaving the river.

(b) Leading lights:

Position.—Near river entrance.

Character.—Front light, fixed red.

Rear light, fixed white.

Structure.—Front light, beacon 15 feet in height.

Rear light, beacon 20 feet in height.

Remarks.—These beacons or lights in line, bearing S. 66° W., lead over the bar in the best water. They will be moved as necessary to meet the changes in the channel.

Caution.—During the last few years the river has worked to the southward, so that the Admiralty chart does not show any opening at the present entrance. It is liable to shift either to the north or south with any freshet.

Variation.—17° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2529, Cape Campbell to Banks peninsula.

3629, Hokitika to Otago harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 341.

New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 235.

Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 102 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—PANAY, EAST COAST.

Apiton strait—Shoal.

No. 127 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 268 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A shoal exists in Apiton strait, east coast of Panay.

Position.—In mid-channel of northern entrance to strait, at a distance of about one mile to the eastward of Bakahan bluff.

Lat. 11° 10½' N., long. 123° 7½' E., on chart No. 2678.

Depth.— $3\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.
Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of Sulu or Mindoro sea.
 „ 943, Molucca passage to Manila
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 266.
Authority.—Manila Notice No. 7 of 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL.

HUGHLI RIVER.

Saugor island light—Alteration in character.

No. 128 (second publication).—

Subject.—From the 13th March 1909, the existing light shown from the Saugor island light-house will be replaced by a new light of the undermentioned description:—

Position.—Lat. $21^{\circ} 39' N.$; long. $88^{\circ} 2' E.$
Character.—White flashing of about $\frac{1}{10}$ second's duration every 3 seconds.
Power.—32,000 candles
Visibility.—15 miles.

Charts affected.—No. 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.
 „ 70, Bay of Bengal.
 „ 814, The Sandheads.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, No. 352.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 225.

Authority.—Port Commissioners, Calcutta, River Notices Nos. 335 and 358 of 1909.

The 4th March 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches light-vessel—Replaced in position.

No. 109 (third publication).—

Subject.—The South Patches light-vessel has been replaced in position.
Position.—Lat. $21^{\circ} 29' N.$, long. $91^{\circ} 36' E.$
Character.—Fixed white.
Visibility.—11 miles.

Charts affected.—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.
 „ 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.
 „ 859, Mutlah river to Elephant point.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, No. 360a, page 62.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 250.

Notice to Mariners No. 457 of 13th November 1908.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, telegram dated 3rd March 1909.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—INNER ROUTE.

Frankland islands—Non-existence of rock north-westward of—.

No. 110 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 186 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—An exhaustive search having been made for the 4-fathom rock, shown on the charts to the north-westward of the Frankland islands, without any trace of its existence being discovered, it has been expunged from the chart.

Position on Charts.—At a distance of about $8\frac{1}{2}$ cables, N. $68^{\circ} W.$, from the summit of High island.

Lat. $17^{\circ} 9' 10'' S.$, long. $146^{\circ} 0' 20'' E.$, on chart No. 2350.

Variation—6° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2350, Double point to Cape Grafton.

„ 2763, Coral sea and Great Barrier reef, sheet I.

„ 2764, „ „ „ „ II.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, page 334.

Authority.—H.M. Surveying Vessel *Fantome*, 5th December 1908.

KOREA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—MASANPHO APPROACH.

Douglas inlet—Rock.

No. 111 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 195 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A pinnacle rock exists in Douglas inlet, Masanpho approach.

Position.—Summit of Tai pong island (283 feet) bearing N. 66° W., distant 5 $\frac{1}{10}$ cables, and Neuk Do Δ N. 16° E.

Lat. 35° 0 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' N., long. 128° 45 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' E.

Depth.—About 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1065, Masanpho harbour and approaches.

„ 3366, Fusan harbour to Port Hamilton.

„ 104, Korean archipelago, S. portion.

„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Nipon.

„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.

Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, pages 111, 116.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1283 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO.

Surabaya strait, northern entrance—Position of Pilot-vessel altered.

No. 112 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 198 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The position of the Pilot-vessel in the northern entrance to Surabaya strait has been altered, and is now as given below.

New position.—Moved about 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ cables, in a N. 17° E. direction, and now situated at a distance of 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles, N. 17° E., from Cape Piring lighthouse.

Lat. 6° 51 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' S., long. 112° 44 $\frac{3}{4}$ ' E.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 934, Plan of Surabaya strait.

„ 1654, Island of Java.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 123.

Notice to Mariners, No. 1489 of 1908. (*This Office No. 418 of 17th October 1908.*)

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 121 of 1909.

JAPAN—NAIKAI (INLAND SEA).

Shimonoseki kaikyo, eastern approach—Wreck removed.

No. 113 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 199 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The wreck of the sailing vessel, sunk in the eastern approach to Shimonoseki strait, has been removed.

Position.—About 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles to the south-eastward of He saki lighthouse.

Lat. 33° 56' N., long. 131° 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ ' E.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3225, Shimonoseki kaikyo to Maruyama saki.
2876, Naikai.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 497.

Notice to Mariners, No. 94 of 1909. (*This office No. 85 of 15th February 1909.*)

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 1285 of 1908.

CHINA SEA.

Banka island, north and north-east coasts—Intended light buoys.

No. 114 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 201 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoys on the north and north-east coasts of Banka island will be replaced by light buoys; and a light buoy will be established as given below:—

1. Buoys to be replaced by light buoys:

(a) Black can buoy:

Position.—On western side of Penyusu island, Klabat bay.

Lat. 1° 32' S., long. 105° 40½' E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Light buoy, painted black, exhibiting an *occulting white light every twenty seconds*, thus:—

<u>Light,</u>	<u>eclipse.</u>
10 secs.	10 secs.

(b) Black can buoy with truncated cone topmark:

Position.—On south-west side of Sullivan rocks.

Lat. 2° 1½' S., long. 106° 16½' E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Light buoy, painted white, exhibiting an *occulting white light with period similar to (a).*

(c) Black can buoy:

Position.—North side of reef in approach to Koba.

Lat. 2° 26½' S., long. 106° 25½' E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Light buoy, painted black, exhibiting an *occulting white light with period similar to (a).*

2. Light buoy to be established:

Position.—On eastern side of Malan Tate (Fokke reef).

Lat. 1° 55½' S., long. 106° 14½' E., on chart No. 2597.

Description.—Light buoy, painted white, exhibiting an *occulting white light with period similar to (a).*

Charts affected.—No. 2597, Banka strait.

„ 2757, Banka strait to Singapore (1) (a).

„ 2149, Gaspar and Banka straits.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1906, pages 493, 494, 529, 532.

Notice to Mariners No. 1198 of 1908. (*This office No. 558 of 26th August 1908.*)

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 120 of 1909.

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Tungsha light-vessel—Replaced on Station.

No. 115 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 202 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—The Tungsha light-vessel, which had been temporarily removed for repairs, has been replaced on her station, and the temporary light-vessel has been withdrawn.

Position.—Lat. $31^{\circ} 8' N$, long. $121^{\circ} 59\frac{1}{2}' E$.

Remarks.—The characteristics of this light-vessel are as described in the Admiralty List of Lights.

Charts affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 1199, Kueshan islands to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki, &c.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 811.

China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1904, page 406; Supplement, 1907.

Notice to Mariners No. 2045 of 1908. (*This Office No. 52 of 28th January 1909.*)

Authority.—Shanghai Notice (Special), No. 324 of 1908.

JAPAN—NAIKAI—HIROSHIMA WAN.

Hotaka jima—Reef eastward of.

No. 116 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 214 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A reef exists to the eastward of Hotaka jima, Hiroshima wan.

Position.—North-east extreme of Hotaka jima, bearing $N. 78^{\circ} W.$, distant $1\frac{1}{2}$ cables, and summit of Hashira jima $S. 8^{\circ} E$.

Lat. $34^{\circ} 4\frac{1}{2}' N.$, long. $132^{\circ} 23\frac{3}{4}' E$.

Depth.— $4\frac{1}{2}$ feet.

Remarks.—This reef has a depth of 13 fathoms close eastward of it, and between it and Hotaka jima are depths of less than 5 fathoms. The reef also extends for a distance of $1\frac{1}{2}$ cables in a $N. 22^{\circ} E$. direction, where there is a depth of 7 fathoms on its outer edge, beyond which it deepens suddenly to 21 fathoms.

Variation.— $5^{\circ} W$.

Charts affected.—No. 3469, Hiroshima wan.

„ 2875, Naikai.

Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 485.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 1284 of 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Buton strait—Shoal.

No. 117 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 220 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A shoal exists in Buton strait, south-east coast of Celebes.

Position.—Near western shore of strait, with Castle hill bearing $S. 23^{\circ} W.$, distant $19\frac{1}{2}$ cables, and Lohia hill, $S. 68^{\circ} W$.

Lat. $4^{\circ} 51\frac{1}{2}' S.$, long. $122^{\circ} 44\frac{1}{2}' E$.

Description.—About one cable in extent, and consisting of sand and stones.

Depth.—2 fathoms, with depths of 6 fathoms around.

Variation.— $2^{\circ} E$.

Charts affected.—No. 3470, Plans of Buton strait, and North narrows.

„ 3616, Tomori gulf to Salayar strait.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 361.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 181 of 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SEBU, NORTH COAST.

Malapascua island—Shoal eastward of.

No. 118 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 223 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A shoal, on which the S.S. *Katherine Park* struck, is reported to exist to the eastward of Malapascua island.

Position.—North extreme of Malapascua island, bearing N. 68° W., distant about 2 miles, and the south extreme of the island, S. 75° W.

Lat. 11° 20½ N., long. 124° 8½ E.

Depth.—2½ fathoms was obtained by sounding round the vessel when aground, with deeper water between the shoal and the island.

Remarks.—The vessel was drawing 17 feet at the time of the accident.

Variation.—1° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, San Bernardino to Mindoro strait.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 276.

Authority.—Board of Trade, 27th January 1909.

ST. L. S. WARDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.



APPENDIX TO
The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 1909.

CALCUTTA PORT TRUST.

General Balance Sheet as on 31st March 1908.

LIABILITIES.				Cash.	Government Securities and P. T. Deb., &c.		
CAPITAL ACCOUNT.				Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.
CAPITAL DEBT OF PORT—							
To GOVERNMENT.							
		Rs.	A. P.				
For Loan for Wharves and Jetties, &c.		4,95,299	9 8				
For Port Block	...	17,65,000	0 0				
„ Dock Loan	...	2,87,70,565	14 8				
				3,10,30,865	8	4	
To DEBENTURE-HOLDERS.							
Loan of 1881	...	10,00,000	0 0				
„ 1883	...	20,00,000	0 0				
„ 1886	...	30,00,000	0 0				
„ 1895 (1st)	...	1,50,000	0 0				
„ 1895 (2nd)	...	16,00,000	0 0				
„ 1897	...	15,00,000	0 0				
„ 1899 (1st)	...	12,50,000	0 0				
„ 1899 (2nd)	...	15,00,000	0 0				
„ 1900 (1st)	...	10,35,600	0 0				
„ 1900 (2nd)	...	15,00,000	0 0				
„ 1903	...	34,00,000	0 0				
„ 1905	...	35,00,000	0 0				
„ 1906 (1st)	...	49,00,000	0 0				
„ 1906 (2nd)	...	25,00,000	0 0				
„ 1907 (1st)	...	30,00,000	0 0				
„ 1907 (2nd)	...	25,00,000	0 0				
„ 1907 (3rd)	...	25,00,000	0 0				
„ 1908 (1st)	...	22,84,000	0 0				
				3,91,19,600	0	0	
Loan from National Bank, Ltd.	...			5,00,000	0	0	
				7,06,50,465	8	4	
Carried over				7,06,50,465	8	4	

LIABILITIES.				Cash.		Government Securities and P. T. Deb., &c.
		Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.
Brought forward				7,06,50,465	8 4	
SUNDRY CREDITORS ON CAPITAL ACCOUNT.						
Appropriations.	For Deposits			26,863	14 6	
	CONTRIBUTIONS & TRANSFERS FROM GOVERNMENT.					
	Contribution for road North of Aheerestollah ...	Rs. 74,584	A. P. 0 0			
	Transfer of landing stage at Prinsep's Ghat ...	10,000	0 0			
	Transfer of Port Approaches' Block	4,07,961	0 0			
				4,92,545	0 0	
	CONTRIBUTIONS FROM REVENUE.					
	For New works ...	57,27,255	0 1			
	For Repayment of consolidated Loan	55,29,800	6 4			
				1,12,57,055	6 5	
	Appropriations from Depreciation Fund			11,33,927	0 5	
REVENUE ACCOUNT.						
To Net Revenue ... 30,32,010 4 0						
Transferred to Reserve Fund 27,94,552 1 8						
Carried forward ... 2,37,458 2 4						
To Revenue Rs. A. P.						
Reserve Fund as above ... 27,94,552 1 8						
Less—Investment in 4% C. P. T. Debentures ... 25,71,899 6 9						
				2,22,652	10 11	
				4,60,110	13 3	26,28,000
MISCELLANEOUS AND SUSPENSE ACCOUNTS.						
Miscellaneous Suspense Liabilities				11,20,973	9 4	5,14,900
Depreciation, &c., Funds				12,35,304	2 6	11,65,700
Sinking Funds of Debenture Loans				68,26,038	11 6	
				91,82,316	7 4	
GRAND TOTAL ...				9,32,03,284	2 3	43,08,600

ASSETS.				Cash.	Government Securities and P. T. Deb., &c.
CAPITAL ACCOUNT.				Rs. A. P.	Rs.
<i>Property—</i>					
Net value of Block	...	...	6,87,97,059	4 6	
Works under construction...	...	...	1,51,87,760	2 8	
Discount on Debenture Loans	...	...	.....		8,39,84,819 7 2
					32,662 10 5
MISCELLANEOUS AND SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.					
Miscellaneous Suspense Assets	...	...	17,55,026	2 0	5,14,900
Depreciation, &c., Funds	...	...	11,54,981	12 7	11,65,700
Trustees of Sinking Funds of Debenture Loans	...	...	68,26,038	11 6	
					97,36,046 10 1
Capital Balance	...	...	.....		Dr. 4,56,625 3 11
Revenue	...	...	...		4,60,110 13 3
Suspense	...	...	.....		Dr. 5,53,730 2 9
					26,28,000
GRAND TOTAL				9,32,03,224 2 3	43,08,600

Statement of Income and Expenditure of the Calcutta Port Trust for the year 1907-08.

	INCOME.		EXPENDITURE.	
	Estimate.	Actuals.	Estimate.	Actuals.
	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.
I.—Control	2,800	4,205 13 6	7,18,984	8,06,981 14 2
II.—Jetties	13,97,000	15,69,639 14 10	7,51,316	8,32,206 11 5
III.—Tea Warehouse	1,71,500	1,60,621 15 10	1,08,953	1,03,452 8 3
IV.—Petroleum Wharf	2,06,000	1,89,243 1 1	36,239	39,518 8 8
V.—Inland Vessels Wharves	4,76,000	4,18,151 1 0	1,57,786	1,35,229 1 6
VI.—Rentable lands and Buildings.	10,04,840	11,13,461 9 8	1,15,426	1,15,058 14 9
VII.—Port	5,46,000	5,13,376 7 3	5,46,118	5,18,949 6 11
VIII.—Port Approaches	8,00,200	6,95,329 4 5	6,63,269	6,31,666 6 4
IX.—Railway	13,54,550	13,16,014 0 2	8,45,489	8,97,773 12 9
X.—Wet Docks	27,23,000	27,12,997 5 5	28,87,253	29,00,534 13 6
XI.—Dry Docks	3,25,750	3,06,340 4 4	73,063	79,923 4 7
XII.—Ferry Service	66,000	46,074 14 0	75,416	70,499 8 5
XIII.—River Dues	17,66,600	18,18,027 10 8	.....	.....
Sale of unserviceable materials.	6,441	40,204 14 2	.....	.....
Contribution from Howrah Bridge.	18,600	19,957 4 6	.....	.....
Interest on Revenue Reserve.	50,000	33,497 1 2	.....	.....
Interest and Sinking Fund.	.....	.....	36,33,980	36,52,309 11 7
Minor works	.....	.....	60,000*	.....
Unforeseen expenditure	.....	.....	41,989†	.....
Total	1,09,15,281	1,09,57,142 10 0	1,07,15,281	1,07,81,104 13 10

* Rs. 17,197-3-0 distributed over different sections.

† Rs. 31,698-12-7 ditto ditto.

J. E. JACKSON,

K. DATTA,

F. G. DUMAYNE,

The 1st July 1908.

Chief Accountant.

for Examiner of Local Accounts,
Bengal.

Vice-Chairman.

HOWRAH BRIDGE.

Balance Sheet as at 31st March 1909.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Contribution from Revenue—							Block of Howrah Bridge ...	.....			26,99,382	14	9
For repayment of capital debt existing at the time of the transfer of the Bridge to the Commissioners ...	21,16,800	0	0				Bridge Reserve Fund—						
For new works ...	1,97,019	7	5				4 per cent. C. P. T. Deb. for Rs. 4,48,000 ...	.....			4,37,030	0	0
				23,13,819	7	5	Reserve Section—						
Contribution from Port Trust—							Value of Block ...	1,08,761	1	9			
For steam-tug <i>Hetty</i> ...	.....			40,313	0	0	4 per cent. C. P. T. Deb. for Rs. 25,000 ...	24,500	0	0	1,33,261	1	9
Contribution from Reserve Fund—							Pontoon Renewal Fund—						
For new works ...	.....			3,27,119	0	4	4 per cent. C. P. T. Deb. for Rs. 71,000 ...	.....			69,520	0	0
Contribution from Pontoon Renewal Fund—							Cash held for Reserve Fund	212	14	7			
For new pontoons ...	.....			18,131	7	0	„ Reserve section	605	0	3			
Reserve Fund ...	.....			4,37,232	14	7	„ Pontoon Renewal Fund ...	732	3	10			
Reserve Section Fund ...	.....			1,33,866	2	0	„ Revenue Account ...	37,255	4	2	38,805	6	10
Pontoon Renewal Fund ...	.....			70,252	3	10							
Revenue Balance on 31st March 1908 ...	.....			37,255	4	2							
Total ...	.....			33,77,989	7	4	Total ...				33,77,989	7	4

* The sum of Rs. 1,33,506-2 includes Rs. 1,25,000, a portion of the debt taken over by the Commissioners and ultimately repaid by Revenue, and Rs. 806-2 profit upon sale of securities held by the Fund.

J. E. JACKSON,
Chief Accountant.

K. DUTTA,
for Examiner of Local Accounts.

F. G. DUMAYNE,
Vice-Chairman.

The 1st July 1908.

Income and Expenditure Account from 1st April 1907 to 31st March 1908.

INCOME.	Estimate.	Actuals.	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Receipts from Railway traffic ...	2,00,000	2,16,359 11 9	2,16,359 11 9
Contribution from Reserve Funds— (Interest on securities of Reserve Funds).	16,342	17,442 2 2	17,442 2 2
Contribution by Port Trust for “ <i>Helvetia</i> .”	2,000	2,000 0 0	2,000 0 0
Earnings of Ferry Steamers— “ <i>Buckland</i>” ...	...	1,200 0 0	
“ <i>Howrah</i>” ...	...	1,675 0 0	2,875 0 0
Miscellaneous receipts ...	3,658	1,916 1 3	1,916 1 3
GRAND TOTAL ...	2,22,000	.....	2,40,592 15 2
Balance at 1st April 1907 ...	...	.....	17,773 4 10
Surplus of Income over Expenditure during 1907-08.	...	.....	19,481 15 4
TOTAL ...	...	.....	37,255 4 2

Grant- No.	EXPENDITURE.	Estimate.	Actuals.	TOTAL.
	ESTABLISHMENT.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Office ...	3,696	3,713 7 9	
2	Bridge establishment ...	32,628	32,411 8 3	
3	Ferry steamer "Howrah" ...	10,212	10,679 14 3	
4	Ditto "Buckland" ...	9,612	10,078 6 6	
5	Ditto "Helvetia" ...	1,944	2,014 14 6	
6	Assamian Ghats Landing stage ...	576	646 8 0	
7	Leave and messing allowances ...	225	443 11 9	
8	Police establishment ...	2,438	2,014 11 6	
9	Comptrollees' allowances ...	2,047	2,046 8 0	
	Total Establishment ...	63,378	64,549 10 6	64,549 10 6
	STORES.			
10	For Bridge ...	6,000	8,925 12 3	
11	For steamer "Buckland" ...	4,000	4,470 4 2	
12	" " "Howrah" ...	4,000	5,439 3 11	
13	" " "Helvetia" ...	1,700	3,029 9 11	
	Total of Stores ...	15,700	21,864 14 3	21,864 14 3
	MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS.			
	Bridge—			
14	Metalled approaches ...	4,000	4,079 9 0	
15	Abutments ...			
16	Chief Officer's and lascars' quarters ...	500	4 6 4	
17	Pontoons, fenders and shieldings ...	22,000	17,188 4 0	
18	Superstructure ...	13,500	15,919 9 8	
19	Roadway surface and footpaths ...	37,000	46,481 12 1	
20	Watering roadway ...	1,800	1,090 1 6	
	Vessels and boats—			
21	"Buckland" ...		2,196 9 9	
22	"Howrah" ...	7,500	1,063 9 4	
23	"Helvetia" ...		691 3 10	
24	Buoy boat ...	1,000	2,151 7 7	
	Total of Maintenance and Repairs ...	87,300	90,846 9 0	90,846 9 0
	MISCELLANEOUS.			
25	Contribution to Port Trust for administration.	13,000	13,000 0 0	
26	Interest and Sinking Fund charges			
	Interest ... Rs. 6,223			
	Sinking Fund " 4,954			
		11,177	6,222 14 0	
27	Electric lighting ...	12,000	4,954 2 0	
28	Advertising ...	3,500	9,817 0 0	
29	Stationery and printing ...	400	4,476 6 6	
30	Rent of Telephone ...	150	279 12 3	
31	Uniforms ...	1,000	150 0 0	
32	Taxes ...	206	662 13 11	
33	Sundry charges not classed ...	874	193 8 0	
34	Assistant Harbour Masters' fees for night openings.	2,415	277 1 5	
	Total Miscellaneous ...	44,222	3,816 4 0	
	Surplus of Income over Expenditure ...	11,400		43,849 14 1
				19,481 15 4
	GRAND TOTAL ...	2,22,000		2,40,592 15 2
	Balance at 31st March 1908 ...	...		37,255 4 2
	TOTAL ...	...		37,255 4 2

K. DATTA,
for Examiner of Local Accounts,
Bengal.
The 1st July 1908.

J. E. JACKSON,
Chief Accountant.

F. G. DUMAYNE,
Vice-Chairman.

CERTIFIED that the Balance Sheet and Statement of Receipt and Expenditure in connection with the accounts of the Calcutta Port Trust for the year 1907-08 have been examined by our direction and under our supervision and found correct and that the accounts have been scrutinised (*vide* communication No. LA/744, dated 26th February 1909, to the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, a copy of which has been sent to Government with endorsement No. LA/744 A., dated 26th February 1909).

J. C. E. BRANCO, *Accountant-General, Bengal*,
K. DATTA, *for Examiner of Local Accounts*, } *Auditors.*

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THE following is substituted for the report published in pages 265-272 of the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th February 1909.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,

The 18th March 1909.

REPORT ON THE WORKING OF THE STEAM TRAWLER GOLDEN CROWN FOR THE QUARTER ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1908.

DURING the quarter under review the *Golden Crown* made seven voyages to the Bay of Bengal, viz.:—

- | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| (1) From October 1st to 5th. | (4) From November 11th to 18th. |
| (2) " " 11th to 14th. | (5) " " 21st to 1st December. |
| (3) " " 22nd to 29th. | (6) " December 4th to 13th. |
| (7) From December 17th to 22nd. | |

She also left for sea on December 30th, but as practically no fish were caught until the midnight on the 31st, the result of this voyage has been kept for inclusion in the report on the first quarter for 1909. It may be mentioned here that between the third and fourth voyages (October 29th to November 11th) the *Golden Crown* went into dry dock for a few days for sundry repairs.

DETAILS OF JOURNEYS.

The items mentioned above include the whole of the journey from Prinsep's Ghat to the sea and back, so that at least one complete day must be allowed for the outward journey and a similar amount for the return voyage. For an average voyage, however, it would be well not to allow less than three whole days for the actual steaming to and from the fishing grounds, so that, although the trawler was actually away from Calcutta altogether 52 days during the quarter, the actual number of days engaged in trawling is somewhat less than this. In the case of a single vessel engaged in commercial trawling, it is immaterial whether, in summarising results and comparing receipts with expenditure, one takes the number of days actually spent in trawling or the number of days the vessel is away from port as a basis for calculation of the amount of fish caught per day, since obviously expenses are accumulating even when the vessel is not actually fishing. In the case, however, of a small fleet of trawlers with a special vessel or vessels (carrier or cutter) engaged in conveying stores outwards and fish homeward, the ratio of trawling days to journey days would naturally be higher than in the case of a single vessel; in order to facilitate comparison with such a fleet the trawling day has therefore been taken as the unit of time in the case of the *Golden Crown*. Where later in the report the amount of fish caught per day is referred to, it must be understood that the 'day' means a day actually engaged in fishing, exclusive of the time taken in travelling to and from the fishing grounds. The point is not an unimportant one, since, other things being equal, the longer the vessel is away from port the higher the average catch per day should be. In the case of a port with a long and difficult approach and heavy pilotage dues, it naturally would not pay to have one or two vessels making very short and frequent trips.

During the month of October the *Golden Crown* was engaged in fishing for 14 days, during November 10 days, and during December 11 days, making 35 days in all.

On the first trip (October 1st to 5th) trawling was tried off the Orissa coast between Konarak (Black Pagoda) and Puri in from 10 to 18 fathoms of water, the nature of the bottom varying from soft mud to sand and shells. From the 11th to 14th October she trawled between False Point and Konarak in depth from 11 to 17 fathoms on muddy, sandy and shelly ground. From the 22nd to 29th October she again trawled off the Orissa coast between False Point and Konarak in from 9 to 15 fathoms on similar ground except that coral sand and stones were encountered.

On the fourth voyage (November 11th to 18th), after a preliminary unsuccessful trial off the Eastern Sunderbans, trawling was tried in the vicinity of South-Patches light vessel off the Arakan coast in depths from 8 to 13 fathoms on a muddy and sandy bottom. Again from November 21st to December 1st, after a trial near the intermediate light-vessel, fishing was carried on off Konarak in from 14 to 21 fathoms. From December 4th to 13th, after a trial trip 26 miles from Pilot's Ridge light-vessel, the ground off the Orissa coast between Konarak and Puri was again visited. From the 18th to the 21st December fishing was tried near the Mutlah light-vessel.

It may be advisable to explain here that a steam-trawler engaged in fishing for commercial purposes trawls during the whole of the 24 hours, and this is precisely what occurs on the *Golden Crown*. All modern trawlers are fitted up with two full sets of gear in readiness for immediate use, one on the port and one on the starboard side, so that, as soon as one net is hauled, the other may, if required, be shot. The *Golden Crown*, however, is unable to use her starboard gear and, as a consequence, frequent annoying, though unavoidable, delays occur. In surveying unknown grounds it is impossible at times to avoid serious damage to the nets, and all this damage must be repaired before the net can again be used. Hence, every time the net is torn on the *Golden Crown* she has to remain idle, while all hands turn to and effect the necessary repairs. This may at times cause serious delay and must be taken into account in estimating the weight of fish caught per day's trawling. The amount of delay, which would almost invariably be nil on a properly equipped vessel

varies on the *Golden Crown* from nil to 25 per cent. of the time actually spent on the fishing grounds.

In addition, the impossibility of using the starboard gear on board the *Golden Crown* makes her handling at all times a more hazardous matter than it would otherwise be, and in comparing the *Golden Crown* catches with those of a moderately well-equipped vessel, this fact must not be omitted from consideration.

It does not appear that any absolutely fresh trawling ground was opened up during the quarter, and although the accumulation of evidence respecting the condition of each fishing ground in the Bay during each particular month of the year is undoubtedly of some service, still one or more voyages per quarter should be devoted in future to opening up absolutely new grounds, even though it will be necessary for this purpose to provide the vessel with additional, better and more varied gear than she at present possesses.

WEIGHT AND QUANTITY OF FISH CAUGHT.

The returns of weight per voyage are:—

					Weight. Lbs.
First voyage	...	...	...	...	8,660
Second „	...	...	...	...	14,239
Third „	...	...	...	...	12,344
Fourth „	...	...	...	...	4,634
Fifth „	...	...	...	...	15,968
Sixth „	...	...	...	...	18,195
Seventh „	...	...	...	...	8,574
Total					82,614

Thus the weight of fish caught during 35 days' trawling amounted to an average of 2,360 lbs. per day.

This excludes (except in one instance where their weight was included) turtles and all sawfish and sharks. If commercial trawling were attempted in the Bay, doubtless some use would be found for the livers and fins of these gigantic *Elasmobranches*. So far then as the actual quantity of fish caught per diem is concerned, the results are not unfavourable. Similar quantities in European waters, such as the North Sea, would render trawling a commercial success. In making this comparison it is, of course, necessary to make certain assumptions which may not turn out to be justifiable, and one of the most important of these is that the fish is of approximately equal edible value and commands a ready sale at similar prices to sea-fish in the markets of Northern Europe.

Some of these considerations need further investigation, and fortunately sufficiently reliable data exist for the comparison of the kinds of fish landed during each separate voyage, in some instances even for separate hauls of the trawl. This latter information, while doubtless of value for future work, whether of a scientific or commercial nature, is not analysed in the present report, and attention is solely directed to the quantities of each kind of fish landed per voyage. The question of sale and the many factors connected with it cannot be considered here. In England when strange sea-fish were first put on the market the public demand for them was practically nil. Many instances could be given of this; it will perhaps suffice to mention the Hake. This fish was formerly considered to be worthless, but the popular demand for it is now considerable, and it fetches a good price.

DETAILS OF THE "GOLDEN CROWN" CATCHES.

The detailed account of the *Golden Crown's* catches is given in the table below. The names of the fish are those given by the European crew of the trawler who, in some cases, have adopted local names (not always correctly), and in other cases have utilized the common names of European fish on account of some assumed external resemblance, or have even been driven to invent entirely new names for fish for which no local names were readily forthcoming and which had no resemblance to common European marine species.

The local names, or names already in use in India, adopted for the purposes of classification on the trawler, are Begti, Bummaloh, Topsi and Pomfret. The Pomfret, as is well known, is a *stromateus* and two species are frequently caught in the trawler, namely *cinereus* and *niger*. The former is the more abundant and in greater demand on account of its more attractive appearance. The Bummaloh (*Harpodon Nehereus*) is a *scopeloid* and is well known as the "Bombay duck." The name Topsi is given to several species of *Polynemus*, including both *indicus* and *plebius*, although strictly speaking it should only be applied to *paradiseus*. The Begti of the *Golden Crown* is not the Begti (*lates calcarifer*) of Bengal, but comprises two or more forms, notably the Datneh (*Chrysophrys datnia*) and a Pericoid form (*Pristipoma maculatum*).

Of the names applied to fish in the Bay, which have been adopted on account of the presumed similarity to European species, the chief are whiting, herring, gurnards, halibut, conger, prawns, skate, soles, lobster and rock salmon. Of these the whiting, gurnard and rock salmon are structurally very dissimilar to those of European waters, and the names are based on a misconception of the nature of the Indian species. They are, however, sufficiently useful to be retained as market terms, though they should, strictly speaking, be always quoted in inverted commas. It would be difficult to replace them by any terms which would be understood by the public.

The Gadidae (cod, whiting, haddock, etc.) are not represented, and the so-called whiting of the *Golden Crown* include quite a number of very different forms, mostly species of *sciena*, *scienoids* and more rarely *umbrina*. The gurnards are siluroids of the genus *arius*, very largely *arius dussumeri*. As the siluroids are unknown in English markets it is not surprising that these gurnards are absolutely unlike the English gurnards. The name is evidently given on account of the hard bony plates protecting the head which are found in both forms. It is strange that neither the whiting nor the gurnard finds a ready sale in the New Market, although both these fish, especially the former, are good eating. Possibly the rather numerous bones and, in the case of whiting, the small size are prejudicial to a ready sale.

The rock salmon is entirely distinct from the true salmon. No member of the salmon family has been discovered in Bengal waters, and the name "rock salmon" has been bestowed on *Otolithus Maculatus* on account of the spotted surface of the latter bearing resemblance to a salmon. This form and *Otolithus Ruber* are really *scienoids*.

The Halibut (*Psettodes erumei*) and the soles (species of *Cynoglossus* *synaptura* and *plaguria*), although differing from the British species similarly named, are nevertheless true flat fish (*Plueronectidae*). The Conger eel is *murænesox cinereus*, the skates (large) mostly species of *Trygon* or string rays or (small) *mylobatis* and *ætobates*. The herring are Clupeoids of the genera *Pellona* and *Chalæssus*. The prawns are principally *Percidae* and *Palæmonidae*, and the lobster is a *Panulirus* or spiny lobster, and in all these cases the names are sufficiently correct for commercial purposes. A few species of fish are grouped under the somewhat unintelligible headings of red flats, small flats, mixed flats and mixed. The red flats are *Pagrus spinifer*, a most excellent edible fish; the small flats vary considerably usually they consist almost entirely of various species of House mackerel (*Caranx*), but sometimes *deepens punctata* and *ephippus orbis* predominate, and then the term mixed flats is sometimes employed, although there is no precision in the use of the terms. Under the heading of mixed fish we find very diverse forms; *saurena tumbil* is almost invariably present and mackerel (*Scomber Microlepedotes*) is also common.

TABLE SHOWING DETAILS OF CATCH PER VOYAGE.

(All weights expressed in lbs.)

Trip number	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Number of days fished	5	4	5	4	6	7	4
Name of Fish.							
Whiting ...	2,150	3,710	4,900	Details for this haul not to hand.	3,108	4,502	2,749
Gurnards ...	1,450	1,540	1,555		2,688	4,568	1,688
Prawns ...	1,400	3,250	2,100		1,680	1,699	369
Rock Salmon ...	700	1,150	515		410	217	191
Herring and Flats ...	700	300	590		...	...	...
Conger eels ...	500	954	490		40	904	464
Pomfrosts ...	500	275	470		672	165	112
Bummaloos ...	450	350	315		...	...	...
Begti ...	410	520	840		2,060	814	526
Skate ...	400	760	468		220	738	1,913
Soles ...	...	230	101		...	...	...
Turtles ...	...	1,200	...		(Five in No.)	...	(One in No.)
Halibut ...	...	...	...		60	122	112
Small Skates ...	...	...	...		...	...	...
Small Flats ...	...	...	...		1,680	2,811	291
Mixed ...	...	...	...		756	210	108
Red Flats ...	...	...	...		2,604	1,415	...
Total	8,660	14,239	12,344	4,634	15,968	18,195	8,574
GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	...	...	...	82,614lbs.
	Orissa coast.	Orissa coast.	Orissa coast.	Arakan coast.	Orissa coast.	Orissa coast.	Matlah light-vessel.

I would be well to refrain from too minute a comparison of the different fishery grounds at the present juncture. No stress can be laid on the discrepancy between the result observed off the Arakan coast and the Orissa coast; all, one can say; is that with the gear at present on board the *Golden Crown* the latter coast is more profitable. With nets capable of being used on rocky ground (i.e., with a bobbin foot rope) precisely the reverse statement might conceivably be made. The weight for the fourth trip is probably considerably under-estimated, even so the total weight for 35 days' fishing is 82,614 lbs., or 2,360 lbs. per day. That is to say, inspite of the drawbacks under which the *Golden Crown* has had to work, she has caught during the quarter well over a ton of fish per day's fishing. As explained above, with a trawler properly equipped, an increase of at least 25 per cent. could be expected.

It may not be amiss to remark here that the *Golden Crown* is a small and ancient type of trawler, and that her gear is by no means adequate for the work she has to perform, viz., the exploitation of the Bay. It is difficult to compare her catching power with a modern vessel with improved gear, but some appreciable percentage should be added to her catch if she be compared with a vessel of that type.

THE HANDLING AND MARKETING OF FISH.

When the catch is got aboard it is sorted, washed, weighed and then placed below in the ice-hold. When the vessel reaches Calcutta the fish is landed, some sent to the Lido Cold Storage, some to the Sir Stuart Hogg Market and some to Chingrighatta. The prices charged for the fish at the *Golden Crown*

stall in the New Market are appended for reference. It would be an easy matter to calculate from these figures the value of each separate landing from the *Golden Crown*, but as these prices are absolutely fixed it would serve no useful purpose to do so. Assuming the average catch per day's fishing of the *Golden Crown* to be not less than 2,400 lbs. then at the rate of 2d. per lb., the result of each day's fishing would be £20.

The figures given above of the weight caught per voyage need to be collected for a longer period, if only for the purpose of determining seasonal variations on different grounds.

CONCLUSION.

An appendix is attached with the names of the fish so far identified from the *Golden Crown's* catches. The list is provisional and incomplete and, in some cases, notably in the sciennoids, requires revision. So far as it goes, one learns that over 150 species of fish have been identified, and of these at least six are new to science.

APPENDIX.

List of fish captured by "Golden Crown" to December 31st, 1908.

THIS list must not be regarded as complete, but contains merely those identified at the time this report was written.

ELASMOBRANCHII—

Carchariidæ	...	...	Carcharias laticaudus.
			" sorrah.
			" menisorrah.
			" sp. nov.
			" temninckii.
			Zygæna blochii.
Scyllidæ	...	...	Stegostoma tigrinum.
			Ohiloscylidium griseum.
Pristidæ	...	...	Pristis annandalei (sp. nov.)
			" cuspidatus.
			" perrotteti.
			" syron.
			" pectinatus.
Rhinobatidæ	...	...	Rhynchoebatus djeddensis.
			Rhamphobatus ancylostomus.
			Rhinobatus granulatus.
Torpedinidæ	...	...	Narcine timlei.
			Gen. et. sp. nov.
			Astrape dipterygia.
Trygenidæ	...	...	Urogymnus asperrimus.
			Trygon gerrardi.
			" sephen.
			" imbricata.
			" zugei.
			" uarnak.
			" marginatus.
			" bleekeri.
			" walga.
			" microps.
			" favius.
Myliobatidæ	...	...	Pteroplatea micrura.
			" sonura.
			" tentaculata.
			Myliobatis nieuhoftii.
			" " var. nov.
			" maculata.
			Aetobatis narinari.
			" flagellum.

TELEOSTEI—

(1) *Physostomi*—

Muraenidae	...	...	Muraenesox cinereus.
Siluridae	...	...	Arius dussumieri. " thalassinus. " jella?
Chirocentridae	...	...	Chirocentrus dorab. Pellona filigera. " indica. " brachysoma. Chatoessus chacunda. " nasus.
Olupeidae	...	...	Engraulis taty. Dussumieria acuta. Opisthopterus tartoor. Raconda russelliana.
Scoepelidae	...	...	Saurus myops Saurida tumbil. Harpodon nehereus.
Scombresocidae	...	...	Exocoetus poseiopterus.

(2) *Acanthopterygii*—

Percidae	...	...	Serranus lanceolatus. Lutjanus annularis. " johnii. " malabaricus. Priacanthus holocentrum. Apogon quadrifasciatus. Therapon jarbua. " theraps. Pristipoma maculatum. " hasta. Synagris japonicus. " striatus. Gerres filamentosus. Pentaprion sp. Ambassis ranga.
Chaetodontidae	...	...	Scatophagus argus. Ephippus orbis. Drepane punctata.
Mullidae	...	...	Upeneoides vittatus. " sulphureus.
Sparidae	...	...	Pagrus spinifer. Chrysophrys datnia. " berda.
Scorpaenidae	...	...	Pterois russellii. Apistus carinatus. Minous ocoineus. " monodactylus. Sebastichthys strongia.
Berycidae	...	...	Holocentrum rubrum.
Kurtidae	...	...	Kurtus indicus.
Polynemidae	...	...	Polynemus sextarius. " indicus. " plebeius.
Sciaenidae	...	...	Umbrina dussumieri. Sciaena diacanthus. " ossea. Sciaenoides brunneus. Otolithus maculatus. " ruber.
Trichiuridae	...	...	Trichiurus muticus. " haumela. " savala.

TELLOSTEI—continued.

(2) *Acanthopterygii*—continued.

			{	<i>Caranx rottleri</i> .
				„ <i>kurra</i> .
				„ <i>guptæ</i> (sp. nov.)
				„ <i>djedaba</i> .
				„ <i>atropus</i> .
				„ <i>armatus</i> .
				„ <i>malabaricus</i> .
				„ <i>gallus</i> .
				„ <i>ciliaris</i> ?
				„ <i>sp. nov.</i>
				<i>Seriola nigrofasciata</i> .
				<i>Ochorinemus lysan</i> .
				„ <i>moadetta</i> .
				<i>Equula edentula</i> .
				„ <i>splondens</i> .
				„ <i>insidiatrix</i> .
				„ <i>ruconius</i> .
			{	<i>Stromateus cinereus</i> .
				„ <i>niger</i> .
				„ <i>sinensis</i> .
			{	<i>Mene maculata</i> .
			{	<i>Scomber microlepidotus</i> .
				<i>Cybbium guttatum</i> .
				<i>Elacate nigra</i> .
				<i>Echeneis naucrates</i> .
			{	<i>Uranoscopus cognatus</i> .
				„ <i>guttatus</i> .
				„ <i>crassiceps</i> .
			{	<i>Sillago panijus</i> .
				„ <i>sihama</i> .
			{	<i>Halieutæa stellata</i> .
			{	<i>Platycephalus scaber</i> .
				„ <i>insidiatrix</i> .
			{	<i>Dactylopterus orientalis</i> .
			{	<i>Callionymus longicaudatus</i> .
			{	<i>Sphyræna sp.</i>
			{	<i>Fistularia serrata</i> .
			{	<i>Amphisile scutata</i> .
			{	<i>Psettodes erumei</i> .
				<i>Pseudorhombus arsius</i> .
				<i>Platophrys pantherina</i> .
				<i>Solea oculus</i> .
				<i>Synaptura commersoniana</i> .
				„ <i>altipinnis</i> .
				<i>Plagusia marmorata</i> .
				<i>Cynoglossus puncticeps</i> .
				„ <i>macrolepidotus</i> .
				<i>Rhomboidiothys valderostratus</i> .
				„ <i>polylepis</i> .
				„ <i>azureus</i> .
			{	<i>Triacanthus biaculeatus</i> .
				„ <i>brevirostris</i> .
			{	<i>Ostracion nasus</i> .
			{	<i>Tetrodon oblongus</i> .
				„ <i>outoutia</i> .
				„ <i>nigropunctatus</i> .
				„ <i>stellatus</i> .

(3) *Plectognathi*—

Sclerodermi

Gymnodontes

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WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 22nd March 1909.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	Weather hot. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops going on. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of potatoes continuing. Cattle-disease reported in some places. Fodder and water sufficient. Preparation of lands for sugarcane in progress.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	Weather seasonable. Common rice selling at 9 seers per rupee at Rampurhat. Fodder sufficient. Dearth of water in some places in the subdivision.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane nearly finished. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE .	Nil	10	10	Transplantation of summer rice finished. Condition of <i>rabi til</i> not good for want of rain. Prospects of summer rice fair in Tamluk and bad in the Ghatal subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Gopiballabhpur, Binpur, Kharagpur, Narayangarh, Keshiari and Salbani. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 12 seers per rupee at Contai, 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers at Tamluk and at 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ..	Nil	9	9	Weather hot. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops and potatoes fair. Pressing of sugarcane continuing. Prices of food-grains stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. Rain wanted in the Sadar and Arambagh subdivisions. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. <i>Boro</i> paddy suffering badly from want of rain. Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops fair. No cattle-disease reported.
7	24-PARGANAS	Nil	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	Weather seasonable and hot. Common rice selling at 8 seers a rupee at Barasat, 10 seers at Basirhat, 10 seers at Diamond Harbour and at 9 seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Ploughing of lands going on. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Damurhuda, Karimpore, Meherpur and Gangani thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, &c.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
9	MURSHIDABAD	Inches. Nil	9½	9½	Weather hot. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Prospects fair. Pressing of sugarcane continuing in the Kandi and Lalbagh subdivisions. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Transplantation of <i>boro</i> paddy finished in the Jangipur subdivision. Fodder sufficient. Water sufficient in the Sadar and Lalbagh subdivisions, but insufficient in the Jangipur and Kandi subdivisions. No cattle-disease.
10	JESSORE ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Rain badly wanted in all parts of the district for cultivation. Fodder and water insufficient. Condition of agricultural stock good. Cattle-disease prevalent in the Narail and Jhenidah subdivisions.
11	KHULNA ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of famine. Prospects of standing crops not favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water insufficient in some places.
12	PATNA ...	...	...	9½ 15½*	Report not received.
13	GAYA ...	Nil	{ 10½† 14½*	{ 10½† 14½*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of poppy and other <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Prices slightly rising. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient for the present except in the Nawadah subdivision. Cattle-disease in one village in Nawadah.
14	SHAHABAD ...	Nil	{ 9½ 15*	{ 9½ 14*	Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops and planting of sugarcane in progress. Poppy lancing continuing. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks below normal. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	{ 10 15*	{ 10 15*	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane, harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops, sowing of indigo and planting of sugarcane going on. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and progress of the crops, &c.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Inches. Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 15\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9 \\ 15\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather becoming hot. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops progressing; that of oilseeds approaching completion. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient. In the northern part of the district loans being issued for excavation and re-excavation of tanks for water-supply for cattle.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 10\frac{1}{2} \\ 14\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 10\frac{1}{2} \\ 14\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Common rice and maize selling at 8½ and 14½ seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops in progress. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Belsand and Pupri. Fodder sufficient at present. Water getting scarce. Scarcity existing in parts of the Sitamarhi subdivision. Number of persons on test-works on the 20th instant—141 men, 99 women and 48 children—total 288. Number of persons on gratuitous relief and in poor-houses on the 18th instant—149.
18	DARRHANGA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13 \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13 \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops approaching completion; outturn poor. Food-stocks sufficient. Cattle-disease in four villages. Fodder reported to be sufficient except in thana Bahera. Number of persons on relief-works on the 18th instant—37,934. Number of persons gratuitously relieved—13,515. Maize selling at 13 seers a rupee at Sadar but dearer in the interior.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9 \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 9 \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops and sowing of paddy continuing. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Cattle-disease reported from Gogri, Bakhtiarpur and Khagaria. Fodder and water scarce in some places in the Jamui subdivision.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 13\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable with strong west winds. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops commenced. Prospects of these crops fair on <i>diara</i> and irrigated lands, but bad elsewhere. Sowing of paddy and <i>mung</i> going on in low lands of the Madhipura and Supaul subdivisions. Rain urgently wanted for further sowings. Weeding and irrigation of sugarcane commenced in Banka. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till the next harvest. Distress among the poorer classes in the Supaul and Madhipura subdivisions. 162 men, 416 women and 428 children—total 1,006—gratuitously relieved in Madhipura, and 92 men, 185 women and 426 children—total 703—in Supaul. 946 men, 1,021 women and 244 children—total 2,211—on test-works in Madhipura, and 1,734 men, 11,683 women and 284 children—total 13,101 in Supaul; besides a large number on private works.
21	PURNA ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 12 \end{array} \right.$	8	Weather dry and hot. Prospects of standing crops continuing to be bad. Rain very badly required for agricultural operations. Paddy and <i>kauni</i> being sown on low lands where moisture existing. Fodder getting scarce in many places, and scarcity of water both for men and cattle existing in many localities. Condition of agricultural stock fair so far. Cattle-disease reported from Kasba outpost. Labourers and poorer agriculturists feeling distress acutely. 193 men, 149 women and 46 children—total 388—relieved gratuitously, 48 men, 5 women, and 2 children—total 55—on test-works in Gopalpur and Amour. Common rice selling at 8 seers a rupee at Araria. Kishanganj report not received.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
			4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	DARJEELING ...	Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 14^{\circ} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \\ 14^{\circ} \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Hills—Wheat and barley growing. Oilseeds being harvested. Maize and potatoes being sown. Terai—Pressing of sugarcane still going on. Harvesting of potatoes and tobacco not yet finished. Lands being ploughed for jute and <i>bhadoi</i> crops. Rain badly wanted. Prospects worse. Prices stationary. Agricultural stock in good condition.
23	SONTHAL PARAGANAS.	...	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 10\frac{1}{2} \\ 12^{\circ} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 10\frac{1}{2} \\ 12^{\circ} \end{array} \right.$	Weather hot. Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops in the Godda and Rajmahal subdivisions not favourable. Prospects of <i>mahua</i> good. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. Fodder and water insufficient in the Godda, Pakour and Rajmahal subdivisions.
24	OUTTACK ...	Nil	$11\frac{1}{2}$	$10\frac{1}{2}$	<i>Dalua</i> paddy in ear. Tobacco maturing. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	$12\frac{1}{2}$	$12\frac{1}{2}$	Weather seasonable. Threshing of <i>saradh</i> paddy and pressing of sugarcane nearly finished. <i>Dalua</i> paddy in ear. Vegetables doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water and food-stocks sufficient. Prices stationary. Common rice selling at 13 seers per rupee at Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	0·08	15	15	Weather seasonable. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee at the Khondmals. Fodder and water available.
27	PURI ...	Nil	$9\frac{1}{8}$	$9\frac{1}{8}$	Sugarcane growing. <i>Dalua</i> paddy and castor being harvested. <i>Mung</i> ripening. Common rice selling at $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee at Khurda. 27 men, 120 women and 237 children—total 384—attending kitchens. 12 men, 158 women and 6 children—total 176—receiving gratuitous relief.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	Nil	13	13	Fields being improved for next harvest. Planting of sugarcane in progress. Condition of vegetables good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water-supply sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Rinderpest and foot-and-mouth disease reported. Common rice selling at $13\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee at Bargarh.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
29	HAZARIBAGH...	Inches. Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 12\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 12 \end{array} \right.$	Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Watering of sugarcane commenced. Fodder sufficient.
30	RANOHI ...	Nil	9	9	Weather getting hot. Ploughing continuing. Dropping of <i>mahua</i> in full swing. Cattle-disease reported from six thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops in full swing. Their prospects good. <i>Mahua</i> falling. Fodder and water available. Some cattle-disease. About 200 persons on gratuitous relief from the District Board funds in pargana Japla.
32	MANRHUM ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Planting of sugarcane almost completed. Cultivation of wheat scanty. Outturn of winter rice estimated at 108 per cent. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease not reported. Condition of agricultural stock good. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Common rice selling at $9\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate.
33	SINGHRHUM ...	Nil	9	$9\frac{1}{2}$	Weather getting hot. Fields being prepared for early rice. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 10 and 12 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8	8	Preparation of lands for jute and sowing of <i>bitri</i> paddy continuing. Rain urgently wanted. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water sufficient.
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.†	.....	.. ..	.....	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of oilseeds and pulses in Baramba, of wheat in Narsingpur and Nayagarh, of castor in Mayurbhanj and of <i>mung</i> in Nayagarh going on. Planting of sugarcane in progress in Pal-Lahara, Narsingpur, Dhenkanal, Athmallik, Kalahandi, Rairakhol and Nayagarh. Ploughing of lands for next season's crops continuing in Keonjhar, Nilgiri and Gangpur. Condition of standing crops good in Daspalla, Hindol, Athgarh, and Gangpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 9 seers in Keonjhar and 12 seers in Narsingpur and Mayurbhanj to 16 seers in Kalahandi and Gangpur and 18 seers in Patna and Talcher.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.
† The report is for the week ending the 13th March 1909.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—There was no rain during the week except a nominal shower of 0·08 inch in Angul. More rain is wanted in Hooghly, Jessore, Cooch Behar and in North Bihar for cultivation of lands. Planting of sugarcane and ploughing of lands continue. Sowing of early paddy has commenced on low lands of Monghyr, Bhagalpur and Purnea, where moisture is available. Harvesting of *rabi* crops is going on. Their outturn will be poor in the unirrigated tracts of North Bihar. *Mahua* is falling in Ranchi, Palamau and Manbhum. Its prospects are reported to be good in the Sonthal Parganas. The price of common rice has risen in Burdwan, Jessore, Gaya, Champaran, the Sonthal Parganas and Singhbhum, and has fallen in Birbhum, Darjeeling and Cuttack. Cattle-disease is reported from Burdwan, Midnapore, Nadia, Jessore, Gaya, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Purnea, Sambalpur, Ranchi and Palamau. Fodder is reported to be insufficient in places in Jessore, Khulna, Gaya, Darbhanga, Purnea and the Sonthal Parganas. The water-supply is getting scarce in many parts of North Bihar and also in parts of Birbhum, Murshidabad, Jessore, Khulna, Gaya, Monghyr and the Sonthal Parganas. 15,655 persons attended test-works in Muzaffarpur, Bhagalpur and Purnea and 37,934 persons were on famine relief-works in Darbhanga. 15,961 persons were gratuitously relieved in Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Palamau and 560 in Puri.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 23rd March 1909.

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February 1908.

District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	Number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th October 1907 up to 29th Feb- ruary 1908.	Average rainfall from 16th October to 29th Feb- ruary 1908.		
Meda ..	Krishnagar ..	0'04	..	0'02	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	NH	1'56	0'08	1'10	0'04	2'09	3'33
Peta ..	Jalampur... ..	0'50	0'56	..	0'50	0'53	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1'99	?	3'19	?		
Sera ..	Bhorch	0'19	0'19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	0'38	?	1'18	?			
Champan ..	Ramnagar ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	NH	?	NH	.....	?		
	Markotaganj ..	0'23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0'23	?	0'48	?			
Musafarpur ..	Mahua ..	0'22	0'33	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1'37	0'58	0'92	2'09	2'03		
Darbhanga ..	Darbhang ..	0'32	0'33	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1'17	0'45	0'53	1'40	2'22		
Monghyr... ..	Shailhpura ..	1'10	0'45	..	..	0'15	0'45	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	0'33	2'15	0'48	1'10	2'31		
	Dumka... ..	0'36	0'50	0'07	..	..	0'15	0'32	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1'48	1'18	0'71	1'59	3'13	
central Par- ganas.	Barharwa ..	0'45	0'30	..	..	0'14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	0'33	0'36	0'46	1'75	2'36		
Orissa Tribu- tary Mahals.	Kunjibaugurh ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	NH	0'70	NH	0'29	NH	4'26	5'49
	Konjhar ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	NH	1'38	NH	0'46	NH	2'59	3'03
	Nayagarh ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	NH	1'45	NH	0'79	NH	4'36	5'54
	Banspur ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	NH	1'00	NH	0'72	NH	2'12	3'06
	Ahtmalik ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	NH	?	NH	?	NH	1'36	?
	Hindol	NH	?	NH	?	NH	2'53
Hasaribagh ..	Bangor ..	0'45	0'35	0'50	1'10	0'55	0'37	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1'29	3'49	0'79	1'10	.....	3'03
	Palhot ..	..	..	0'05	0'12	0'50	0'42	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2'14	1'09	0'60	0'66	2'56	3'43
Palamu ..	Huminabad ..	..	..	..	..	0'50	1'20	0'60	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1'13	2'36	0'68	1'29	3'12	3'49
	Mahaduar ..	..	..	..	..	1'00	1'70	0'86	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	?	4'16	?	1'79	2'59	?
Manbhum ..	Patan ..	0'19	0'11	0'49	2'23	0'26	5	?	3'27	?	2'22	3'77	?
	Koilapal	NH	?	NH	?	NH	?
Highbhum ..	Chakradharpur	NH	1'47	NH	0'97	NH	0'79	2'05

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April 1908.

May 1908.

District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 10th May 1908 to 31st May 1908.	Average rainfall from 10th May to 31st May.	
Darbhanga	Darbhanga	0.1	0.30	0.23	0.15	0.05	4	3.93	0.74	2.89	0.90	0.43	1.35
Monghyr	Monghyr	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0.04	0.01	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0.10	..	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.03	0.10	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	2.90	1.63	2.18	0.29	1.53	1.53	
Purnea	Purnea	0.14	0.33	0.33	0.42	..	0.43	1.92	..	0.95	..	7	5.34	3.27	4.72	1.22	2.45	2.56
Sonthal Parganas.	Dumka	0.18	0.08	..	0.01	0.13	0.04	3	5.21	1.21	3.59	0.86	1.21	2.16
	Sarwan	..	..	..	..	..	..	1.39	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0.15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2.14	1.34	1.33	1.20	0.78	0.59	
Balsore	Balsore	2.49	1.27	0.25	3	7.74	4.01	5.14	2.45	9.25	8.19
Banchi	Tamar	0.25	..	0.38	0.38	0.15	0.03	0.14	0.18	0.03	6	2.37	1.53	1.51	0.53	0.61	0.97
Palamanu	Palamanu	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Nil	2.07	0.02	1.04	0.03	0.02	0.81	
Chakradharpur	Chakradharpur	..	..	..	..	..	0.08	0.10	..	0.10	1.23	3.70	0.04	0.04	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	5.92	5.24	3.97	3.76	Nil	1.89	

June 1908.														Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 10th May 1908 to 30th June.	Average rainfall from 10th May to 30th June.	
Saran	Chapra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	7.61	2.60	0.62	1.03	3.00	7.51
Champaran	Ramnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	7	3.10	1	1.15	3.54	1
Bhagalpur	Banka	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	10.06	3.75	8.08	1.00	3.75	9.30
Haaribagh	Rangar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	8.07	2.30	0.19	0.40	...	9.31
Palamanu	Palamanu	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	8.43	...	0.12	...	...	6.93
Chatterpur	Chatterpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	7	0.89	1	0.74	...	1
Chakradharpur	Chakradharpur	5	11.64	3.05	5.98	3.13	10.97	10.97
Singbhum	Ghatila	13	11.27	12.98	10.02	3.95	14.90	13.16

October 1908.

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PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

			QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN																	
DIVISION.	Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			COMMON RICE.						JOWAR OR CHOLU (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>).			BAJRA OR COMBU. (<i>Pennisetum typhoid- sum</i>).		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Average.			Cheapest.			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
									Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.						
BENGAL.			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
SUNDERMAN DIVISION.	1	Burdwan ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	8 0	7 8	10 8	8 12	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Barham ..	7 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	9 6	New 9 0	7 8	9 6	New 9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Bankura ..	8 8	7 8	8 8	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	7 4	10 8	10 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4	Midnapore ...	6 8	6 0	8 0	...	...	...	10 14	11 1	7 6	11 7	11 7	7 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5	Hooghly ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 0	6 8	9 8	8 8	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Howrah ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
PARTURIST DIVISION.	7	24-Parganas ...	8 0	7 4	7 0	...	...	...	9 0	8 8	7 8	10 4	9 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Calcutta ..	7 4	7 0	7 0	12 10	12 0	9 0	7 12	7 0	6 8	10 0	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	7 0
	9	Nadia ..	8 0	No avail- able.	9 8	11 12	...	...	9 2	8 8	7 0	9 2	9 2	7 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	10	Murshidabad	10 8	8 8	9 8	13 8	13 0	14 0	9 0	8 8	7 8	10 0	9 12	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11	Jessore ..	6 8	6 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	7 13	8 7	7 10	9 2	9 6	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	12	Khulna ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	8 0	9 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
BIHAR.			New	...	...	New	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
PATNA DIVISION.	13	Patna ...	9 0	8 0	7 8	18 8	17 8	11 0	9 8	9 0	7 12	...	10 4	9 0	16 4	...	8 12	...	...	...
	14	Gaya ...	9 3	7 7	7 8	16 6	16 0	9 0	9 3	9 4	7 0	10 12	10 12	7 8	15 6	15 1	8 8	...	...	...
	15	Shahabad ...	8 0	8 0	7 12	14 0	14 0	10 0	9 8	9 4	7 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	16	Saran ..	9 0	8 0	7 0	16 0	15 0	Not avail- able.	9 0	8 0	7 8	10 0	10 0	8 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	17	Champanan ...	8 0	8 0	6 0	17 0	16 0	12 0	8 0	8 0	7 4	9 0	9 4	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	18	Muzaffarpur ...	8 0	8 8	6 8	12 0	12 0	13 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	10 0	10 0	8 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
THERY DIVISION.	19	Darbhanga ...	7 11	7 11	7 11	17 9	17 9	11 0	7 0	7 0	7 11	8 8	8 8	8 12	...	...	...	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 20½ seers; Asansol 21 seers; Kalna 22½ seers; Raniganj 21 seers.
B. At Raniganj Hat the retail price of salt is 22 seers per rupee.
C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 22 seers per rupee.
D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Contal 20 seers (Liverpool); Tamluk 20 seers; Ghatal 22½ seers (Pang.).
E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sorampore 20 seers; Arambagh 16 seers.
F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 20 seers per rupee (panga).
G. In the parts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetia 22½ seers (karkatoh); Barasat 16 seers; Baduria 21½ seers; Mograhat 21 seers; Vishnupur 16 seers; Barrackpore 16 seers.
H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushia 21 seers (panga); Chudanga 16 seers (karkatoh); Meherpur 20 seers (karkatoh); Nanaghat 17 seers (crushed).

ation Basara of the districts of Bengal on the 15th March 1909.

ERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

WHOLESALE PRICES
PER MAUND OF FORTY
SEERS.

MARUA OR RAGI (Eleusine Coracana).			KANGNI OR KAKUM ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica).			GRAM, GHANA, CHHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA (Cicer arietinum).			INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (Zea mays).			ARRAR (dal) OR TEUR, CADJAN PEA (Cajanus indicus).			SALT.			SALT.			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
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...	to 8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	Crushed Bombay	19 0	19 8	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	
...	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	E	20 0	17 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 3 0	5
...	8 8	8 8	9 6	7 0	7 0	7 12	F	16 0	20 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 12 0	6
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...	12 0	10 0	10 0	15 0	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	N	20 0	20 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	15
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2 0	12 0	Not sold.	9 0	9 0	9 0	14 8	14 12	9 8	8 0	8 0	6 8	Q	19 0	18 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 6	18
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I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 19 seers; Lalbagh 20 seers; and Kandi 20 seers.

J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 15½ seers; Magura 16 seers; Bangaon 21 seers; and Narail 14½ seers (panga).

K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 16 seers (panga); Satkhira 22½ seers.

L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 20 seers; Dinapore 16 seers; and Bihar 15½ seers.

M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Aurangabad 20 seers; Nawadah 20 seers; and Jehanabad report not received.

N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 20 seers; Bhabhua 19½ seers; and Sasaram 20 seers.

O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 20½ seers (panga); Gopalganj 19½ seers (panga).

P. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 19 seers per rupee.

Q. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Sitamarhi 20 seers; Hajipur 20 seers.

R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 20 seers; Madhubani 10½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

			QUANTITIES PER RUPEE 1																	
DIVISION.	Number.	DISTRICTS	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			COMMON RICE.						JOWAR OR GHOLU (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>)			BAJRA OR CUMBU (<i>Pennisetum typhaleum</i>).		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Average.			Cheapest.			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
									Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.						
BIHAR—continued.			S. Ob.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BRABALPUR DIVISION.	20	Monghyr ...	8 12	8 12	7 4	14 8	13 8	...	8 11	8 4	7 12	9 0	8 8	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	21	Bhagalpur	8 8	8 8	7 4	15 4	15 2	11 6	7 4	7 4	7 9	8 14	8 14	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	22	Patna ...	7 0	7 8	7 0	...	...	...	6 12	6 5½	7 8	Ran- goon. 9 8	8 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	23	Darjeeling ..	6 0	5 8	5 0	5 8	5 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 0 } to 6 0 }	8 8	8 8	6 0 } to 7 0 }	...	...	...	...	...	...
	24	Donthal Parganas.	7 0	7 0	6 4	11 0	9 0	7 8	9 12	8 8	7 0	10 8	9 10	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ORISSA.																				
ORISSA DIVISION.	25	Cuttack ..	6 0	6 14	7 14	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	7 14	10 8	10 8	8 3	...	...	...	...	...	...
	26	Balasore ..	7 2	7 2	7 0	...	...	...	12 0	11 12	8 4	12 8	12 8	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	27	Angul ...	5 0	5 0	5 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	7 0	15 0	15 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	28	Puri ...	7 14	7 3	7 3	...	...	...	9 3	10 8	7 3	11 2	11 2	7 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	29	Sambalpur...	9 0	7 8	8 4	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	8 8	13 0	13 0	9 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR																				
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.	30	Hasaribagh	6 8	6 12	6 8	9 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	8 8	9 0	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	31	Ranchi ...	7 0 } to 8 0 }	6 0 } to 7 0 }	6 8 } to 7 0 }	10 0	10 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	6 4	10 8	10 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	32	Palamau ...	9 0	7 0	7 5	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	7 5	10 2	10 2	8 7	...	...	...	...	...	...
	33	Manbhum ..	7 8	7 0	7 8	11 0	10 0	12 0	10 0	10 0	7 0	11 0	11 0	7 8	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	...
	34	Hughbhum	8 0	6 12	7 8	...	...	...	7 8	7 0	6 0	9 8	9 8	6 8	...	...	...	...	...	...

B. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Begusarai 20 seers; Jamui 20 seers

T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 17½ seers; Madhipura 13 seers; Supaul 20 seers.

U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 16 seers; Basantpur 16 seers.

V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 15½ seers; Siliguri 16 seers

W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Godda 16 seers; Deoghur 20 seers; Pakour, Rajmahal and Jamtara reports not received.

CALCUTTA.

The 20th March 1909.

ation Basars of the districts of Bengal on the 15th March 1909—concl.

ERS OF EIGHTY TOLAHS.

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JARUA OR RAGI (Sesuvium Corcoran).						KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Sesaria italica).						GRAM, GHANA, JHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (Cicer arietinum).						INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (Zea mays).							ARHAR (dal) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (Cajanus indicus).						SALT.						SALT.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																						
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X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 18 seers (panga); Jajpur 18 seers.

Y. The retail price of salt at Bhadrak is 19 seers.

Z. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bantla 16 seers (karkatch); Phulbari 12 seers.

a. The retail price of salt per rupee at Khurda is 24 seers.

b. The retail price of salt per rupee at Bargarh is 13 seers (Bombay).

c. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Dhanbaid 16 seers; Jhalda 16 seers.

Published for general information.

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c.,

Number.	MARKS.	PRICE PER MAUND 0											
		RICE (BEST SORT).			COMMON RICE.						WHEAT (<i>Triticum sativum</i>).		
					Average.			Cheapest.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	6 10 0	6 14 0	7 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 10 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0
2	Burdwan ..	4 8 0	5 5 0	5 10 0	4 4 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	3 12 0	4 6 0	4 7 0	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ..	4 12 0	4 12 0	6 0 0	...	3 12 0	5 5 0	3 7 0	3 6 0	4 12 0	...	...	...
4	Patna ..	6 10 0	7 0 0	7 10 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	5 2 0	3 10 0	3 12 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 15 0	5 6 0
5	Muzaffarpur	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 14 0	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 13 6	5 0 0	4 11 6	4 11 6
6	Bhagalpur ..	6 4 0	6 6 0	6 4 0	5 9 8	5 9 6	5 4 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 8 0
7	Cuttack ..	7 3 0	7 3 0	7 3 0	3 12 11	3 12 11	5 3 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 14 2	6 10 8	5 13 9	5 1 0
8	Sambalpur ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	3 1 6	3 1 6	4 7 0	2 15 0	2 15 0	4 2 0	4 3 6	5 0 0	4 11 6
9	Ranchi ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	8 0 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	6 5 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	5 4 0	5 0 0 to 5 12 0	5 12 0 to 6 8 0	5 8 0 to 6 0 0

No.	MARKS.	INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (<i>Zea mays</i>).			ARHAR DAL OR TUR— CADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).			LINSEED.			MUSTARD AND RAPSEED.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 12 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	4 8 0	5 2 0	6 0 0
2	Burdwan ...	...	...	...	New. 4 0 0	4 4 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	New. 5 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0
3	Midnapore ...	...	...	...	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 4 0	5 2 0 Black mustard. 5 8 0 Rapseed. 4 8 0	5 4 0 6 14 0 5 4 0	7 0 0 New 6 0 0
4	Patna ...	2 8 0	2 10 0	3 12 0	4 3 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	4 15 0	6 0 0	5 14 0	4 10 0	4 14 0	6 0 0
5	Muzaffarpur ...	2 12 0	2 11 6	4 3 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Bhagalpur ...	2 14 0	2 14 0	4 3 0	New. 4 8 0	4 14 0	4 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 12 0	4 2 0 Mustard. 4 2 0 Rapseed 3 12 0	5 4 0 6 4 0 3 12 0	...
7	Cuttack ...	...	...	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 9 0	...	...	...	5 11 5	6 13 0	6 13 0
8	Sambalpur ...	...	...	...	5 8 0	6 2 6	6 4 0	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	9 0 0
9	Ranchi ...	...	...	...	5 5 0 to 8 0 0	5 12 0 to 8 0 0	6 10 0 to 8 0 0	5 0 0 to 6 0 0	5 0 0 to 6 12 0	10 0 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	8 0 0

undermentioned Mats of Bengal on the 15th March 1909.

MATS STANDARD SEEDS.

RAJY (Hordew vulgar).			JWAR OR CHOLUM (Andropogon Sorghum).			BAJRA OR CUMBU (Pennisetum typhoides).			MARUA OR RAGI (Eleusine coracana).			GRAM, CHANA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (Cicer arisidum).			Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4 0	3 0 0	4 2 0	...	...	...	2 9 0	2 10 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	3 14 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	New 3 0 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 12 0	4 8 0 to 5 0 0	4 8 0 to 5 0 0	3
1 0	2 8 0	3 10 0	...	...	4 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 6 0	New 4 0 0	4
5 3	3 5 3	3 1 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 3	3 5 3	...	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5
0 0	2 11 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	New 3 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Biri or kadal. 3 3 5	4 5 7	4 5 4	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	8
0 0	4 0 0	5 9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	9

TIL OR JINJILI SEED.			SUGAR (RAW).			COTTON (CLEANED).			JUTE.			No.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
5 4 0	5 4 0	6 8 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	1
...	...	...	7 0 0	5 14 0	4 2 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
...	...	...	7 8 0	7 0 0	4 12 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...	3
4 15 0	5 4 0	New. 7 0 0	4 0 0 to 4 4 0 4 7 0	7 8 0	5 6 0	21 0 0	20 0 0	23 0 0	...	...	...	4
...	...	...	4 0 0 to 4 4 0 4 7 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	19 0 0	...	...	...	5
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 4 0	19 0 0	19 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...	6
6 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 11 5	5 3 9	5 3 9	20 5 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	...	...	...	7
4 12 0	4 12 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 8 0	8
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	23 0 0	...	...	...	9

[Continued overleaf]

PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c.,

Number	MARKS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.									HIDES (COW)			GRASS.		
		GHI (CLARIFIED BUTTER).			TORAOCO LEAF.											
		Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.									
								Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
1	Calcutta	40 0 0	40 0 0	42 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	400 0 0	400 0 0	400 0 0	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 2 0			
2	Burdwan	34 0 0	35 0 0	40 0 0	... Madhukhali.			... Uncleaned per piece.			...	-	-			
3	Midnapore	86 0 0	87 0 0	37 0 0	13 0 0	13 8 0	9 4 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	1 12 0	...	-	-			
		to	to	to	Paltu.			2 12 0	3 8 0	2 8 0						
		39 0 0	39 0 0	43 0 0	15 0 0	15 0 0	10 10 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	...	-	-			
								to	to	to						
4	Patna	30 0 0	30 0 0	36 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	2 0 0	...	...	40 0 0	...	...	0 7 0
		to	to	to	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0									
5	Muzaffarpur	30 7 6	30 7 6	37 10 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	-	-	-	-	-	-			
6	Bhagalpur	82 0 0	82 0 0	42 2 0	10 8 0	10 8 0	12 0 0	..	..	..	...	...	-
7	Cuttack	41 14 5	47 9 0	47 9 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	30 0 0	Permaund.	30 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0			
8	Sambalpur	34 8 0	34 8 0	39 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	40 0 0	Per maund.	40 0 0	-			
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		35 8 0	35 8 0													
9	Ranchi	33 8 0	33 0 0	40 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	3 0 0	Per piece.	3 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 10 0			
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Number	MARKS.	PRICE PER MAUND OF											
		FIREWOOD			SALT.			BHOOSA.			BRAN.		
1	Calcutta	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	Panga.	1 9 0	1 9 6	1 10 0	1 12 0	1 14 0	2 14 0	2 18 0	
2	Burdwan	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	Panga.	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	Not available			3 4 0	3 7 0
3	Midnapore	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	Crushed.	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	Ditto			0 6 0	0 6 0
					Bombay.	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 0 0					
4	Patna	0 7 0	0 8 0	0 6 6	Panga.	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 2 0	1 2 0	2 4 0	1 14 0	
5	Muzaffarpur	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	Panga.	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 1 6	0 10 6	0 10 6	3 10 0	3 10 0	
6	Bhagalpur	0 6 6	0 6 6	0 6 0	Panga.	1 15 6	1 15 6	1 14 7 1/2	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	
7	Cuttack	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	Karkatch.	1 7 0	1 7 0	1 7 0	Not sold			0 10 0	0 10 0
					Karkatch.				Ditto			Not available	
8	Sambalpur	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0		2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0					
9	Ranchi	0 4 6	0 4 6	0 5 3	Panga.	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 15th March 1909—concl.

STRAW.			JOAR STALKS.			PRICE PER MAUND OF FORTY STANDARD SEERS.			MARTS.	Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
5 10 0	0 10 0	0 14 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	Calcutta	1
0 6 0	0 6 0	0 8 0	Burdwan	2
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0 12 0	0 12 0	0 7 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	2 8 0 to 5 0 0	3 0 0 to 5 0 0	Patna	4
..	3 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	Muzaffarpur	5
..	...	...	..	..	..	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	Bhagalpur	6
0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	..	..	..	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	Cuttack	7
..	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	Sambalpur	8
0 12 0	0 10 0	0 14 0	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	Ranchi	9

FORTY STANDARD SEERS.

FORTY STANDARD SEERS.						PRICE PER ANIMAL.			MARTS.	Number.	
OATS.			KEROSENE OIL.			SLAUGHTER CATTLE.					
3 4 0	3 12 0	...	Per case. 4 4 0 4 4 0		...	Cow. 42 0 0 42 0 0 Calf. 6 0 0 6 0 0			Calcutta	...	1
Not available			5 0 0 5 0 0		...	Not sold.					
.						Full grown. 8 0 0 8 0 0 to to 12 0 0 12 0 0			Midnapore	...	3
5 0 0	5 0 0	...	{ 4 9 0 4 9 0 to to 4 14 0 4 14 0 }		...	Goat and sheep. 3 0 0 3 0 0 to to 5 0 0 5 0 0					
Not sold			Per case. 3 5 0 4 4 0		...	Buffalo and Calf Not sold.			Patna	...	4
4 0 0	4 7 0	...	Per tin. 2 0 0 2 0 0		...	Calf. 15 0 0 15 0 0 Cow. 20 0 0 30 0 0			Muzaffarpur	...	5
.						Goat. 5 0 0 5 0 0 Cow. 20 0 0 20 0 0					
4 5 0	4 5 0	...	5 0 0 5 0 0		...	Cow. Rs. 10 to Rs. 10 to Rs. 20 Rs. 20.			Cuttack	...	7
5 1 4	5 1 4	...	7 8 0 7 8 0		...	Calf. Rs. 2 to Rs. 2 to Rs. 10. 10.					
Not available			Per case. 4 3 0 4 3 0 to to 6 14 0 6 14 0		...	Full grown. 3 8 0 3 8 0 Full grown. 9 0 0 9 0 0 to to 16 0 0 16 0 0			Sambalpur	...	8
						Calf. 5 0 0 5 8 0 to to 10 0 0 10 0 0					
5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Per case. 3 13 0 5 6 0 to to 5 8 0 7 0 0		...				Ranchi	...	9

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 20th March 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.




NATURE OF CARGO.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 20TH MARCH 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 21ST MARCH 1908.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	283	96,360	1,461	516	1,43,334	2,482
Jute	59	31,800*	318	116	51,750†	656
Firewood	18	16,675	255	130	1,10,325	1,682
Other articles	615	1,84,125	2,051	760	2,31,827	2,968
Total	975	3,28,960	4,085	1,522	5,37,236	7,777

* Weight by canal measurement, 53,692½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 52,887½ ..

CALCUTTA,
The 23rd March 1909.

G. G. DEY,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 14th to 20th March 1909.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	TEMPERATURE.				HYGROMETRY.				WIND.		Rains	WEATHER
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1909.				Inches.						Inches					Inches.	
March	14th	146.4	9.2	29.881	77.6	95.5	34.0	61.5	62.6	0.382	51.4	47	WSW, WNW and calm.	66	Nil	Clear,  .
"	15th	142.2	9.0	.887	81.4	95.3	25.6	69.0	66.5	.493	58.6	47	SW by S, WSW and SW by W.	110	Nil	Chiefly clear.
"	16th	145.5	9.1	.894	83.0	96.5	25.2	71.3	69.6	.582	63.2	56	WSW, WNW and SSW.	138	Nil	Clear.
"	17th	143.7	8.9	.855	84.4	97.4	24.2	73.2	71.2	.624	65.2	55	SW and SSW ...	169	Nil	Chiefly clear.
"	18th	141.9	8.6	.815	84.0	97.0	24.2	72.8	75.0	.792	72.2	71	SW and SSW ...	178	Nil	Partially cloudy,  .
"	19th	141.8	8.7	.824	84.1	96.8	23.6	73.2	69.3	.544	61.3	51	SSW, N by E and N.	92	Nil	Clear.
"	20th	144.7	8.0	.862	83.8	97.7	26.1	71.6	71.7	.656	66.7	57	SW by S and SSW.	100	Nil	Partially cloudy,  .

The mean pressure of the seven days Inches.
 The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 29.858
 29.824

The total number of hours of bright sunshine Hours
 The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine 61.5
 84.0

The mean temperature of the seven days 82.6
 The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 80.8
 The extreme variation of temperature 36.2
 The maximum temperature 97.7

The highest velocity of the wind in one hour Miles,
 13
 55
 The mean relative humidity
 The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 64

The total fall of rain from 14th to 20th March 1909 Inches
 The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office Nil
 0.18
 The total fall from 1st January to 20th March 1909 0.10
 The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office 2.46

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from the traces of the Kundsens Barograph and from eye observations.


The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beekley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

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METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
 ALIPORE (CALCUTTA), the 22nd March 1909.

C. W. PEAKE,
 for Director-General of Observatories.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th March 1909 on 2,292.37 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	566,749	5,56,500 0 0	67,30,498 0	11,62,450 0 0	47,368 0 0	17,68,316 0 0	184,144	222,632	387,020
Or per mile of railway ...	242 12 2			502 11 9	30 9 11	765 1 10			
For previous 52 weeks of half-year	4,396,004	42,63,290 0 0	5,88,40,200 0	98,98,013 0 0	3,97,398 0 0	1,40,68,901 0 0	1,371,235	1,779,296	3,150,531
Total for 52 weeks	4,962,413	48,18,710 0 0	6,55,60,675 0	1,05,51,063 0 0	4,45,264 0 0	1,59,15,117 0 0	1,538,381	2,002,179	3,537,560
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	632,809	5,44,839 2 8	73,95,191 30	11,25,978 14 11	43,981 11 0	17,14,899 12 7	180,037	228,417	388,454
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	278 4 4			492 5 3	19 3 8	749 13 3			
Total for corresponding 52 weeks of previous year.	5,218,773	49,98,058 9 8	6,90,28,022 0	1,12,60,706 15 7	4,01,310 6 0	1,60,80,075 15 3	1,555,430	2,152,347	3,707,777

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Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,292.37	First 9 days of Jan.	542,653	5,75,716	91,60,173	11,43,222	58,069	20,79,007	907	477,246	4 5 8
2,292.37	Week ended 16th "	490,313	4,45,370	66,91,733	11,01,561	48,409	15,05,045	606	371,129	4 4 9
2,292.37	" " 23rd "	510,521	5,22,044	71,58,738	11,64,656	47,552	17,31,255	732	378,123	4 9 0
2,292.37	" " 30th "	519,356	5,37,341	72,21,221	10,89,481	65,892	16,72,027	739	373,913	4 6 5
2,292.37	" " 6th Feb.	543,848	5,80,060	79,30,111	11,44,554	47,373	16,72,467	730	382,481	4 6 0
2,292.37	" " 13th "	534,137	5,71,039	74,20,715	11,69,116	47,296	17,47,421	762	385,440	4 8 6
2,292.37	" " 20th "	604,229	6,14,120	69,60,697	11,20,749	47,500	17,08,175	784	391,674	4 10 1
2,292.37	" " 27th "	568,066	5,55,803	71,47,821	11,67,221	45,371	17,08,984	772	392,021	4 10 0
2,292.37	" " 6th Mar.	566,749	5,56,500	67,30,498	11,62,450	47,368	17,68,316	765	387,020	4 8 7
	Totals up to date	4,962,413	48,18,790	6,55,60,675	1,05,51,063	4,45,264	1,59,15,117	743	3,537,560	4 7 6

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		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
2,287.05	First 11 days of Jan.	655,522	6,38,389	1,04,16,017	18,49,636	64,113	25,54,157	1,117	588,113	4 5 9
2,287.05	Week ended 18th "	453,317	4,10,781	75,46,642	10,78,557	37,161	15,26,439	607	376,073	4 0 11
2,287.05	" " 25th "	479,777	4,77,497	72,10,947	11,15,196	37,819	16,30,632	713	356,250	4 3 7
2,287.05	" " 1st Feb.	618,574	6,60,236	73,09,549	11,78,729	39,032	18,78,907	822	340,293	4 13 3
2,287.05	" " 8th "	612,273	6,29,654	67,78,774	11,47,191	40,139	18,16,811	794	395,893	4 11 4
2,287.05	" " 15th "	522,087	5,20,704	72,60,797	12,52,102	46,759	14,19,503	739	393,622	4 10 0
2,287.05	" " 22nd "	587,055	5,55,294	76,83,040	12,51,243	43,841	18,50,161	809	399,604	4 10 7
2,287.05	" " 29th "	575,504	5,60,715	76,37,445	12,71,063	46,554	18,77,334	821	402,273	4 10 8
2,287.05	" " 7th Mar.	624,949	5,44,939	73,05,192	11,25,979	44,442	17,14,900	750	388,154	4 6 8
	Totals up to date	5,218,773	49,98,058	6,90,28,022	1,12,60,707	4,01,311	1,60,80,076	761	3,707,777	4 7 11

TANKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th March 1909, on 22.21 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	28,474	(a) 8,133 2 3	20,041 0	890 0 0	9 0 0	9,031 0 0	1,357	189	1,406
Or per mile of railway ...	366 2 3			40 1 2	0 6 6	408 9 11			
For previous 52 weeks of half-year	237,921	56,251 0 0	1,47,662 0	6,870 0 0	62 0 0	63,193 0 0	11,305	1,321	12,626
Total for 52 weeks	266,395	64,383 0 0	1,67,693 0	7,760 0 0	71 0 0	72,214 0 0	12,662	1,480	14,122
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	52,829	14,739 7 9	15,152 20	675 2 0	6 1 3	15,420 11 0	1,738	148	1,886
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	468 0 9	...	30 5 11	0 4 4	693 11 0	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 52 weeks of previous year.	314,311	70,477 9 1	2,54,347 31	7,913 0 0	68 10 6	87,459 8 7	14,112	1,442	15,554

(a) The decrease is due to "Shivaratree" festival in the corresponding period of 1908.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY—concluded.

09. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
28'21	First 9 days of Jan. ...	27,059	8,543	12,908	607	8	7,158	323	1,960	Rs. A. P.
28'21	Week ended 16th " ...	24,760	5,027	12,170	498	6	5,529	249	1,470	3 10 3
28'21	" " 23rd " ...	23,852	5,801	16,444	770	7	6,078	274	1,470	3 11 11
28'21	" " 30th " ...	23,083	5,012	23,644	1,575	7	6,584	266	1,470	4 7 4
28'21	" " 6th Feb. ...	28,415	8,200	15,171	603	8	8,871	309	1,470	6 0 2
28'21	" " 13th " ...	27,097	6,431	18,304	751	9	7,181	324	1,470	4 13 11
28'21	" " 20th " ...	25,885	14,155	10,473	850	8	15,014	670	1,784	8 6 6
28'21	" " 27th " ...	26,114	5,592	20,445	1,158	8	6,758	304	1,490	4 8 3
28'21	" " 6th March ...	25,474	5,132	20,061	890	9	6,031	407	1,490	0 0 7
	Totals up to date ...	2,60,395	64,383	1,07,003	17,760	71	73,214	350	14,122	5 1 10

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		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
28'23	First 11 days of Jan. ...	32,463	7,903	26,098	1,049	9	8,961	403	2,378	Rs. A. P.
28'23	Week ended 18th " ...	21,907	4,605	13,242	370	10	4,994	225	1,408	3 5 4
28'23	" " 25th " ...	22,720	5,686	28,804	989	10	6,048	278	1,408	3 6 7
28'23	" " 1st Feb. ...	40,013	10,477	20,135	817	1	11,325	609	1,780	6 5 10
28'23	" " 8th " ...	37,813	16,164	20,135	817	11	17,032	708	2,048	8 2 6
28'23	" " 15th " ...	28,779	6,068	30,019	974	6	7,098	317	1,400	4 11 3
28'23	" " 22nd " ...	38,136	8,053	32,349	993	7	9,052	407	1,484	0 5 0
28'23	" " 29th " ...	27,061	6,423	31,413	1,107	9	7,508	342	1,480	5 1 3
28'23	" " 7th March ...	62,329	14,739	16,153	678	6	15,421	694	1,880	8 2 10
	Totals up to date ...	311,311	79,477	2,34,348	7,913	69	87,459	411	18,554	5 10 0

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th March 1909 on 162'36 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Actual traffic for the week ...	30,816	Rs. A. P. 21,715 0 0	Mds. 3,00,367 0	Rs. A. P. 20,986 0 0	Rs. A. P. 40 0 0	Rs. A. P. 42,741 0 0	12,003	5,551	17,556
per mile of railway ...	187,922	1,33 11 11	1,45,420 0	1,29 4 1	0 4 0	263 4 0	102,575	35,463	138,038
for previous 9½ weeks of half-year	107,022	1,56,414 0 0	21,45,420 0	1,47,814 0 0	403 0 0	3,03,628 0 0	102,575	35,463	138,038
Total for 9½ weeks ...	228,738	1,77,126 0 0	21,45,787 0	1,68,800 0 0	443 0 0	3,46,369 0 0	114,577	41,017	155,594
COMPARISON.									
Actual for corresponding week of previous year.	30,611	19,722 1 7	2,91,090 20	23,693 9 0	52 4 0	43,467 14 7	11,420	5,506	14,926
per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	121 7 6	.....	145 14 11	0 5 2	267 11 7	.....	.....	.....
Actual for corresponding 9½ weeks of previous year.	349,924	1,66,085 5 9	25,25,410 0	1,83,900 5 0	530 4 0	351,205 14 9	111,956	50,470	162,426

1909 Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1909 in comparison with 1908.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
162'36	First 9 days of Jan. ...	28,730	15,550	3,03,743	21,090	80	36,730	226	21,179	Rs. A. P.
162'36	Week ended 16th " ...	22,356	20,818	2,57,939	18,094	80	39,572	246	16,065	1 11 9
162'36	" " 23rd " ...	23,174	22,333	2,30,351	17,716	87	40,105	247	16,242	2 7 6
162'36	" " 30th " ...	19,134	16,899	2,69,201	17,186	50	33,778	204	16,201	2 1 4
162'36	" " 6th Feb. ...	21,550	20,212	2,50,976	16,730	34	36,968	224	17,060	2 8 8
162'36	" " 13th " ...	26,107	19,138	2,94,488	19,038	40	38,216	235	17,063	2 4 0
162'36	" " 20th " ...	25,491	18,405	2,82,008	19,030	40	38,084	235	17,503	2 10 0
162'36	" " 27th " ...	29,378	22,364	2,68,054	17,481	42	39,887	240	10,785	3 6 0
162'36	" " 6th March ...	30,816	21,715	3,00,367	20,986	40	42,741	263	17,586	2 6 11
	Totals up to date ...	228,738	1,77,126	21,45,787	1,68,800	443	3,46,369	230	155,594	2 3 7

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		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate.
162'36	First 11 days of Jan. ...	36,141	22,389	3,54,570	26,451	104	48,944	301	23,451	Rs. A. P.
162'36	Week ended 18th " ...	22,823	15,731	2,80,203	16,043	50	31,824	198	17,138	1 15 9
162'36	" " 25th " ...	25,819	16,899	2,90,213	19,832	61	36,792	227	18,900	2 0 4
162'36	" " 1st Feb. ...	25,193	16,069	2,47,009	19,030	60	36,059	212	17,108	2 1 9
162'36	" " 8th " ...	25,703	18,006	2,74,281	18,735	65	36,806	227	16,946	2 2 9
162'36	" " 15th " ...	26,118	17,428	2,75,384	17,463	31	34,923	215	16,810	2 1 3
162'36	" " 22nd " ...	28,591	20,404	2,19,444	21,139	48	41,590	259	16,709	2 7 10
162'36	" " 29th " ...	28,845	19,137	2,83,323	21,603	50	40,801	261	17,147	3 6 1
162'36	" " 7th March ...	30,611	19,722	2,91,091	23,694	52	43,483	268	16,993	2 9 1
	Totals up to date ...	249,924	1,66,085	25,25,411	1,83,901	530	3,51,205	226	162,435	2 2 7

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 6th March 1909 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	76,500	48,000 0 0	386,500 0	45,500 0 0	4,000 0 0	97,500 0 0	14,391	21,810	36,210
Or per mile of railway ...	99'51	62'50	514'27	59'01	5'19	126'70	18'74	28'30	47'04
For previous 9 weeks of half-year ...	641,500	4,26,000 0 0	2,807,000 0	3,52,000 0 0	40,000 0 0	8,18,000 0 0	118,480	160,021	278,501
Total for 10 weeks ...	718,000	4,74,000 0 0	3,293,500 0	3,97,500 0 0	44,000 0 0	9,15,500 0 0	132,871	181,840	314,711
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	85,480	63,152 0 0	240,902 0	30,075 0 0	3,541 0 0	1,06,663 0 0	16,892	19,949	36,841
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	111'32	82'23	320'34	51'85	4'59	138'67	21'99	25'87	47'86
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	609,903	4,90,605 0 0	2,436,608 0	3,02,296 0 0	36,078 0 0	8,69,039 0 0	165,267	193,007	358,274

FINANCIAL YEAR.—Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 6TH MARCH 1909.			RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 7TH MARCH 1909.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1908 TO 6TH MARCH 1909.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1907 TO 7TH MARCH 1908.			Total increase in 1909.	Total decrease in 1909.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			Rs.
771	97,500	126'70	771	1,06,003	138'67	771	43,08,538	...	771	45,39,537	...	.....	1,40,999

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 13th February 1909 on 1,791 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. (a)	Mds. (b)	Rs. (c)	Rs.	Rs.		(d)	
Total traffic for the week on 1,791 miles open ...	347,520	1,31,920	1,235,300	2,11,620	20,880	3,04,420	58,637	49,001	108,538
Or per mile of railway ...	194'37	73'65	689'78	118'10	11'65	203'47	...	...	...
For previous 51 weeks of half-year ...	1,077,220	6,74,680	5,714,800	9,04,640	1,03,820	10,83,140	307,443	252,109	559,642
Total for 52 weeks ...	1,084,740	8,06,600	6,949,900	11,16,260	1,24,700	20,47,560	360,080	302,109	662,189
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,778 miles open ...	289,172	1,24,062	1,430,611	2,00,694	23,330	3,48,096	56,771	(e) 49,070	105,841
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year ...	163'64	69'77	803'70	113'88	13'13	195'78	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	2,012,302	9,39,371	7,864,006	10,94,765	1,44,849	21,68,985	383,074	307,054	690,128
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week ...		2'25		4'24	1'19	3'30			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year ...		2'19		4'09	1'23	3'20			

(a) Increase chiefly under passengers, due to marriage season.
(b) Decrease in weight with increase in amount, due to long lead local traffic; foreign inward shows a decrease.
(c) Decrease principally under steamboat.
(d) Includes 5,399 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 2,948 miles of ballast trains.

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 27th February 1909 on 1,791 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week on 1,791 miles open	382,710	Rs (a) 1,40,610	Mds. 1,373,790	Rs (b) 2,00,570	Rs. 28,610	Rs. 3,87,790	58,041	(c) 50,158	108,199
Or per mile of railway	213.69	83.54	767.06	117.01	15.97	216.52	.....	.....	.....
For previous 77 weeks of half-year	2,290,490	9,52,770	8,260,290	13,20,730	1,46,670	24,20,170	423,007	350,967	774,874
Total for 87 weeks	2,673,200	11,02,380	9,624,080	15,30,300	1,75,280	28,07,960	481,948	401,125	883,073
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,778 miles open	341,844	1,32,427	1,171,217	1,80,505	29,672	3,42,604	55,190	(d) 46,107	101,297
For mile of corresponding week of previous year	191.98	74.48	658.73	101.53	16.69	192.69	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,698,812	12,00,674	10,390,064	14,74,122	1,96,144	28,76,340	485,335	405,990	891,325
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week		2.68		4.18	.36	3.58			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year		2.40		3.67	.28	3.29			

(a) Increase chiefly under passengers due probably to the marriage season.
(b) Increase mainly under local and foreign outward traffic.
(c) Includes 5,155 miles of ballast trains.
(d) Includes 2,118 miles of ballast trains.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the period ending 13th March 1909	Coaching	6,902	0	0	16,429	0	0
	Goods	8,420	0	0			
	Other earnings	47	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1908	Coaching	7,107	0	0	17,081	0	0
	Goods	9,896	0	0			
	Other earnings	58	0	0			
	Decrease				1,632	0	0
Receipts per mile for the period ending 13th March 1909					302	8	6
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908					334	8	6
	Decrease				32	0	0
Receipts from 1st January to 13th March 1909					1,54,673	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1908					1,46,066	0	0
	Increase				8,617	0	0



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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS. BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF
HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL
DURING APRIL 1909.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Station.	Standard time.	REMARKS.
1909.			H. M.	
April 6th ...	Tuesday ...	Leave Howrah ...	22 6	By special train.
„ 7th ...	Wednesday ...	Arrive Purnia ...	7 36	
„ 8th ...	Thursday ...	Leave do. ...	14 22	Ditto.
„ 8th ...	Do. ...	Arrive Banohi ...	18 30	

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Station.	Standard time.	REMARKS.
1909.			H. M.	
April 9th ...	Friday ...	} Halt at Ranchi.		
„ 10th ...	Saturday ...			
„ 11th ...	Sunday ...	Leave do. ...	16 0	By special train.
„ 12th ...	Monday ...	Arrive Howrah ...	7 36	
„ 13th ...	Tuesday ...	Leave Sealdah ...	17 56	Ditto.
„ 14th ...	Wednesday ...	Arrive Darjeeling ...	13 9	

NOTE.—

- (1) The party accompanying His Honour will be—
 Captain Cecil Allanson, Private Secretary.
 Captain G. C. S. Black, Aide-de-Camp.
 Three office Assistants, Camp Sub-Postmaster and about 30 servants.
- (2) Letters and telegrams should be addressed to the Bengal Government "Camp without the addition of any post town.
- (3) The Lieutenant-Governor's arrival at Darjeeling will be public. All other arrivals and departures will be private.

BELVEDERE,
 The 22nd March 1909. }

CECIL ALLANSON, CAPTAIN,
 Private Secretary.

No. 2746A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—No. 2555A.—The 25th March 1909.—Babu Sushil Kumar Gangali, Probationary Deputy Collector, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the eighth grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Khulna district.

No. 2517A.—The 27th March 1909.—Mr. F. MacBlaine, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Patna district.

No. 2527A.—The 27th March 1909.—Mr. Saiyid Husain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sonthal Parganas, is transferred temporarily to the Godda subdivision of that district.

No. 2531A.—The 27th March 1909.—Mr. G. B. Mumford, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Giridih, Hazaribagh, is appointed to have charge of the Serampore subdivision of the Hooghly district.

No. 2534A.—The 27th March 1909.—Mr. T. W. Bridge, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Ranchi, is appointed to have charge of the Giridih subdivision of the Hazaribagh district.

No. 2536A.—The 27th March 1909.—Mr. M. G. Hallett, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Saran, is appointed to have charge of the Gumla subdivision of the Ranchi district.

No. 2539A.—The 27th March 1909.—The order of the 16th March 1909, appointing Mr. J. M. Fletcher, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Ranchi, to have charge of the Gumla subdivision of that district, is cancelled.

No. 2558A.—The 27th March 1909.—Babu Shashibhushan Basu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

- No. 2561A.—The 27th March 1909.**—Babu Satyendra Nath Batabyal, Deputy Southal Parg. Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Southal Parganas, is appointed to Palamau. be Khas Tahsildar, Palamau Government Estate.
- No. 2574A.—The 27th March 1909.**—In exercise of the power conferred by subsection (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. C. H. Reid, i.c.s., a Magistrate of the first class, to be Additional District Magistrate of Midnapore, for a period not exceeding six months and to direct that he shall have for the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.
- No. 2582A.—The 29th March 1909.**—Babu Jiban Chandra Chatarji, Probationary Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Howrah district, on being relieved of his settlement duties in Bihar.
- No. 2587A.—The 29th March 1909.**—Mr. E. S. Baldwin, Probationary Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district, on being relieved of his settlement duties in Chota Nagpur.
- No. 2620A.—The 29th March 1909.**—Mr. F. W. Martin, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the Bhagalpur Division, on being relieved of his settlement duties in Bihar.
- No. 2700A.—The 30th March 1909.**—Mr. Satyendra Chandra Mallik, i.c.s., on leave, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Shahabad, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. M. Smither, or until further orders.
- No. 2714A.—The 30th March 1909.**—Mr. J. T. Whitty, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darbhanga, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector, Burdwan, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. W. B. Heycock, or until further orders.
- No. 2736A.—The 30th March 1909.**—Mr. W. B. Thomson, Deputy Commissioner, Ranchi, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Commissioner of the Chota Nagpur Division, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. J. McIntosh, or until further orders.
- POLICE.—No. 2503A.—The 26th March 1909.**—The Probationary Assistant Superintendents of Police, named below, are posted to the Ranchi Training College:—
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| Midnapore. | tendents of Police, named below, are posted to the Ranchi Training |
| Champaran. | College:— |
| Ranchi | |
| | Lieutenant P. A. R. Pritchard ... Midnapore. |
| | „ A. P. Wodehouse ... Champaran. |
- No. 2505A.—The 26th March 1909.**—Mr. E. F. Rawlins, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Ranchi, is posted to the 24-Parganas district.
- No. 2514A.—The 26th March 1909.**—Mr. J. F. Dickinson, Assistant Superintendent of Police, in charge of the Bengal and North-Western Railway, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Police, Monghyr, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. T. C. Simpson, or until further orders.
- EDUCATION.—No. 2703A.—The 30th March 1909.**—So much of the order of the 27th October 1908 as relates to the temporary deputation of Mr. J. MacLean, Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division, as a Professor to the David Hare Training College Calcutta, with effect from the 11th September 1908, is cancelled.
- EXCISE.—No. 2674A.—The 30th March 1909.**—Babu Charu Chandra Mitra, Inspector of Excise, Northern Circle, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Sharat Kumar Raha, or until further orders.
- ECCLIESIASTICAL.—No. 2617A.—The 29th March 1909.**—The Rev. Canon E. F. Brown, Superior, Oxford Mission, is appointed to act as Junior Chaplain of St. John's Church, Calcutta, with effect from the 1st February 1909.
- No. 2728A.—The 30th March 1909.**—The Rev. E. Cannon is appointed to be Junior Chaplain of St. John's Church, Calcutta, with effect from the 1st April 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

LEAVE.

- GENERAL.—No. 2323A.—The 24th March 1909.**—Mr. D. Sunder, Deputy Collector in charge of the Sundarbans, is allowed combined leave for eight months and fourteen days, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th April 1909, or the date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period under article 388 of the Regulations.
- 24-Parganas.**
- No. 2351A.—The 25th March 1909.**—Babu Kali Kumar Ray Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is allowed leave for two months, under articles 260 and 345 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st April 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.
- Jessore.**
- No. 2333A.—The 25th March 1909.**—Babu Manmatha Nath Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is allowed leave for one week, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 10th February 1909.
- Cuttack.**
- No. 2498A.—The 26th March 1909.**—In modification of the order of the 15th March 1909, Mr. Saiyid Hussain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sonthal Parganas, is allowed leave for four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 22nd December 1908.
- Sonthal Parganas.**
- No. 2524A.—The 27th March 1909.**—Babu Satish Chandra Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Godda, Sonthal Parganas, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th April 1909.
- Sonthal Parganas.**
- No. 2529A.—The 27th March 1909.**—Mr. D. C. Patterson, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Serampore, Hooghly, is allowed combined leave for six months, namely, privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 17th April 1909 and special leave for the remaining period, under article 316 of the Regulations.
- Hooghly.**
- No. 2556A.—The 27th March 1909.**—Babu Kunja Bihari Gosain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.
- 24-Parganas.**
- No. 2571A.—The 27th March 1909.**—Mr. B. G. Kilby, Additional District Magistrate, Midnapore, is allowed furlough on medical certificate for one month, under article 311 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.
- Midnapore.**
- No. 2665A.—The 30th March 1909.**—Maulvi Abdul Ghaffar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Contai, Midnapore, is allowed leave for four weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.
- Midnapore.**
- No. 2669A.—The 30th March 1909.**—Mr. Nagendra Nath Banarji, Personal Assistant to the Director of Agriculture, Bengal, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 1st March 1909.
- Calcutta.**
- No. 2697A.—The 30th March 1909.**—Mr. M. Smither, District and Sessions Judge, Shahabad, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th April 1909.
- Shahabad.**
- No. 2712A.—The 30th March 1909.**—Mr. W. B. Heycock, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Burdwan, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and nine days, with effect from the 22nd April 1909, or the amount due on any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and special leave for the remaining period under article 316 of the Regulations.
- Burdwan.**
- No. 2726A.—The 30th March 1909.**—Mr. Manmatha Nath Ghosh, Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st April 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.
- Calcutta.**
- No. 2734A.—The 30th March 1909.**—Mr. H. J. McIntosh, Officiating Commissioner of the Chota Nagpur Division, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th April 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.
- Chota Nagpur Divn.**

No. 2744A.—The 30th March 1909.—Mr. S. L. Maddox, i.c.s., on special duty, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and nineteen days, with effect from the 9th April 1909, and special leave for the remaining period, under article 316 of the Regulations.

VOLUNTEERS.—No. 2330A.—The 25th March 1909.—Captain Lawrence Drysdale, Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for eight months, with effect from the 19th March 1909.

POLICE.—No. 2507A.—The 26th March 1909.—Mr. T. C. Simpson, Superintendent of Police, Monghyr, is allowed combined leave for seven months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 14th April 1909, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 308 (b) of the Regulations.

No. 2509A.—The 26th March 1909.—Mr. P. A. Sandilands, Superintendent of Police, Singhbhum, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and sixteen days, with effect from the 7th April 1909, or the amount due on any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and special leave on urgent private affairs for the remaining period, under article 316 of the Regulations.

No. 2510A.—The 26th March 1909.—Maulvi Nadir Husain, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Puri, is allowed combined leave for one year, six months and six days, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-five days, with effect from the 21st March 1909, or the amount due on any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 338 of the Regulations.

EDUCATION.—No. 2328A.—The 25th March 1909.—Mr. Subodh Chandra Mahalanabis, Professor, Presidency College, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., College vacation from the 9th April 1909 to the 27th June 1909 and leave on private affairs for the remaining period, under article 337 of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 2413A.—The 26th March 1909.—Babu Durga Prosad Towari, Officiating Head Master, Patna Training School, was allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th November 1908.

No. 2632A.—The 29th March 1909.—Babu Haradhan Basu, Personal Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 26th January 1909.

EXCISE.—No. 2671A.—The 30th March 1909.—Babu Sharat Kumar Raha, Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal, is allowed leave for forty-eight days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th April 1909.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 24th March 1909 :—

No. 1046A.—The 20th March 1909.—Mr. Iradatullah, Munsif of Barisal, in the district of Bakarganj, is allowed leave for six months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 4852A., dated the 28th November 1908.

No. 1087A.—The 23rd March 1909.—The services of the officers named below are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal :—

- Babu Raj Narayan Mukharji, Subordinate Judge, Rajshahi.
- „ Nilalohit Mukharji, Subordinate Judge, Pabna and Bogra, on leave.
- „ Ram Charan Mullick, Subordinate Judge, Mymensingh, on leave.
- „ Bidhu Bhushan Banarji, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Pabna and Bogra.
- „ Shashi Bhushan Sen, Officiating Additional Subordinate Judge, Faridpur and Mymensingh, now acting as Additional Subordinate Judge, Chittagong.

No. 1098A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Srish Chandra Mukharji, Subordinate Judge of Tiptora, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge of Rajshahi, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Rampur Boalia Munsifi.

No. 1102A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Raj Krishna Banarji, Subordinate Judge, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge of Tippera, and is vested with the powers of an Assistant Sessions Judge.

No. 1103A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Sarada Prasad Basu, Subordinate Judge, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Mymensingh.

No. 1104A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Hari Prasanna Mukharji, Officiating Subordinate Judge, is appointed to act until further orders, as Subordinate Judge of Tippera, *vice* Babu Lalit Kumar Basu, retired. He is also vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Comilla.

No. 1105A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Satya Charan Gangali, Subordinate Judge, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Mymensingh.

No. 1106A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Umesh Chandra Sen, No. I, Subordinate Judge, is appointed to be Small Cause Court Judge of Dacca and Munshiganj, and is vested with the powers of a Subordinate Judge.

No. 1107A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Shyama Kanta Nag, Subordinate Judge, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge of Pabna and Bogra, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Pabna.

No. 1113A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Nikunja Behari Ray, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Chittagong, is appointed to act, under further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge of Faridpur and Mymensingh, but for the present to be on deputation to Chittagong as Additional Subordinate Judge.

No. 1118A.—The 23rd March 1909.—Babu Tarak Chandra Das, Small Cause Court Judge of Dacca and Munshiganj, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge of Chittagong, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognisable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Chittagong.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2717A.—The 30th March 1909.—It is hereby notified for general information that the first Half-yearly Departmental Examination in 1909 of the Assistants of the Opium Department will be held at Ghasipur on Tuesday, the 1st June 1909, and the following day.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1714 For.—The 27th March 1909.—Mr. H. K. Robinson, Deputy Conservator of Forests, is placed in charge of the Tista Forest Division, in addition to his duties as Divisional Forest Officer, Kurseong, from the afternoon of the 27th February 1909 until the afternoon of the 11th March 1909 inclusive.

On being relieved of the charge of the Tista Forest Division on the afternoon of the 27th February 1909, Mr. R. Kirkpatrick, Assistant Conservator of Forests, is transferred to Angul and placed on special duty in the Khondmals with effect from the afternoon of the 15th March 1909, on which date he reported his arrival in Angul.

No. 1715 For.—The 27th March 1909.—Mr. J. C. Carroll, Deputy Conservator of Forests, whose services have been placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal by the Government of India, is posted to the charge of the Tista Forest Division.

Mr. Carroll took over charge of the Tista Forest Division from Mr. H. K. Robinson, Deputy Conservator of Forests, on the afternoon of the 11th March 1909.

The services of Mr. J. H. Waddingham, Assistant Conservator of Forests, on six months' combined leave are placed at the disposal of the Government of India for employment in the Punjab.

No. 1627 L.R.—The 23rd March 1909—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rules for Bengal (including the district of Sambalpur) as to the grant of loans under the Act.

II.—The following notifications are hereby cancelled, namely:—

No. 1285 L.R., dated the 28th February 1908, published at pages 546-553 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th March 1908.

No. 2063 L.R., dated the 7th April 1908, published at page 804 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem.

No. 2503 L.R., dated the 15th July 1908, published at page 1305 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem.

No. 2741 L.R., dated the 24th July 1908, published at page 1358 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem.

No. 3143 L.R., dated the 13th August 1908, published at page 1434, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem.

No. 2286, dated the 26th May 1886, published at pages 86-91 of the *Central Provinces Gazette* of the 29th idem, so far as it relates to the District of Sambalpur.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RULES UNDER THE LAND IMPROVEMENT LOANS ACT, XIX OF 1883.

1. (1) Subject to the provisions of these rules, and provided that the district allotment is not exceeded without the sanction of the Commissioner of the Division, Subdivisional Officers, and also Deputy Collectors specially empowered by the Collector with the approval of the Commissioner, may sanction loans of sums not exceeding Rs. 500 in each case, and the Collector may sanction loans up to Rs. 1,000 in each case, for purposes specified in the Act.

(2) Any loan exceeding Rs. 1,000 shall require the sanction of the Commissioner, and exceeding Rs. 5,000 the sanction of the Board; and the Commissioner or the Board, as the case may be, may call for such detailed plans and estimates, or for such professional opinion, as may seem necessary, before sanctioning any such loan.

2. Applications for loans may be presented to the Collector, or to any other Revenue Officer, not below the rank of a Kanungo, authorized in this behalf by the Collector.

3. (1) Application may be made orally or in writing.

(2) The officers authorized by rule 2 to receive applications shall keep with them, for free distribution, copies of the annexed Form A, and shall do their best to secure the presentation of all written applications as nearly as possible in that form, but shall not reject any such application that may be presented in any other form.

(3) If applications are received orally, they shall at once be reduced to writing by the officers authorized to receive them.

4. (1) A Revenue Officer receiving an application under rule 2 shall either make a local enquiry himself, or cause one to be made by another Revenue Officer not below the rank of a Kanungo, or by some reliable non-official agency if available, for the purpose of ascertaining the particulars mentioned on the reverse of Form A.

(2) A Kanungo shall be so employed only when a gazetted officer is not available.

(3) In addition to the procedure prescribed in this rule, a Revenue Officer receiving the application under rule 2 may, if he thinks fit, publish a notice under section 5 of the Act calling upon persons objecting to the loan to appear before the officer deputed to hold the local enquiry, at a time and place to be fixed in the notice, and to submit their objections.

(4) Such notice shall be published by being affixed to a prominent place in the village in which the land, to the improvement of which the loan is to be applied, is situated.

5. If the Revenue Officer is not empowered by rule 1 to sanction the loan, he shall transmit the application with his report to the Collector or to the officer who ordered the enquiry, as the case may be, provided that, if the receiving or enquiring officer is subordinate to a Subdivisional Officer, he shall submit it to the Subdivisional Officer.

6. The Local Government may, by general or special order, empower any person to perform all or any of the functions of a Collector or of a Revenue Officer referred to in rules 2, 4 and 5.

7. In deciding whether the security offered is sufficient, the officer dealing with the application shall be guided by the following principles:—

Security.

- (i) Where the amount of the loan does not exceed three-fourths of the value of the applicant's transferable interest in the land after the improvement has been made, no collateral security need be required.
- (ii) Where the applicant's interest in the land is not sufficient of itself to guarantee the repayment of the loan, further security shall be required, which may consist of transferable interests in other lands belonging to the applicant or to other persons willing to become his sureties, or of personal security.
- (iii) Where a body of five or more co-villagers bind themselves jointly and severally as contemplated in section 9 of the Act, their personal security will generally be sufficient, and such officer may, if empowered by rule 1, at his discretion advance on such security an amount not exceeding five times the annual assessment of the land held by such villagers.

8. If the proposed improvement falls within section 4, sub-section (2), of the Act, and if the security offered is good and sufficient, the officer dealing with the application, or the Collector, when the application and report have been transmitted to him under rule 5, may, on completion of the local enquiry, sanction the loan himself, if he has power by rule 1 to do so; otherwise the Collector shall forward the application, with his report thereon, to the Commissioner for disposal.

Procedure.

9. Where the Revenue Officer, other than the Collector, has power under rule 1 to sanction the loan applied for, he may, as soon as the local enquiry is completed, and the particulars mentioned on the reverse of Form A are filled in, take the security required by rule 11, sanction the loan, and, if so desired by the applicant, disburse it on the spot. Loans, or instalments of loans, sanctioned by the Collector or any higher authority may be disbursed in the village by Subdivisional Officers and Deputy Collectors empowered under rule 1, and by any reliable non-official agency where available.

Provided that disbursement on the spot may not in any case exceed Rs. 500 for a single item:

Provided also that, when any loan is payable in more than one instalment, the second or any subsequent instalment shall not be passed for payment by the sanctioning officer until he has had an enquiry made locally and satisfied himself that satisfactory progress is being made with the work for which the loan was sanctioned.

10. For the purpose of rule 9 the Revenue Officer may draw a lump sum at a time on an abstract bill, subject to the following restrictions:—

Drawing of money on abstract bills.

- (a) No officer disbursing loans under the said rule shall be allowed to draw a second abstract bill without producing a detailed bill to account for the amounts already disbursed from the last advance taken, any balance left being at the same time refunded into the Government Treasury.
- (b) In no case shall the submission of the detailed bill be delayed beyond the end of the month following that in which the advance was drawn from the Treasury.
- (c) The disbursing officer shall take the receipts of the payees on the spot as soon as advances have been made, and shall certify at the foot of the detailed bill that the advances were duly sanctioned by him and paid in his presence.
- (d) The Collector shall prescribe a money-limit for the amount which may be drawn on an abstract bill by each officer with due regard to the circumstances of each case.

*Explanation to clause (a).—*It is not intended that the money should actually be returned to the Treasury on each occasion. When preparing the detailed bill, the disbursing officer shall show in it the unexpended balance of the advance as refunded. This balance will be deducted at the Treasury from the amount of the abstract bill submitted for a further advance.

11. (1) If the loan is sanctioned, the applicant must sign a certificate in the annexed Form B; and when the value of his interest in the land to be improved, or in the said land, together with any other land belonging to him which he may have hypothecated, is not sufficient to cover the loan, he must execute, or cause to be executed, a bond in the annexed Form C or D, as the case may be.

Certificate for grant of loan, and security bond.

(2) If the loan is granted to a body of villagers who make themselves jointly and severally liable, they shall, in addition to signing the certificate in Form B, sign a bond in the annexed Form E.

12. A copy of the certificate shall be given to the applicant, and, on presentation thereof, payment of the loan, or of any instalment of the loan, may be made to him either at the district or the subdivisional treasury, or on the spot under rule 9.

Payment where to be made.

13. (1) In the case of a loan granted by instalments, if the applicant, after taking one or more instalments, fails to take any other instalment within six weeks from the date on which he is entitled to it, the Collector may declare the loan closed.

Closure of loan, on failure to take instalment due.

(2) The total of the instalments taken by the applicant shall then constitute the loan, which shall be treated as having been fully paid on the date on which the last instalment was actually taken; and a fresh arrangement for repayment shall be made by the Collector, consistent with rules 17 and 18, in modification of the certificate in Form B granted to the applicant when the loan was sanctioned.

ILLUSTRATION.—A applies for and obtains sanction to a loan of Rs. 1,050, payable to him in four instalments of Rs. 250 on the 1st January, the 1st April, the 1st July, and the 1st October 1908. In the certificate granted to him, the loan is declared to be repayable in half-yearly instalments beginning from the 1st October 1909. He takes only the first two instalments. The Collector may treat the loan as one of Rs. 500 completely paid on the 1st April 1908, and if he does so, he must draw up a revised certificate in Form B in which all the conditions of the repayment of the loan actually taken are to be recorded.

14. (1) The ordinary rate of interest on loans shall be one anna in the rupee, or $6\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum.

Interest on loans.

(2) The Local Government may, for special reasons, and on special application through the Board of Revenue, sanction a loan at a lower rate of interest, or without interest.

(3) If any instalment of principal or of interest, or of consolidated principal and interest, is not paid when it falls due, the Collector shall charge interest on it at $6\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum, from the date of its falling due to the date of payment:

Provided that, whenever the Collector is satisfied that the default is due to inability to pay, and that the levy of such interest would be productive of hardship, he may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, reduce or remit it.

(4) In charging penal interest on overdue instalments not suspended under rule 20, the same period of 15 days' grace shall be allowed as in the case of payments of cesses, and thereafter interest shall be charged on the total of the overdue instalment at the same rate as the interest on the loan.

15. (1) Interest shall be levied for the period intervening between the date of the

Interest for intervening period.

completion of the loan (in cases in which loans are granted in one payment), or between the dates of the payment of the instalments (in cases in which loans are granted in instalments), and the date from which the first instalment of interest, consolidated with the first instalment of the principal, becomes payable.

(2) The interest leviable in such cases shall be demanded in a lump sum on the date on which the first consolidated instalment of principal and interest is made payable.

16. (1) The repayment of the loan shall be made in accordance with the Table of

Table of repayment.

Equated Repayments of *Takavi* Loans, prepared by the Accountant-General, Bengal, similar to the annexed Form F, which shows the amounts of equal yearly payments necessary to repay a loan advanced with interest at $6\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum for any number of years from one to twenty.

(2) When the instalments are payable half-yearly, the sum to be paid each half-year shall be half the sum shown in the said Table for a yearly instalment.

17. (1) Repayment shall be by yearly or half-yearly instalments.

(2) The date of the first instalment shall be the time when profit begins to accrue, but shall in no case be later than two and-a-half years from the date of the actual advance of the loan, or, when the loan is advanced in instalments, from the date of the advance of the last instalment actually paid.

18. The date of the last instalment shall not ordinarily be later than twenty years from the date of the actual advance of the loan, or, when the loan is advanced in instalments, from the date of the advance of the last instalment actually paid, the amount of the instalments being fixed, in cases in which such a principle is applicable, with reference to the annual profit expected to accrue from the improvement: Provided that the whole amount of the loan shall in all cases be repaid before expiry of the period for which the improvement is likely to be effective.

19. The dates for repayment of instalments (annual or half-yearly) shall be fixed by the Collector, with the sanction of the Commissioner, for each thana of his district, with reference to the season when repayment can most easily be made.

EXPLANATION.—The season at which repayment can most easily be made will ordinarily be the time when crops grown for sale are taken to market. In jute districts, for instance, it would probably be best to provide for repayment by the annual instalment in September, when the jute crop is sold, except in cases where the borrower himself prefers to pay in two yearly instalments.

20. (1) The realization of instalments or of interest may be suspended by the Collector on proof of failure of crops from causes beyond the borrower's control, or of other exceptional calamity rendering the payment of instalments unduly burdensome to him.

(2) The Collector shall report every such suspension to the Commissioner, who shall pass such orders on the case as may seem proper.

(3) No interest shall be charged for the period of suspension. The total amount to be repaid shall remain the same as before.

(4) The power of suspension of payments of instalments or of interest on loans which is conferred on the Collector by clause (1) of this rule may be exercised to the extent of Rs. 1,000 in any one case.

(5) Notwithstanding anything contained in clause (1) of this rule, in all cases where suspension of revenue or rent has been granted on a large scale over a wide area, a suspension of payment of instalments due during the period for which suspension of revenue or rent has been granted shall be made by the Collector without reference to any higher authority, and the effect of such suspension shall be to postpone for one instalment period at a time the payment of all remaining instalments due on the loan.

21. (1) The Collector shall, in no case without reference to the Commissioner, remit repayment of a loan; and he may recommend remission only in cases where a work fails from cause beyond the borrower's control and where recovery of the loan in full would occasion serious hardship.

(2) Remission may be sanctioned by the Commissioner up to the amount of loan a Collector may sanction, and by the Board up to the amount a Commissioner may sanction. Larger remissions require the sanction of the Local Government.

22. The Collector shall make provision for the inspection, from time to time, of all works undertaken under the Act. In all cases the works shall, if possible, be inspected within one month from the expiration of the time within which completion is directed in the certificate Form B.

23. (1) If at any time it is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector that any part of a loan has been misapplied, he may, after recording in writing the grounds of his decision, and subject to the control of the superior Revenue Authorities, proceed to recover the whole amount of the loan with such interest as may have become due thereon.

(2) Before determining to take action under clause (1) of this rule, the Collector shall take into consideration the expense of supervision, even when that may have been supplied by the debtor himself.

24. The Board of Revenue shall regulate the forms of all returns, registers and accounts relating to loans under the Act.

Supplementary Rules having effect only in temporarily-settled Estates.

25. When land is reclaimed from waste and brought under cultivation by means of a loan granted under the Act, the increase in value derived from the improvement shall not be taken into account in revising the assessment of land revenue on the land until after the expiration of a period of three years, reckoned from the beginning of the harvest first reaped after such reclamation was effected.

26. When land assessed at unirrigated rate is improved by irrigation by means of a loan granted under the Act, the increase in value derived from the improvement shall not be taken into account in revising the assessment of land revenue on the land—

- (a) if the irrigation is provided by the construction of a new masonry well, until after the expiration of twenty years, reckoned from the beginning of the harvest first reaped after such improvement was effected;
- (b) if the irrigation is provided by the construction of a distributary from a canal, until after the expiration of a period of five years, reckoned as in clause (2) of this rule directed; or
- (c) if the irrigation is provided by any means other than those hereinbefore in clauses (a) and (b) specified, until after the expiration of a period of ten years, reckoned as in clause (a) of this rule directed.

27. (1) For the purpose of carrying out any irrigation work or protective work, such as a private tank or embankment—

- (a) which is likely either to lead ultimately to an increase in the land revenue, or to be necessary to secure the land revenue already assessed, and
- (b) which is beyond the capacity of the people to be benefited thereby to carry out without assistance in money,

loans may be granted to a landowner, sufficient to pay for a portion of the cost of the work, a free grant being made of the remainder of the cost, the proportion of the free grant to the total cost depending on the property of the applicant and the marginal profit from the work.

Provided that, without the sanction of the Board of Revenue, which shall only be accorded in special cases, the maximum amount of the free grant shall not exceed half the said total cost or Rs. 500, whichever may be less:

Provided also that the work be carried out to the satisfaction of the Collector.

(2) Should the amount of any loan made under clause (1), or any part thereof, be misapplied, or be spent otherwise than in accordance with the conditions on which the loan was made, the whole amount of the loan shall be recoverable as arrears of land revenue under section 7 of the Act.

(3) In dealing with loans and free grants under this rule, the procedure prescribed in rules 1 to 23 shall, *mutatis mutandis*, be followed:

Provided that the payment of any such free grant shall be deferred until the agreement in Form B has been registered by the grantee under the Indian Registration Act, 1877.

(4) The amount of any free grant made under this rule shall not be included in the loan accounts, but shall be shown in a separate account, and debited to "48—Minor Works."

Saving.

28. Nothing in these rules shall be deemed to affect any power of the Board of Revenue or the Local Government to grant, in special cases, loans under the Act on terms other than those hereinbefore prescribed or to affect the terms of any special agreement under which any loan under the Act has been, or may hereafter be, granted, or the terms of any unexpired settlement.

FORM A.

(SEE RULES 3, 4 and 9)

Form of Application.

Name, father's name, residence, etc., of applicant.	Amount of loan required.	Nature of security, whether personal or otherwise, and whether, if it consists of immovable property, such property is free from encumbrances, and, if not, the nature and extent of the encumbrances, and, if registered, the number and date of the registered deed and the name of the registry office.	Nature of proposed improvement.	Situation of the land to be improved. Reference to the Khatian number in the record-of-rights (if any) in which the lands are contained shall be given.	Applicant's rights in the land.	Proposed dates of repayment.
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Applicant's signature.

$\frac{1}{we}$ declare that the statements made by $\frac{me}{us}$ in the above application are true to $\frac{my}{our}$ knowledge, except as to matters stated on information and belief, and as to these $\frac{1}{we}$ believe the same to be true.

Signature of applicant.

NOTE.—Column 3.—The Enquiring Officer should, so far as may be possible, enquire into the statements made as to encumbrances, and record the result of his enquiries on the reverse of this Form.

[REVERSE OF FORM A.]

Particulars to be filled in by the Enquiring Officer.

- I.—Mahal, field number, area of land to be improved ...
- II.—Status of applicant, i.e., proprietor or tenant. If a tenant, and the landlord's consent is required, whether the landlord objects. }
- III.—Security—
 - (i) If the land itself, the nature and value of the applicant's interest in it, and the nature and extent of encumbrances, if any. }
 - (ii) If personal, the names and status of the co-sureties ...
 - (iii) If property other than the land itself, its nature, value, and nature and extent of pre-existing encumbrances, if any. }
- IV.—The improvement—
 - (i) Its estimated utility and value ...
 - (ii) Objections, if any, of third parties ...
 - (iii) Probable date on which it will begin to yield profit ...
- V.—Repayment—
 - (i) Suitable date for first instalment, with reference to clause IV (iii) ...
 - (ii) Proposed instalments and period of repayment ...
- VI.—Date on which the loan or any instalment thereof should be received by the applicant. }

Recommendations of the Enquiring Officer.

N.B.—Where a record-of-rights has been prepared, a reference should be made to that record in order to ascertain the interest of the applicant, or that of his collateral surety, in the land which it is proposed to pledge.

FORM B.

(SEE RULES 11, 13, 22 AND 27.)

Certificate granted under the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1893, and the rules made thereunder.

To _____, son of _____, of _____.

On production of this certificate the aforesaid _____ is entitled to receive from Government, in the district of _____, the following sums, on the dates noted against each, as a loan to be expended on (here describe clearly the nature of the improvement) the land specified in the margin.

Date.	Amount.
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2. The conditions relating to the making and repayment of this loan are as follow:—

(a) That it, with the interest thereon, shall be payable on the dates and by the amount specified below:—

Date.	Amount (Principal and interest).
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(b) That, in the case of a loan granted by instalments, if the applicant, after taking one or more instalments, fails to take any other instalment within six weeks from the date on which he is entitled to it, the Collector may declare the loan closed. The total of the instalments taken by the applicant shall then constitute the loan, which shall be treated as having been fully paid on the date on which the last instalment was actually taken; and a fresh arrangement for repayment shall be made by the Collector, consistent with rules 17 and 18, in modification of this certificate.

(c) That interest shall be levied for the period intervening between the date of the completion of the loan (in cases in which loans are granted in one payment), or between the dates of the payment of the instalments (in cases in which loans are granted in instalments), and the date from which the first instalment of interest, consolidated with the first instalment of the principal, becomes payable. The interest leviable in such cases shall be demanded in a lump sum on the date on which the first consolidated instalment of principal and interest is made payable.

(d) That the loan shall be applied solely to the purpose specified above; and that, if at any time it is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector that any part of the loan has been misapplied, he may proceed to recover the whole amount of the loan with such interest as may have become due thereon.

These clauses to be used only when needed.

(e) That, unless (here enter any conditions as to the period or periods appointed for completing the work) the work has been completed by (date) or any extension of the said date granted by the Collector, the loan shall be held to have been misapplied.

(f) That, for the repayment of the loan with any interest due on the same, the immovable property specified in the margin is hypothecated to Government.

(g) That, if any instalment is not paid on the due date, the whole amount of the loan shall be deemed to have become due.

(h) That, if it be proved to the satisfaction of the Collector that the statements made by the aforesaid _____ in his application for this loan, as to the nature and extent of encumbrances, are in any particular untrue, the Collector may so declare in writing, and thereupon the whole of such loan, with such interest as may become due thereon, shall forthwith become due and payable.

(i) (Where a loan and a free grant are made under rule 27.)—That, if the work be not carried out to the satisfaction of the Collector, the amount given as a free grant shall be repaid, and shall be recoverable under the provisions of the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895.

Signature of Collector, Subdivisional Officer, or Deputy Collector.

I understand and agree to the aforesaid terms and conditions.

Signature of Certificate-holder.

Received contents.

Signature of the payee (the payee should affix a one-anna stamp if the loan exceeds Rs. 20).

N.B.—(1) Both the land to be improved and all the immovable property hypothecated as collateral security, whether by the borrower himself or by a surety or sureties, should be described in the marginal specification as nearly as possible in the manner prescribed in section 21 of the Indian Registration Act, 1877.

(2) In the description of the immovable property to be given in the margin of clause (f), paragraph 2 above, it shall be stated if the property is free from encumbrances, and if not, what are the nature and extent of the encumbrances.

FORM C.

(SEE RULE 11.)

Security Bond to be used when Applicant gives Personal Security.

WHEREAS _____ has on _____ received from the Collector of _____ a certificate under the Land Improvement Loans Act 1883 and the rules made thereunder in virtue of which he is entitled to receive the aggregate sum of Rs. _____ as a loan from Government: We hereby agree that if the said _____ shall fail to comply with the terms on which the loan has been granted either by misapplying the same or by failing to pay any instalment on the date fixed for its payment or any interest that may be due, we will be jointly and severally liable to Government for such sum not exceeding _____ as may be necessary to make good the amount which in consequence of his default he may have become liable to pay.

FORM D.

(SEE RULE 11.)

Hypothecation Bond to be used when immoveable property is proffered by Collateral Surety.

WHEREAS _____ has on _____ received from the Collector of _____ a certificate under the Land Improvement Loans Act 1883 and the rules made thereunder in virtue of which he is entitled to receive the aggregate sum of Rs. _____ as a loan from Government; and whereas security for the due application of the loan and for the punctual repayment of the same according to the terms of the certificate is demanded from him; $\frac{I}{we}$ _____ hereby mortgage to Government the immoveable property mentioned in the schedule below as a collateral security and agree that if he fails to comply with the terms on which the loan has been granted either by misapplying the same or by failing to pay any instalment on the date fixed for its payment or any interest that may be due it shall be lawful for the Collector to recover from the said property such sum as may be necessary to make good the amount which in consequence of _____'s failure to comply with the conditions of the certificate may be due to Government.

SCHEDULE.

$\frac{I}{we}$ declare that the statements made by $\frac{me}{us}$ in the above schedule as regards the nature and extent of the encumbrances on the immoveable property mortgaged by $\frac{me}{us}$ as security for the repayment of the loan granted to _____ are true to $\frac{my}{our}$ knowledge, save as to matters stated on information and belief, and as to these $\frac{I}{we}$ believe the same to be true.

N.B.—In describing the immoveable property to be mentioned in the schedule above, it shall be stated whether the property is free from encumbrances, and, if not, what are the nature and extent of the encumbrances.

FORM E.

(SEE RULE 11.)

Bond to be executed by villagers as security for a loan granted to them.

WE the undersigned persons as set forth in the schedule below do hereby execute this joint and several bond and do agree and will be firmly bound by the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned.

WHEREAS we have on _____ received from the Collector of _____ a certificate dated the _____ under the Land Improvement Loans Act 1883 and the rules made thereunder in virtue of which we are entitled to receive the sum of Rs. _____ as a loan from Government: We do hereby agree (1) that all and every one of us and our heirs and representatives and the heirs and representatives of each of us shall be jointly and severally bound to the Government for the payment of the whole amount payable in respect thereof; (2) that the conditions set forth in the above-mentioned certificate will be binding on us and on our heirs and representatives and on the heirs and representatives of each one of us jointly and severally; and (3) that in case of default in repaying the said loan or any portion thereof the Government will have the right and power to realize the whole and every part of the money payable from the person

and property whether moveable or immoveable and whether mentioned in the said certificate or not of all and of everyone of us and of all and each of our heirs and representatives and the heirs and representatives of each one of us jointly and severally in accordance with the said Act and rules and in conformity with the terms and conditions of the said certificate.

Signed—

By caste

, son of

, resident of

2, etc.

3, etc.

4, etc.

Witnesses.

FORM F.

(SEE RULE 16.)

Table showing repayment of Loans under the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883. Interest $6\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum: period of grace $2\frac{1}{2}$ years.

EQUATED YEARLY PAYMENTS.

Amount of Loan.	YEARS.									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
50	58 3	30 0	20 9	15 14	13 3	11 4	9 14	8 15	8 2	7 9
100	116 7	60 0	41 3	31 13	26 3	22 7	19 13	17 13	16 4	15 1
200	233 13	119 16	82 6	63 10	52 6	44 15	39 10	35 10	32 9	30 2
300	349 4	179 16	123 9	95 6	78 9	67 6	59 6	53 7	48 13	45 3
400	465 11	239 14	164 12	127 3	104 12	89 13	79 3	71 4	65 2	60 4
500	582 1	299 14	205 15	159 0	130 15	112 4	99 0	89 1	81 6	75 5
600	699 8	359 13	247 1	190 13	157 3	134 12	118 13	106 15	97 11	90 6
700	814 15	419 13	288 4	222 10	183 5	157 3	138 10	124 12	113 16	105 7
800	931 6	479 13	329 7	254 6	209 8	179 10	158 6	142 9	130 4	120 8
900	1,047 12	539 12	370 10	286 3	235 11	202 2	179 3	160 6	146 8	135 9
1,000	1,164 3	599 12	411 12	318 0	261 14	224 9	198 0	178 3	162 13	150 10

Amount of Loan.	YEARS.									
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
50	7 1	6 10	6 4	5 15	5 12	5 8	5 3	5 2	5 0	4 14
100	14 1	13 4	12 9	11 15	11 7	11 0	10 10	10 5	10 0	9 12
200	28 2	26 8	25 2	23 15	23 15	22 1	21 5	20 10	20 0	19 3
300	42 3	39 12	37 11	35 14	34 6	33 1	31 15	30 15	30 1	29 4
400	56 4	53 0	50 4	47 14	45 14	44 2	42 9	41 4	40 1	39 0
500	70 5	66 4	63 13	59 13	57 5	55 2	53 3	51 9	50 1	48 12
600	84 7	79 8	75 5	71 13	68 12	66 3	63 14	61 14	60 1	58 3
700	98 8	92 12	87 14	83 12	80 4	77 3	74 8	72 3	70 1	68 4
800	112 2	106 0	100 7	95 12	91 12	88 4	85 2	82 3	80 2	78 0
900	126 10	119 4	113 0	107 11	103 3	99 4	95 13	92 12	90 2	87 12
1,000	140 11	132 8	125 9	119 11	114 11	110 5	106 7	102 2	100 2	97 3

No. 1628 L.R.—The 23rd March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rules for Bengal (including the district of Sambalpur), in supersession of those in section 152, pages 45-48, of the Bengal Famine Code (Revised Edition of 1905), as to the grant of loans under that Act to proprietors and occupants of land, in tracts which may from time to time be affected by distress, for the purpose of constructing tanks and executing other works in their own villages and giving employment to labourers thereon.

II. The following notifications are hereby cancelled, namely :—

No. 1286 L.R., dated the 28th February 1908, published at pages 554-560 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th March 1908.

No. 1317 T.R., dated the 24th June 1908, published at page 1194 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st July 1908.

No. 3545 L.R., dated the 4th September 1908, published at page 1526 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem.

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Offg. Chief Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

SPECIAL RULES UNDER THE LAND IMPROVEMENT LOANS ACT, XIX OF 1883, FOR TRACTS AFFECTED BY DISTRESS.

1. These rules shall have effect in such tracts as may from time to time be declared by the Local Government to be affected by distress.
Application of rules.

2. (1) On the first warnings of distress, the Local Government will call upon the Board of Revenue to submit estimates of sums required for advances under the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883, and will allot to each Division such amount as may, with reference to local conditions and the district programmes of village relief-works, seem to be necessary.
Allotment of funds.

(2) Commissioners may divide the sums so allotted among the districts of their Divisions at their discretion, and may transfer assignments from one district to another; but the total expenditure within the Division must be kept within the amount assigned.

(3) If a Collector considers the allotment assigned to his district to be insufficient, he shall report the fact and his requirements to the Commissioner, who shall, if possible, arrange for a transfer from another district, or report the matter, through the Board of Revenue, to the Local Government for orders.

3. (1) In distressed areas loans may be made for land improvements which will afford employment to the poor, with the assistance of free grants-in-aid from famine funds.
Loans combined with free grants.

(2) The general proportion of the free grant-in-aid to the total expenditure will be fixed for each Division by the Local Government.

(3) The proportion in individual cases or classes of cases shall be fixed by the Collector, but the previous sanction of the Commissioner must be obtained if that proportion varies by more than 25 per cent. from the average proportion fixed for the Division.

(4) Should the amount of any loan made under this rule, or any part thereof, be misapplied, or spent otherwise than in accordance with the conditions on which the loan was made, the whole amount of the loan shall be recoverable as arrears of land revenue under section 7 of the Act.

(5) The payment of any free grant made under this rule shall be deferred until the agreement in Form D—II(a) has been registered by the grantee under the Indian Registration Act, 1877.

(6) The amount of any free grant made under this rule shall not be included in the loan accounts, but shall be shown in a separate account, and debited to "33—Famine Relief."

4. (1) Subject to the provisions of these rules, and provided that the district allotment is not exceeded, Subdivisional Officers and Famine Relief Charge Superintendents, and also Deputy Collectors specially empowered by the Collector with the approval of the Commissioner of the Division, may sanction loans (including free grants-in-aid at the proportion fixed under rule 3) not exceeding Rs. 1,000 in each case, and the Collector may sanction such loans up to Rs. 5,000 in each case.
Powers of sanction.

(2) Loans exceeding Rs. 5,000 shall require the sanction of the Commissioner, and loans exceeding Rs. 10,000 the sanction of the Board; and the Commissioner or the Board, as the case may be, may call for such detailed plans and estimates or for such professional opinion on the project proposed as may seem necessary before sanctioning any such loans.

5. (1) Applications for loans may be made orally or in writing to the Famine Relief Circle Officer or Charge Superintendent, or to any Revenue Officer not below the rank of a Kanungo.
Applications for loans.

(2) The officers authorised by clause (1) of this rule to receive applications shall keep with them, for free distribution, copies of the annexed Form D—I, and shall do their best

to secure the presentation of all written applications as nearly as possible in that form, but shall not reject any such application that may be presented in any other Forms.

(3) If applications are received orally, they shall at once be reduced to writing by the officer authorised to receive them.

6. (1) An officer receiving an application under rule 5 shall either make a local enquiry himself, or cause one to be made by a Famine Relief Officer not below the rank of a Circle Officer, or by a Revenue Officer not below the rank of a Kanungo, or by some reliable non-official agency if available, for the purpose of ascertaining the particulars mentioned on the reverse of Form D-I.

(2) A Kanungo or a Circle Officer shall be so employed only when a gazetted officer is not available.

(3) In addition to the procedure prescribed in this rule, an officer receiving application under rule 5 may, if he thinks fit, publish a notice under section 5 of the Act calling upon persons objecting to the loan to appear before the officer deputed to hold the local enquiry at a time and place to be fixed in the notice, and to submit their objections.

(4) Such notice shall be published by being affixed to a prominent place in the village in which the land, to the improvement of which the loan is to be applied, is situated.

7. If the Famine Relief Officer or the Revenue Officer is not empowered by rule 4 to sanction the loan, he shall transmit the application with his report to the Collector or the officer who ordered the enquiry, as the case may be, provided that, if the receiving or enquiring officer is subordinate to a Famine Relief Charge Superintendent or to a Sub-divisional Officer he shall submit the application to his immediate superior.

8. In deciding whether the security offered is sufficient, the officer dealing with the application shall be guided by the following principles:—

- (i) Where the amount of the loan does not exceed three-fourths of the value of the applicant's transferable interest in the land after the improvement has been made, no collateral security need be required.
- (ii) Where the applicant's interest in the land is not sufficient of itself to guarantee the re-payment of the loan, further security shall be required, which may consist of transferable interests in other lands belonging to the applicant or to other persons willing to become his sureties, or of personal security.
- (iii) Where a body of five or more co-villagers bind themselves jointly and severally as contemplated in section 9 of the Act, their personal security will generally be sufficient; and such officer may, if empowered by rule 4, at his discretion advance on such security an amount not exceeding five times the annual assessment of the land held by such villagers.

9. (1) Where any application submitted refers to a project already entered in the district programme of village relief-works, the information given in the programme and in any plans that may have been prepared for the work may be referred to in dealing with such application.

(2) In determining the amount of the loan in such cases, the officer dealing with the application shall follow the estimates of cost of the works as given in the said programme. For other works the rate shall not exceed the ordinary local rate by more than 25 per cent.

10. If the proposed work be approved by the enquiring officer, and if the security offered be good and sufficient, he may, on completion of the local enquiry, sanction the loan himself if empowered by rule 4 to do so; otherwise he shall forward the application with his report for orders under rule 7.

11. If the loan is sanctioned in the village by an officer other than the Collector, the sanctioning officer, after filling in the particulars mentioned on the reverse of Form D—I, and taking the security required by rule 13 may, if so desired by the applicant, disburse the loan on the spot. Loans or instalments of loans sanctioned by the Collector or any higher authority may also be disbursed in the village by Subdivisional Officers and Famine Relief Charge Superintendents and by Deputy Collectors empowered under rule 4, and by any reliable non-official agency, where available.

Provided that, when any loan is payable in more than one instalment, the second or any subsequent instalment shall not be paid by the disbursing officer, except as provided in rule 16.

12. For the purpose of rule 11, the officer concerned may draw a lump sum at a time on an abstract bill, subject to the following restrictions:—

- (a) No officer disbursing loans under the said rule shall be allowed to draw a second abstract bill without producing a detailed bill to account for the amounts already disbursed from the last advance taken, any balance left being at the same time refunded into the Government Treasury.
- (b) In no case shall the submission of the detailed bill be delayed beyond the end of the month following that in which the advance was drawn from the Treasury.

- (c) The disbursing officer shall take the receipts of the payees on the spot as soon as advances have been made, and shall certify at the foot of the detailed bill that the advances were duly sanctioned by him and paid in his presence.
- (d) The Collector shall prescribe a money-limit for the amount which may be drawn on an abstract bill by each officer with due regard to the circumstances of each case.

Explanation to clause (a).—It is not intended that the money should actually be returned to the Treasury on each occasion. When preparing the detailed bill, the disbursing officer should only show in it the unexpended balance of the advance as refunded. This balance will be deducted at the Treasury from the amount of the abstract bill submitted for a further advance.

13. If the loan is sanctioned, the applicant must sign a certificate in the annexed Form D—II (a); and, when the value of his interest in the land on which the work is to be executed, or in the said land together with any other land belonging to him which he may have hypothecated, is not sufficient to cover the loan, he must execute, or cause to be executed, a bond in the annexed Form D—II (b) or Form D—II (c), as the case may be.

14. On the certificate under rule 13 being signed, a copy of it shall be given to the applicant, with an order for payment which may be made at the District or Subdivisional Treasury, or at the office of the Famine Relief Charge Superintendent, or at the applicant's village under rule 11, or by any officer specially deputed for the purpose by the Collector, as may be convenient.

15. Interest shall be charged at one anna per rupee, or $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. per annum, except in the case of a misapplication of the loan, when interest shall be charged at double the above rate, as provided for in rules 22 and 23.

16. Loans shall ordinarily be given in three instalments, viz., two-fifths before the work has been commenced, two-fifths when it is approximately half finished, and one-fifth when it has been passed as completed after due inspection.

17. (1) Repayment shall be made by yearly or half-yearly instalments.
(2) The date of the first instalment shall be the time when profit begins to accrue, but shall in no case be later than two and-a-half years from the date of the actual advance of the loan, or, when the loan is advanced in instalments, from the date of the advance of the last instalment actually taken.

18. The date of the payment of the last instalment shall not ordinarily be later than twenty years from the date of the actual advance of the loan, or, when the loan is advanced in instalments, from the date of the advance of the last instalment actually taken, the amount of the instalments being fixed in cases in which such a principle is applicable, with reference to the annual profit expected to accrue from the improvement:

Provided that the whole amount of the loan or such portion of it as will be recovered shall in all cases be repaid before the expiry of the period for which the improvement is likely to be effective.

19. (1) In the case of a loan granted by instalments, if the applicant, after taking one or more instalments, fails to take any other instalment within six weeks from the date on which he is entitled to it, the Collector may declare the loan closed.

(2) The total of the instalments taken by the applicant shall then constitute the loan, which shall be treated as having been fully paid on the date on which the last instalment was actually taken; and a fresh arrangement for repayment shall be made by the Collector, consistent with rules 17 and 18, in modification of the certificate in Form D—II (a) granted to the applicant when the loan was sanctioned.

ILLUSTRATION.—A applies for and obtains sanction to a loan of Rs. 1,000 payable to him in three instalments, two of Rs. 400 each ($\frac{2}{5}$ ths of the total amount) and one of Rs. 200, payable respectively, on 1st January, 1st May and 1st September 1908. In the certificate granted to him, the loan is declared to be repayable in half-yearly instalments, beginning from the 1st October 1909. He takes only the first two instalments. The Collector may treat the loan as one of Rs. 800 completely paid on the 1st May 1908, and, if he does so, he must draw up a revised certificate in Form D—II (a) in which all the conditions of the repayment of the loan actually taken are to be recorded.

20. (1) The realization of instalments or of interest may be suspended, by the order, and at the discretion, of the Collector, on proof of failure of crops from causes beyond the borrower's control or of other exceptional calamity rendering the payment of instalments unduly burdensome to him.

(2) The Collector shall report every such suspension to the Commissioner, who shall pass such orders on the case as may seem proper.

(3) No interest shall be charged for the period of suspension. The total amount to be repaid shall remain the same as before.

(4) The power of suspension of payments of instalments which is conferred on the Collector by clause (1) of this rule may be exercised to the extent of Rs. 5,000 in any one case.

(5) Notwithstanding anything contained in clause (4) of this rule, in all cases where suspension of revenue or rent has been granted on a large scale over a wide area, a suspension of payment of instalments due during the period for which suspension of revenue or rent has been granted shall be made by the Collector without reference to any higher authority, and the effect of such suspension shall be to postpone for one instalment period at a time the payment of all remaining instalments due on the loan.

21. (1) It shall ordinarily be sufficient, if a work has been properly located and measured out beforehand, to make a detailed measurement after it has been completed, a careful inspection being made only when the work is about half done, with the object of ascertaining whether the second instalment of the loan should be paid.

(2) If the final measurements agree substantially with those specified in the original estimate, the account shall be closed, any difference being adjusted by the Collector.

22. (1) If at any time it is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector that any part of a loan has been misapplied, or that it is not being spent on the work for which it was intended, or that the statements made by the applicant in his application for the loan (Form D—I), or by his sureties in their bond proffering collateral security, as to the nature and extent of the encumbrances on the immoveable property pledged as security for the repayment of the loan, are in any particular untrue, the Collector may, after recording in writing the grounds of his decision, and subject to the control of the superior Revenue Authorities, proceed to recover the whole amount of the loan with such interest as may have become due thereon at the rate of $12\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum from the date on which the loan was made to the date of recovery.

(2) Before determining to take action under clause (1) of this rule, the Collector shall take into consideration the expense of supervision, even when that may have been supplied by the debtor himself.

23. (1) In the circumstances described in rule 22, interest shall also be levied at $12\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum for the period intervening between the date of the completion of the loan (in cases in which loans are granted in one payment), or between the dates of the payment of the instalments (in cases in which loans are granted in instalments), and the date from which the first instalment of interest, consolidated with the first instalment of the principal, becomes payable.

(2) The interest leviable in such cases shall be demanded in a lump sum on the date on which the first consolidated instalment of principal and interest is made payable.

24. If the work for which a loan is made is carried out to the satisfaction of the Collector, and in accordance with the conditions imposed by these rules, and if it is necessary to grant some remission, it shall take the form of a remission of land revenue. The loan with interest shall ordinarily be recovered.

25. When any portion of a loan or any interest leviable under rule 15 or rule 22 or rule 23, is found to be irrecoverable, a special report shall be made to the Board.

26. The Board of Revenue shall regulate the forms of all returns, registers and accounts relating to loans advanced under these rules.

FORM D—I.

(SER RULES 5, 6, 11 AND 22.)

Form of Application for Loan.

Name, father's name, residence, etc., of applicant.	Amount of loan required.	Nature of security, whether personal or otherwise, and whether, if it consists of immoveable property, such property is free from encumbrances, and, if not, the nature and extent of the encumbrance, and, if registered, the number and date of the registered deed and the name of the registry office.	Nature of proposed work.	Situation of land on which work is to be executed. Reference to the Khattian number in the record-of-rights (if any) in which the lands are contained should be given.	Applicant's rights in the land.	Proposed dates of repayment (to be filled up by the sanctioning officer).	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

Applicant's signature.

I/we declare that the statements made by me/us in the above application are true to my/our knowledge, except to matters stated on information and belief, and as to these I/we believe the same to be true.

Signature of applicant.

N.B.—Column 3.—The Enquiring Officer should, so far as may be possible, enquire into the statements made as to encumbrances, and record the result of his enquiries on the reverse of this form.

[REVERSE OF FORM D—I.]

The following particulars should be ascertained by the Enquiring Officer :—

- I.—Mahal, field number, area of land on which work is to be executed.
- II.—Status of applicant, i.e., whether proprietor or tenant. If a tenant, and the landholder's consent is required, whether the landlord objects.
- III.—Security—
 - (1) If the land itself or the land itself together with any other land belonging to the applicant,—the value of the applicant's interest in such land or lands, and the nature and extent of encumbrances, if any.
 - (2) If personal,—the names and status of the co-sureties.
 - (3) If land hypothecated by collateral surety,—its nature and value, and the nature and extent of pre-existing encumbrances, if any.
- IV.—The work—
 - (1) Its estimated utility and value.
 - (2) Objections, if any, of third parties.
- V.—Dates on which the instalments of the loan should be received by the applicant.

Recommendations of the Enquiring Officer.

NOTE.—Where a record-of-rights has been prepared, a reference should be made to that record, in order to ascertain the interest of the applicant, or that of his collateral surety, in the land which it is proposed to pledge.

FORM D—II (a).

(SEE RULES 3, 13 AND 19.)

Certificate granted under the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883.

To _____, son of _____, of _____

1. On production of this certificate, the aforesaid _____ is entitled to receive from Government, in the district of _____, the following sums, on the dates noted against them, as a loan to be expended on (here describe clearly the nature of the work) :—

Date.	Amount.
"	"
"	"

2. The conditions relating to the making and repayment of this loan are as follow :—

(a) That it shall be repayable on the dates and by the amounts specified below :—

Date.	Amount (Principal and interest).
"	"
"	"

(b) That it shall be applied solely to the carrying out of the work specified above, in such manner as may be approved by the Collector, and that, if it be proved to the satisfaction of the Collector that any part of the loan has been misapplied, or is not being spent on the work in question, the whole amount of the loan shall be deemed to become forthwith due, with interest at the rate of 12½ per cent. per annum, from the date on which the loan was made to the date of recovery.

(c) That, in the event of misapplication of the loan, interest shall also be levied at 12½ per cent. per annum for the period intervening between the date of the completion of the loan (in cases in which loans are granted in one payment), or between the dates of the payment of the instalments (in cases in which loans are granted in instalments), and the date from which the first instalment of interest, consolidated with the first instalment of the principal, becomes payable. The interest leviable in such cases shall be demanded in a lump sum on the date on which the first consolidated instalment of principal and interest is made payable.

(d) That, for the repayment of the loan, the immoveable property specified in the margin is hypothecated to Government.

N.B.—(1) Both the land to be improved, and any other land belonging to the applicant, which he may have hypothecated, as also any immoveable property hypothecated by others, as collateral security, should be described in the marginal specification as nearly as possible in the manner prescribed in section 21 of the Indian Registration Act, 1877.

N.B.—(2) In the description of immoveable property to be given in the margin, it shall be stated if the property is free from encumbrances, or, if not, what are the nature and extent of the encumbrances.

(e) That, if any instalment be not paid on the due date, the whole amount of the loan shall be deemed to have become due forthwith.

(f) That, if it be proved to the satisfaction of the Collector that the statements made by the aforesaid _____ in his application for this loan, as to the nature and extent of encumbrances, are in any particular untrue, the Collector may so declare in writing

and proceed to recover the whole amount of the loan with interest at the rate of 12½ per cent. per annum from the date on which the loan was made to the date of recovery.

(g) That the person to whom the loan is made shall carry out all directions which the Collector of the district, or any other person duly authorized in this behalf, may give with respect to (i) the manner in which the work will be executed, and (ii) the periodical returns to be furnished.

(h) (*Where a loan and a free grant are made under rule 3*).—That, if the work be not carried out to the satisfaction of the Collector, the amount given as a free grant shall be repaid, and shall be recoverable under the provisions of the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895.

*Signature of Collector or other
officer sanctioning the loan.*

I HAVE understood and agreed to the aforesaid terms and conditions.

Received contents.

Signature of applicant.

*Signature of payee (the payee should affix
a one-anna stamp if the loan exceeds Rs. 20.)*

FORM D—II (b).

(SEE RULE 13.)

Security Bond to be used when the Applicant gives Personal Security.

WHEREAS _____ has on _____ received from the Collector of _____ a certificate under the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883, and the rules made thereunder in virtue of which he is entitled to receive an aggregate sum of Rs. _____ as a loan from Government; We hereby agree that if the said _____ shall fail to comply with the terms on which the loan has been granted either by misapplying the same or by failing to pay any instalment on the date fixed for its payment we will be jointly and severally liable to Government for such sum not exceeding _____ as may be necessary to make good the amount which in consequence of his default he may have become liable to pay.

FORM D—II (c).

(SEE RULE 13.)

Hypothecation Bond to be used when immoveable property is proffered by Collateral Surety.

WHEREAS _____ has on _____ received from the Collector of _____ a certificate under the Land Improvement Loans Act 1883 and the rules made thereunder in virtue of which he is entitled to receive the aggregate sum of Rs. _____ as a loan from Government and whereas security for the due application of the loan and for the punctual repayment of the same according to the terms of the certificate is demanded from him; I _____ (or we _____) hereby mortgage to Government the immoveable property mentioned in the schedule below as collateral security, and agree that if he fails to comply with the terms on which the loan has been granted, either by misapplying the same or by failing to pay any instalment on the date fixed for its payment it shall be lawful for the Collector to recover from the said property such sum as may be necessary to make good the amount which in consequence of _____ failure to comply with the conditions of this certificate, may be due to Government.

SCHEDULE.

I _____ declare that the statements made by _____ in the above schedule as regards the nature and extent of the encumbrances on the immoveable property mortgaged by _____ as security for the repayment of the loan granted to _____ are true to _____ knowledge, save as to matters stated on information and belief, and as to these _____ believe the same to be true

N.B.—In describing the immoveable property to be mentioned in the schedule above it shall be stated whether the property is free from encumbrances, or, if not, what are the nature and extent of the encumbrances.

No. 1629 L.R.—The 23rd March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Agriculturists' Loans Act 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rules for Bengal (including the district of Sambalpur), as to loans to be made to owners and occupiers of arable land for the relief of distress, the purchase of seed or cattle, and other purposes not specified in the Land Improvement Loans Act, 1883, but connected with agricultural objects.

II.—The following Notifications are hereby cancelled, namely:—

No. 1287 L.R., dated the 28th February 1908, published at pages 560—566 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th March 1908.

No. 2504 L.R., dated the 15th July 1908, published at page 1305 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem.

No. 2741 L.R., dated the 24th July 1908, published at page 1358 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem.

No. 1013, dated the 11th March 1901, published at pages 62-63 of Part III of the *Central Provinces Gazette*, of the 16th idem.

No. 2318, dated the 14th May 1901, published at page 158, Part III of the *Central Provinces Gazette*, of the 18th idem.

No. 5165, dated the 9th October 1901, published at page 346, Part III of the *Central Provinces Gazette*, of the 12th idem.

So far as these three notifications relate to the district of Sambalpur.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RULES UNDER THE AGRICULTURISTS' LOANS ACT, XII OF 1884.

1. The Collector may sanction loans of sums not exceeding Rs. 700 in each case.
Power to sanction loans. Subdivisional officers and any Deputy Collector who may be specially empowered in this behalf by the Collector with the approval of the Commissioner may sanction loans not exceeding Rs. 250. Loans exceeding Rs. 700 shall require the sanction of the Commissioner, and loans exceeding Rs. 5,000 the sanction of the Board. The district allotment may not be exceeded without the sanction of the Commissioner.
2. Applications for loans may be presented to the Collector or to any other Revenue Officer not below the rank of a Kanungo authorised in this behalf by the Collector.
Application to whom to be made.
3. (i) Applications may be made orally or in writing.
(ii) The officers authorised by rule 2 to receive applications shall keep with them for free distribution copies of the annexed Form A, and shall do their best to secure the presentation of all written applications as nearly as possible in that form, but shall not reject any such application that may be presented in any other form.
Form of application.
(iii) If applications are received orally, they shall at once be reduced to writing by the officer authorised to receive them.
4. (i) A Revenue Officer receiving an application under rule 2 shall either make a local enquiry himself or cause one to be made by another Revenue Officer not below the rank of a Kanungo or by some reliable non-official agency, if available, for the purpose of ascertaining the particulars mentioned on the reverse of Form A.
Local enquiry.
(ii) A Kanungo shall be so employed only when a gazetted officer is not available.
5. If any Revenue Officer is not empowered by rule 1 to sanction the loan, he shall transmit the application with his report to the Collector, or to the officer who ordered the enquiry, as the case may be, provided that, if the receiving or enquiring officer is subordinate to a Subdivisional Officer he shall submit it to the Subdivisional Officer.
Submission of application with report of local enquiry.
6. The Local Government may, by general or special order, empower any person to perform all or any of the functions of a Collector or of a Revenue Officer referred to in rules 2, 4 and 5.
Delegation of functions.
7. (i) When the applicant possesses an interest in immoveable property of value sufficient to secure the whole amount that may become payable in respect of the loan, he shall mortgage that interest, or a sufficient portion thereof, to the Government as security for the payment of that amount, and no further security need be required from him.
Security.

(ii) When the applicant does not possess an interest in immoveable property of such value as aforesaid, he shall procure some person or persons to become his surety or sureties for the payment of the said amount.

(iii) When the sureties are a body of village residents who bind themselves jointly and severally to the Government for the payment of the said amount, their personal security may be accepted, provided that the sureties have executed a bond in the annexed Form C. In other cases, the security given by the surety or sureties shall consist of the mortgage of immoveable property.

(iv) The Collector must in every case satisfy himself that the security offered in whatever form it is given, is sufficient to guarantee the repayment of the loans, and when he is of opinion that security other than land is sufficient, such security may be accepted.

8. If the loan applied for is one that can be granted under the provisions of section 4, sub-section (1), of the Act, and if the security offered is good and sufficient, the officer dealing with the application or the

Procedure.

Collector, when the application and report have been transmitted to him under rule 5, may, on completion of the local enquiry, sanction the loan himself, if empowered by rule 1 to do so; otherwise the Collector shall forward the application, with his report thereon, to the Commissioner for disposal.

9. When the Revenue Officer, rather than the Collector, has power under rule 1 to

Disbursement of loans on the spot.

sanction the loan applied for, he may, as soon as the local enquiry is completed and the particulars mentioned on the reverse of Form A are filled in, take the security required by rule 11, sanction the loan, and, if so desired by the applicant, disburse it on the spot. Loans or instalments of loans sanctioned by the Collector or any higher authority may be disbursed in the village by Subdivisional officers and Deputy Collectors empowered under rule 1, and by any reliable non-official agency, where available:

Provided that disbursement on the spot may not in any case exceed Rs. 500 for a single item:

Provided also that, when any loan is payable in more than one instalment, the second or any subsequent instalment shall not be passed for payment by the sanctioning officer until he has had an enquiry made locally and satisfied himself that satisfactory progress is being made with the work for which the loan was sanctioned.

10. For the purposes of rule 9, the Revenue Officer may draw a lump sum at a time

Drawing of money on abstract bills. on an abstract bill, subject to the following restrictions:—

- (a) No officer disbursing loans under the said rule shall be allowed to draw a second abstract bill without producing a detailed bill to account for the amounts already disbursed from the last advance taken, any balance left being at the same time refunded into Government Treasury.
- (b) In no case shall the submission of the detailed bill be delayed beyond the end of the month following that in which the advance was drawn from the Treasury.
- (c) The disbursing officer shall take the receipts of the payees on the spot as soon as advances have been made, and shall certify at the foot of the detailed bill that the advances were duly sanctioned by him and paid in his presence.
- (d) The Collector shall prescribe a money limit for the amount which may be drawn on an abstract bill by each officer with due regard to the circumstances of each case.

*Explanation to clause (a).—*It is not intended that the money should actually be returned to the Treasury on each occasion. When preparing the detailed bill, the disbursing officer should only show in it the unexpended balance of the advance as refunded. This balance will be deducted at the Treasury from the amount of the abstract bill submitted for a further advance.

11. (i) If the loan is sanctioned, the applicant must sign the order granting the loan, which shall be in the annexed Form B, as nearly as

Order granting loan, and security bond.

may be.

(ii) If the security for the payment of the loan consists of the mortgage of an interest of the applicant, such as is referred to in clause (i) of rule 7, mortgage may be effected by clause (f) of Form B being inserted in the order granting the loan, and by the order being attested by at least two witnesses, and by a copy thereof being sent to the registering officer under section 89 of the Indian Registration Act, 1877, as amended by section 3, Act VII of 1886.

(iii) If the security is furnished by a surety or sureties, it shall be taken where the sureties give only personal security, in the annexed Form C, and where the surety or sureties mortgages or mortgage immoveable property, in the annexed Form D.

(iv) Every bond executed in Form D must be attested by at least two witnesses, and a copy of it must be sent to the registering officer under the said section 89 of the Indian Registration Act, 1877.

(v) If the loan is granted to a body of villagers who make themselves jointly and severally liable, they shall, in addition to signing the order in Form B, sign a bond in the annexed Form E.

12. A copy of the order granting the loan shall be given to the applicant, and, on presentation thereof, payment of the loan or of any instalment of the loan may be made to him either at the district

Payment where to be made.

or the subdivisional Treasury, or on the spot under rule 9.

13. (i) In the case of a loan granted by instalments, if the applicant, after taking one or more instalments, fails to take any other instalment within six weeks from the date on which he is entitled to it, the Collector may declare the loan closed.

Closure of loan on failure to take instalment due.

(ii) The total of the instalments taken by the applicant shall then constitute the loan, which shall be treated as having been fully paid on the date on which the last instalment was actually taken; and a fresh arrangement for repayment shall be made by the Collector, consistent with rules 17 and 18 in modification of the order in Form B granted to the applicant when the loan was sanctioned.

ILLUSTRATION.—A applies for and obtains sanction to a loan of Rs. 100, payable to him in four instalments of Rs. 25 on the 1st January, the 1st April, the 1st July, and the 1st October 1908. In the order granted to him, the loan is declared to be repayable in half-yearly instalments, beginning from 1st October 1909. He takes only the first two instalments. The Collector may treat the loan as one of Rs. 50, completely paid on the 1st April 1908, and if he does so, he must draw up a revised order in Form B, in which all the conditions of the repayment of the loan actually taken are to be recorded.

14. (i) The ordinary rate of interest on loans shall be one anna in the rupee, or $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. per annum.

Interest on loans.

(ii) The Local Government may, for special reasons and on special application through the Board of Revenue, sanction a loan at a lower rate of interest or without interest.

(iii) If any instalment of principal or of interest, or of consolidated principal and interest, is not paid when it falls due, the Collector shall charge interest on it at $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. per annum from the date of its falling due to the date of payment:

Provided that, whenever the Collector is satisfied that the default is due to inability to pay, and that the levy of such interest would be productive of hardship, he may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, reduce or remit it.

(iv) In charging penal interest on overdue instalments not suspended under rule 20, the same period of 15 days' grace shall be allowed as in the case of payments of cesses, and thereafter interest shall be charged on the total of the overdue instalment at the same rate as the interest on the loan.

15. (i) Interest shall be levied for the period intervening between the date of the completion of the loan (in cases in which loans are granted in one payment), or between the dates of the payment of the instalments (in cases in which loans are granted in instalments), and the date from which the first instalment of interest, consolidated with the first instalment of the principal, becomes payable.

Interest for intervening period.

(ii) The interest leviable in such cases shall be demanded in a lump sum on the date on which the first consolidated instalment of principal and interest is made payable.

16. (i) The repayment of the loan shall be made in accordance with the Table of Equated Repayments of Taccavi Loans, prepared by the Accountant-General, Bengal, similar to the annexed Form F, which shows the amounts of equal yearly payments necessary to repay a loan advanced with interest at $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. per annum for any number of years from one to twenty.

(ii) When the instalments are payable half-yearly, the sums to be paid each half year shall be half the sum shown in the said Table for a yearly instalment.

17. Repayment shall be by equated yearly or half-yearly instalments, the date of the first instalment not being later than one year from the date of the actual advance of the loan, or, when the loan is advanced in instalments, from the date of the advance of the last instalment actually paid.

Repayment by instalments; date of first instalment.

18. The date of the last instalment shall not be later than five years from the date of the actual advance of the loan, or, when the loan is advanced in instalments, ten years from the date of the advance of the last instalment actually paid.

Date of last instalment.

19. The dates for payment of instalments (annual or half-yearly) shall be fixed by the Collector, with the sanction of the Commissioner, for each thana of his district, with reference to the season when repayment can most easily be made.

Date of repayments of loans.

Explanation.—The season at which repayment can most easily be made will ordinarily be the time when crops grown for sale are taken to market. In jute districts, for instance, it would probably be best to provide for repayment by one annual instalment in September, when the jute crop is sold, except in cases where the borrower himself prefers to pay in two yearly instalments.

20. (i) The realisation of instalments or of interest may be suspended by the Collector on proof of failure of crops from causes beyond the borrower's control, or of other exceptional calamity rendering the payment of the instalments unduly burdensome to him.

Suspension of instalments or of interest.

(ii) The Collector shall report every such suspension to the Commissioner, who shall pass such orders on the case as may seem proper.

(iii) No interest shall be charged for the period of suspension; the total amount to be repaid shall remain the same as before.

(iv) The power of suspension of payments of instalments or of interest on loans, which is conferred on the Collector by clause (i) of this rule, may be exercised to the extent of Rs. 700 in any one case.

(v) Notwithstanding anything contained in clause (iv) of this rule, in all cases where suspension of revenue or rent has been granted on a large scale over a wide area, a suspension of payment of instalments due during the period for which suspension of revenue or rent has been granted shall be made by the Collector without reference to any higher authority, and the effect of such suspension shall be to postpone, for one instalment period at a time, the payment of all remaining instalments due on the loan.

21. (i) The Collector shall, in no case, without reference to the Commissioner, remit repayment of a loan; and he may recommend remission only in cases where the recovery of the loan in full would occasion serious hardship.

(ii) Remission may be sanctioned by the Commissioner up to the amount of loan a Collector may sanction, and by the Board up to the amount a Commissioner may sanction. Larger remissions shall, in all cases, require the sanction of the Local Government.

22. (i) If, at any time, it is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector that any part of a loan has been misapplied, he may, after recording in writing the grounds of his decision, and subject to the control of the superior Revenue authorities, proceed to recover the whole amount of the loan, with such interest and costs (if any) as may be payable in respect thereof.

(ii) Before determining to take action under clause (i) of this rule, the Collector shall take into consideration the expense of supervision, even when that may have been supplied by the debtor himself.

23. The Board of Revenue shall regulate the forms of all returns, registers, and accounts relating to loans under the Act.

24. In these rules, "Collector" includes a Deputy Commissioner.

"Collector."

FORM A.

(See rules 3, 4, and 9.)

FORM OF APPLICATION.

Name, father's name, residence, etc., of applicant.	Amount of loan required.	Nature of security, whether personal or otherwise, and whether, if it consists of immoveable property, such property is free from encumbrances, and if not, the nature and extent of the encumbrances and, if registered, the number and date of the registered deed and the name of the registry office.	Object of the loan.	Situation of the land owned or occupied by applicant. Reference to the Khatian number in the record-of-rights (if any), in which the lands are contained, shall be given.	Applicant's rights in the land.	Proposed dates of repayment.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

I, we declare that the statements made by us in the above application are true to my knowledge, except as to matters stated on information and belief, and as to these I we believe the same to be true.

Signature of Applicant.

N.B.—Column 3.—The Enquiring Officer should, so far as may be possible, enquire into the statements made as to encumbrances, and record the result of his enquiries on the reverse of this form.

[REVERSE OF FORM A.]

Particulars to be filled in by the Enquiring Officer.

- I.—Field number, and area of land owned or occupied by applicant, and Mahal in which it is situated.
- II.—Status of applicant, that is, whether proprietor or tenant.

III.—Security—

- (i) If an interest of the applicant in immoveable property, the nature and value of that interest, and the nature and extent of pre-existing encumbrances thereon, if any.
- (ii) Where sureties offer personal security, their number, names, residence, status and means.
- (iii) If property other than the land itself, its nature and value, and nature and extent of encumbrances, if any.

IV.—Repayment—

- (i) Suitable date for first instalment, with reference to the circumstances under which the loan is applied for.
- (ii) Proposed instalments and period of repayment.

V.—Date on which the loan or any instalment thereof should be received by the applicant.

Recommendations of the Enquiring Officer.

NOTE.—Where record-of-rights has been prepared, reference should be made to that record in order to ascertain the interest of the applicant, or that of his collateral surety, in the land which it is proposed to pledge.

FORM B.

(SEE RULES 11 AND 13.)

Order granting loan under the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884, and the rules made thereunder.

To _____, son of _____ of _____.

1. On production of this order the aforesaid _____ is entitled to receive from Government, in the district of _____, the following sums, on the dates noted against each, as a loan to be expended on (here describe clearly the object of the loan)—

Date.	Amount.
"	"

2. The conditions relating to the making and repayment of this loan are as follow:—

(a) That it, with the interest and costs (if any) due in respect thereof, shall be repayable on the dates and by the amounts specified below:—

Date.	Amount (principal and interest).	Costs.	Total.
"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"

(b) That in the case of a loan granted by instalments, if the applicant, after taking one or more instalments, fails to take any other instalment within six weeks from the date on which he is entitled to it, the Collector may declare the loan closed. The total of the instalments taken by the applicant shall then constitute the loan, which shall be treated as having been fully paid on the date on which the last instalment was actually taken; and a fresh arrangement for repayment shall be made by the Collector, consistent with rules 17 and 18, in modification of this order.

(c) That interest shall be levied for the period intervening between the date of the completion of the loan (in cases in which loans are granted in one payment), or between the dates of the payment of the instalments (in cases in which loans are granted in instalments), and the date from which the first instalment of interest, consolidated with the first instalment of the principal, becomes payable. The interest leviable in such cases shall be demanded in a lump sum on the date on which the first consolidated instalment of principal and interest is made payable.

(d) That the loan be applied solely to the purpose specified above, and that, if at any time it is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector that any part of the loan has been misapplied, he may proceed to recover the whole amount of the loan with such interest and costs (if any) as may be payable in respect thereof.

(e) That, if any instalment is not repaid on the due date, the whole amount payable in respect of the loan shall be deemed to have become due.

(f) That, as security for the repayment of the loan, with any interest and costs that may become payable in respect of the same, the immoveable property specified in the margin is hereby mortgaged to Government.

This clause is to be inserted when the security for the repayment of the loan consists of the mortgage of an interest of the applicant in immoveable property.

- (g) That, if it be proved to the satisfaction of the Collector that the statements, made by the aforesaid in his application for this loan, as to the nature and extent of encumbrances, are in any particular untrue, the Collector may so declare in writing, and thereupon the whole of such loan, with such interest as may become due thereon, shall forthwith become due and payable.

*Signature of Collector, Subdivisional Officer,
or Deputy Collector.*

I understand and agree to the aforesaid terms and condition.

Received contents.

Signature of person to whom the loan is made.

Signature of the payee.

FORM C.

(SEE RULES 7 AND 11.)

Security bond to be used when sureties give personal security only.

WHEREAS has on received from the Collector of an order under the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884, and the rules made thereunder, in virtue of which he is entitled to receive the sum of Rs. as a loan from Government for the purpose of (here state the purpose for which the loan is given); We hereby agree that if the said shall fail to comply with the terms on which the loan has been sanctioned, either by misapplying the same, or by failing to repay any instalment of the same or any interest or costs payable in respect thereof on the date on which it may become due, we will be jointly and severally liable to Government for such sum, not exceeding , as may be necessary to make good the amount which, in consequence of his default, he may have become liable to pay.

FORM D.

(SEE RULE 11.)

Security bond to be used when the security given by a surety or sureties consists of a mortgage of immoveable property.

WHEREAS has on received from the Collector of an order under the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884, and the rules made thereunder, in virtue of which he is entitled to receive the sum of Rs. as a loan from Government for the purpose of (here state the purpose for which the loan is given), and whereas security for the due application of the loan and for the punctual repayment of the same according to the terms of the order is demanded from the said ; I (or we) mortgage to Government the immoveable property mentioned in the schedule below, as security for the purposes aforesaid, and agree that if the said fails to comply with the terms on which the loan has been sanctioned, either by misapplying the said loan or by failing to repay any instalment of the same or any interest or costs payable in respect thereof on the date on which it may become due, it shall be lawful for the Collector to recover from ^{me}_{us} personally, or from the said property, or from both, such sum as may be necessary to make good the amount which, in consequence of the said 's default, may have become due to Government.

SCHEDULE.

¹_{we} declare that the statements made by ^{me}_{us} in the above schedule as regards the nature and extent of the encumbrances on the immoveable property mortgaged by ^{me}_{us} as security for the repayment of the loan granted to are true to ^{my}_{our} knowledge, save as to matters stated on information and belief, and as to these ¹_{we} believe the same to be true.

Signature.

FORM E.

(SEE RULE 11.)

Bond to be executed by villagers as security for a loan granted to them.

We, the undersigned persons as set forth in the schedule below, do hereby execute this joint and several bond, and do agree and will be firmly bound by the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned.

Whereas we have on _____ received from the Collector of _____, under the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884, an order, dated the _____, and the rules made thereunder, in virtue of which we are entitled to receive the sum of _____ Rs. _____ as a loan from Government: We do hereby agree (1) that all and every one of us and our heirs and representatives and the heirs and representatives of each of us shall be jointly and severally bound to the Government for the payment of the whole amount payable in respect thereof; (2) that the conditions set forth in the above-mentioned order will be binding on us and on our heirs and representatives and on the heirs and representatives of each one of us jointly and severally; and (3) that in case of default in repaying the said loan or any portion thereof the Government will have the right and power to realise the whole and every part of the money payable, from the person and property, whether moveable or immoveable, and whether mentioned in the said order or not, of all and of every one of us and of all and each of our heirs and representatives and the heirs and representatives of each one of us jointly and severally in accordance with the said Act and rules and in conformity with the terms and conditions of the said order.

Signed.
by caste
2 &c.
3 &c.
4 &c.

son of

resident of

Witnesses.

FORM F.

(SEE RULE 16.)

Table showing equated payments in liquidation of Loans under the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884. Interest $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. per annum: period of grace—1 year.

EQUATED YEARLY PAYMENTS.

Amount of Loan.	YEARS.									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
50	53 2	27 0	18 13	14 8	11 5	10 4	9 1	8 2	7 7	6 14
100	106 4	54 12	37 9	29 0	23 14	20 8	18 1	16 4	14 14	13 13
200	212 8	109 8	75 3	58 1	47 13	41 0	36 2	32 8	29 12	27 8
300	318 12	164 8	112 12	87 1	71 11	61 8	54 3	49 12	44 9	41 4
400	425 0	218 15	150 6	110 2	95 10	82 0	73 5	66 1	59 7	55 0
500	531 4	273 11	187 15	145 2	119 8	102 8	90 6	81 5	74 5	68 12
600	637 8	328 7	225 7	174 2	143 6	122 13	108 7	97 9	89 3	82 8
700	743 12	383 3	263 1	203 3	167 5	143 7	126 8	113 13	104 1	96 4
800	850 0	437 14	300 11	232 3	191 3	163 15	144 9	130 1	118 15	110 0
900	958 4	492 10	338 4	261 3	215 2	184 7	162 10	146 6	133 12	123 12
1,000	1,062 8	547 0	375 14	290 4	239 0	204 15	180 12	162 10	148 10	137 8

Amount of Loan.	YEARS.									
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
50	6 7	0 1	5 12	5 7	5 4	5 0	4 14	4 11	4 9	4 7
100	12 13	19 1	11 7	10 15	10 7	10 1	9 11	9 7	9 2	8 14
200	24 11	38 3	22 14	21 14	20 15	20 2	19 7	18 13	18 4	17 15
300	36 8	56 4	34 0	32 12	31 0	30 3	29 2	28 4	27 6	26 11
400	48 6	74 6	45 13	43 11	41 14	40 4	38 11	37 10	36 9	35 9
500	60 3	92 7	57 5	54 10	52 5	50 6	48 9	47 1	45 11	44 8
600	72 1	110 9	69 12	65 9	62 13	60 6	58 5	56 8	54 13	53 6
700	83 14	128 10	80 4	76 7	73 4	70 7	68 0	65 14	63 15	62 4
800	95 11	146 11	91 11	87 8	83 11	80 8	77 12	75 5	73 1	71 3
900	107 9	164 13	103 2	98 5	94 3	90 9	87 7	84 11	82 4	80 1
1,000	120 0	182 14	114 10	109 4	104 10	100 10	97 3	94 2	91 0	88 12

No. 1710 L.R.—The 26th March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (v) of section 264 of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rules prescribing the manner in which the possession of land should be given under sub-section (2) of section 50 of that Act:—

1. (1) Whenever the Deputy Commissioner determines, under sub-section (2) of section 50 of the Act, to give possession of land to a landlord on the tenant refusing to accept payment therefor, he shall issue a warrant to the Head Bailiff of his Court, directing him to cause possession of the land to be given to the landlord.

(2) If the area included in a holding has been surveyed in the course of making a Government survey and record-of-rights, then the plot numbers of the lands constituting the holding shall be entered in the warrant.

2. The officer executing the warrant shall proclaim the substance thereof by beat of drum—

(a) in the village in which the land is situate, and also in some conspicuous place on the land itself, and

(b) when the land is situate in more than one village, then in each such village and in some conspicuous place on the land in each such village separately.

3. The said officer shall also affix a copy of the warrant to a tree standing in a conspicuous part of the land, or, if there is no suitable tree, then to a pole firmly fixed in the ground in a conspicuous place and standing not less than eight feet above the ground.

4. The said officer shall, before giving possession, notify the substance of the warrant—

(a) to the tenant whom it is intended to dispossess, if he is residing in the village or can be found without unreasonable delay, or

(b) if there be an agent of the tenant in the village, then to such agent.

5. Immediately after giving possession, the said officer shall record, on the back of the warrant, the fact that he has given possession, and a description of the manner in which, and the persons in whose presence, possession was given.

6. He shall read the said record to two or more respectable and independent persons of the village, and shall ask them to witness the delivery of possession and to sign the record or affix their thumb impressions to it, if correct. One of these persons should, if possible, be the headman of the village.

7. When possession is given of lands situate in different villages, the procedure prescribed by these rules shall be followed in each such village.

8. The said record shall then be forwarded without delay to the Deputy Commissioner who issued the warrant.

No. 1711 L.R.—The 26th March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (v) of section 264 of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rules prescribing the manner in which the possession of land should be given under section 71, of that Act:—

1. (1) Whenever the Deputy Commissioner determines, under section 71 of the Act to replace in possession of his tenancy or a portion thereof, a tenant who has been ejected therefrom in contravention of section 68, he shall issue a warrant to the Head Bailiff of his Court, directing him to cause possession of the tenancy or portion to be given to the tenant.

(2) If the area included in the tenancy or portion thereof has been surveyed in the course of making a Government survey and record-of-rights, then the plot numbers of the lands constituting the tenancy or portion shall be entered in the warrant.

2. The officer executing the warrant shall proclaim the substance thereof by beat of drum—

(a) in the village in which the land is situate, and also in some conspicuous place on the land itself, and

(b) when the land is situate in more than one village, then in each such village and in some conspicuous place on the land in each such village separately.

3. The said officer shall also affix a copy of the warrant to a tree standing in a conspicuous part of the land, or, if there is no suitable tree, then to a pole firmly fixed in the ground in a conspicuous place and standing not less than eight feet above the ground.

4. The said officer shall, before giving possession, notify the substance of the warrant—

(a) to the landlord whom it is intended to dispossess, if he is residing in the village or can be found without unreasonable delay, or

(b) if there be an agent of the landlord in the village, then to such agent.

5. Immediately after giving possession, the said officer shall record, on the back of the warrant, the fact that he has given possession, and a description of the manner in which, and the persons in whose presence, possession was given.

6. He shall read the said record to two or more respectable and independent persons of the village and shall ask them to witness the delivery of possession and to sign the record or affix their thumb-impressions to it, if correct. One of these persons should, if possible, be the headman of the village.

7. When possession is given of lands situate in different villages, the procedure prescribed by these rules shall be followed in each such village.

8. The said record shall then be forwarded without delay to the Deputy Commissioner who issued the warrant.

No. 1712 L.R.—The 26th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 9 of the Sonthal Parganas Settlement Regulation III of 1872, as amended by section 4 of the Sonthal Parganas Rent Regulation II of 1886, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that a settlement shall be made of the areas specified below, situated within the undermentioned estates in the Sonthal Parganas:—

Subdivision.	Name of estate.	No. of village.	Tauzi No.
Deoghur ...	Taluk Balsora, mauza Khejuria ...	1	27
Godda ...	„ Amlomotia with chak Chattapara ...	1	460
	„ Diara, mauza Pindra, with chak Gorra.	1	445
			Bhagalpur.

No. 1713 L.R.—The 26th March 1909.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of the following estates situated within the district of the Sonthal Parganas, and that the boundaries of estates, tenures, mauzas and fields shall be demarcated on the lands so to be surveyed:—

Subdivision.	Name of estate.	No. of village.	Tauzi No.
Deoghur ...	Taluk Balsora, mauza Khejuria ...	1	27
Godda ...	„ Amlomotia with chak Chattapara ...	1	460
	„ Diara, mauza Pindra, with chak Gorra.	1	445
			Bhagalpur.

No. 1757 L.R.—The 27th March 1909.—The undermentioned officers are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the district of Midnapore:—

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| (1) | Babu Amulya Charan Datta, | Sub-Deputy Collector. |
| (2) | „ Sarbari Kanta Gupta, | ditto. |
| (3) | „ Shailesh Nath Mukharji, | ditto. |
| (4) | „ Amulya Krishna Datta, | ditto. |
| (5) | „ Kshetra Mohan Mukharji, | ditto. |
| (6) | „ Chandra Shekhar Mukharji, | ditto. |
| (7) | „ Srimohan Das Gupta, | ditto. |
| (8) | „ Mohini Mohan Senapati, | ditto. |
| (9) | „ Lalit Kumar Son, | ditto. |
| (10) | „ Satamanyu Mukharji, | ditto. |

No. 1758 L.R.—The 27th March 1909.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the following officers are appointed to be Assistant Superintendents of Survey in the district of Midnapore:—

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| (1) | Babu Amulya Charan Datta, | Sub-Deputy Collector. |
| (2) | „ Sarbari Kanta Gupta, | ditto. |
| (3) | „ Shailesh Nath Mukharji, | ditto. |
| (4) | „ Amulya Krishna Datta, | ditto. |
| (5) | „ Kshetra Mohan Mukharji, | ditto. |
| (6) | „ Chandra Shekhar Mukharji, | ditto. |
| (7) | „ Srimohan Das Gupta, | ditto. |
| (8) | „ Mohini Mohan Senapati, | ditto. |
| (9) | „ Lalit Kumar Sen, | ditto. |
| (10) | „ Satamanyu Mukharji, | ditto. |

No. 1759 L.R.—The 27th March 1909.—The undermentioned officers are authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1898 and Bengal Act I of 1907, to discharge the functions of a Revenue-officer, under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue-officers, for the purpose of a survey and the preparation of a record of rights, in the district of Midnapore.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under rule 40 (Chapter VI) of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act:—

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| (1) | Babu Amulya Charan Datta, | Sub-Deputy Collector. |
| (2) | „ Sarfari Kanta Gupta. | ditto. |
| (3) | „ Shailesh Nath Mukharji, | ditto. |
| (4) | „ Amulya Krishna Datta, | ditto. |
| (5) | „ Ksbetra Mohan Mukharji, | ditto. |
| (6) | „ Chandra Shekhar Mukharji, | ditto. |
| (7) | „ Srimohan Das Gupta, | ditto. |
| (8) | „ Mohini Mohan Senapati. | ditto. |
| (9) | „ Lalit Kumar Sen, | ditto. |
| (10) | „ Satamanyu Mukharji, | ditto. |

No. 1760 L.A.—*The 29th March 1909.*—Declaration No. 380 L.A., dated the 2nd December 1907, published at pages 2050 and 2051, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th idem, regarding acquisition of land by the Cossipur-Chitpore Municipality for the site of an office building, is hereby cancelled.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1694 L.A.—*The 25th March 1909.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Dhanpota Khal from Mograhat to Dhanpota in connection with the Mograhat Drainage Scheme, it is hereby declared that a portion of Mograhat-Joynagore Khal and a strip of land, about 2 miles long with a width of from 25 feet to 80 feet, passing through or near the villages Arjunpore, Bankipore, Balaría, Belondapore, Muksidpore, Fajkar, Dhanpota, in parganas Borihaty and Sonagar, in the district 24-Parganas, are required for the above purpose. The total area of the tract is more or less 49 bighas 17 cottas 7 chittaks of standard measurement. This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, No. 13, Kyd Street, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1685 L.A.—*The 25th March 1909.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for flood embankment in connection with the Mograhat Drainage Scheme on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek in the villages of Madhabpore and Rainagar, pargana Muragacha, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 20 bighas 3 cottas 12 chittaks of standard measurement, bounded;

On the North—By the boundary line of the Eastern Bengal State Railway and bush land by the side of the old Ferry Ghat;

On the East and South—By the land already acquired for the Hooghly left embankment, and,

On the West—By the old Creek bed,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Madhabpore and Rainagar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, No. 13, Kyd Street, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1686 L.A.—*The 25th March 1909.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the quarters of the Forest Ranger in charge of the Porahat Range in the village of Chakradharpur, pargana Porahat, zilla Singhbhum, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 10 cottas and 12 chittaks of standard measure-

ment, equivalent to 1 acre 2 roods 9 poles and 18 yards, bounded on the north by the cultivated land of village Chakradharpur, on the south Ranchi-Chaibassa road, on the east by the cultivated land and school compound, and on the west by the cultivated land of village Chakradharpur, is required within the aforesaid village of Chakradharpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Singhbhum.

F. W. DUKK.

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1687 L.A.—The 25th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Mining Inspector's

— quarters at Asansol, in the village of Santha, pargana Shergarh, zilla Bardwan, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 bighas 9 cottaks of standard measurement, bounded—

On the North—By the side lands of the Grand Trunk Road;

On the South—By the cultivated lands of Mahananda Gope and others of Rohini dihi and danga lands of A. G. Apear; and

On the West and East—By the danga lands of A. G. Apear, is required within the aforesaid village of Santha.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894 and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bardwan.

F. W. DUKK.

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1688 L.A.—The 25th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a road to the

Sisaram Mortuary in the village of Chandaathoo, pargana Sasaram, zilla Shahabad, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 7 cottaks 1 chittak of standard measurement, bounded—

On the North—By the existing drain and Assistant Surgeon's quarter;

On the South—By the Mortuary;

On the East—By the field of Haluman Koiri, Jagannal and Jaimangal Tiwari; and

On the West—By the Jagannal and Jaimangal Tiwari's field, is required within the aforesaid village of Chandaathoo.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Shahabad,

F. W. DUKK.

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1706 L.A.—The 26th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz., for silt clearance

of Surjapore Inner Khal in connection with the Mograhat Drainage Scheme, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a strip of land, about 9 miles long with a width from 30 feet to 120 feet, passing through or near the undermentioned villages in parganas Medanmolla and Burijhati in the district of 24-Parganas, is required for the above purpose. The total area of the strip is, more or less, 207 bighas 7 cottaks and 3½ chittaks of standard measurement:—1. Surjipore; 2. Keyatala; 3. Bolbola; 4. Borodarga; 5. Gazirat; 6. Bansudria; 7. Multi Dadpore; 8. Multichaudpore; 9. Nrisinghapore (Multi); 10. Nrisinghapore (Chandpore); 11. Hansgorin; 12. Kamdebpore; 13. Raypore; 14. Borati; 15. Gollaria.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1709 L.A.—The 26th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a pipe sluice for drainage of the Telegraph Office compound at Hooghly point in 38th mile of 24-Parganas embankment, in the village of Noorpur, pargana Muragacha, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, two pieces of land, measuring, more or less, 14 cottahs 4 chittaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

PLOT 1.

On the North and West—By the Telegraph Office compound and land belonging to Hari Proshad Ray Chowdhury and others;
On the East—By the land of Hari Proshad Ray Chowdhury and others, and
On the South—By the Government embankment.

PLOT 2.

On the North—By the Government embankment;
On the East and West—By the village land of Noorpur, and
On the South—By the river Hooghly,

are required within the aforesaid village of Noorpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, 13, Kyd Street, Calcutta.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1756 L.A.—The 29th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a Forest rest-house, in the village of Larasara, in the tahsil and district of Sambalpur, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1.15 acre, bounded on the—

North—Khasra No. 376;
East—,, Nos. 304, 305 and 470;
South—,, „ 470 and 307;
West—,, No. 307,

is required within the aforesaid village of Larasara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Sambalpur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1761 L.A.—The 29th March 1909.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company, for sanitation improvements at the Dinapur railway station in the villages of Adampur and Khagaul, pargana Phulwari, zilla Patna, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, three plots of land measuring, more or less, 20 bighas 1 cottah 0.484 chittaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

PLOT No. I.

North—By public road;
South—By Railway land;
East—By public road and Mr. Ambler's garden;
West—By railway land.

PLOT No. II.

North—By public road ;
South—By public road and Mr. Ambler's garden ;
East—By Rifle Range's land and Nazir Ali's garden ;
West—By road ;

PLOT No. III.

North—By public road ;
South—By public road and Railway land ;
East—By road ;
West—By Railway land and public road,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Adampur and Khagoul.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Dinapur.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

BENGAL VETERINARY COLLEGE.

THE undermentioned students have passed the Diploma Examination of the Bengal Veterinary College held in March 1909:—

(In order of merit.)

No.	Name.	Address.
1.	Hem Chandra Das Gupta	... Kartiopore P.-O., Faridpore.
2.	Hem Chandra Sen ...	... Howabara, Sylhet, Assam.
3.	Dhana Krishna Mukharji	... Kreeper Road, Konnagore, Hooghly
4.	Mofezur Rahman Borrah	... Sibsagar, Assam.
5.	Bhupendra Nath Das Gupta	... Wari, Dacca.
6.	Saiyid Ataul Hakk ...	... Nazira, Sibsagar, Assam.
7.	Fazlur Rahman ...	... Daulatpore, Gaya.
8.	Kanak Chandra Sarman ...	... Dibrugarh, Assam.
9.	Jatindra Nath Mukharji ...	... 2, Soshi Bhusan Chatterji's Lane, Talla.
10.	Jamait Uddin Ahmed ...	... Desangmuk, Sibsagar, Assam.
11.	{ Nagendra Nath Mitra ...	... 73, Shampukur Street, Calcutta.
	{ Jitendra Kumar Basu ...	... Ranaghat, Nadia.
13.	{ Manindra Nath Mazumdar	... Gachihata, Mymensingh.
	{ Prabodh Chandra Das ...	... Joynagore, 24-Parganas.
15.	Nanda Lal Datta ...	... Bettia, Champaran.
16.	Prabodh Chandra Bhattacharji	... Bhatpara, 24-Parganas.
17.	{ Jitendra Nath Guha ...	... Shanshidhi, Dacca.
	{ Indu Bhushan Ghosh ...	... 4, Nabin Sirkar's Lane, Calcutta.
19.	Sakhi Chand Prasad ...	... Dahiwan, Chapra, Saran.
20.	Birendra Nath Nandi ...	... Kashiapur, Tahirpore P.-O., Rajshahi.
21.	Nirad Chandra Sen Gupta	... Sakrail P.-O., Tangail, Mymensingh.
22.	Hari Mohan Dev ...	... Jalsuka P.-O., Sylhet, Assam.
23.	Satish Chandra Basu ...	... Hathuwa, Saran.
24.	Suresh Chandra Ray ...	... Kurikahunia, Sauria P.-O., Dacca.
25.	Muhammad Nasir Ahmed	... Ellore P.-O. Kistna, Madras.

BELGACHIA,
The 12th March 1909.

E. H. BRAND,
for Principal, Bengal Veterinary College.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1971.—*The 27th March 1909.*—The draft rules for the prevention of excavations on the site of Patliputra, published under the Notification No. 35, dated the 4th January 1909, in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th January 1909, are confirmed under section 3 (3) of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII of 1904).

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATIONS.

No. 1878.—The 24th March 1909.—Maulvi Saiyid Fida Ali, 2nd Inspector, Registration offices (on special duty), is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and twenty days, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

No. 1940.—The 26th March 1909.—Babu Ganesh Chandra Ray is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Mankar, in the district of Burdwan, with effect from the 19th February 1909, or until further orders.

No. 1956.—The 26th March 1909.—Maulvi Abdul Aziz, Sub-Registrar of Mangalkot, in the district of Burdwan, who was granted leave, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for four months and seventeen days, with effect from the 12th October 1908, under Government Notification No. 1545, dated the 12th March 1909, was granted an extension of leave up to the 1st March 1909.

No. 2014.—The 29th March 1909.—Kumar Ramendra Lala Mitter, District Sub-Registrar, Jessore, is allowed medical leave, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, in extension of the combined leave, granted to him under Government Notification No. 66, dated the 5th January 1909.

No. 2016.—The 29th March 1909.—Babu Jogendra Nath Banarji was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Lakhmipasa, in the district of Jessore, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent Sub-Registrar.

No. 2018.—The 29th March 1909.—Maulvi Mustafa Ali Khan, Sub-Registrar, Kharagpur, in the district of Monghyr, was granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 15th February 1909.

No. 2020.—The 29th March 1909.—Babu Bhagaban Das was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Kharagpur, in the district of Monghyr, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent Sub-Registrar.

No. 2022.—The 29th March 1909.—Babu Tarapada Bhattacharji, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, acted temporarily as Sub-Registrar of Lalbagh, in the same district, from the 6th January to the 11th February 1909.

No. 2024.—The 29th March 1909.—Maulvi Saiyid Zaki Riza, Officiating Sub-Registrar, Dankal-Azimganj, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Lalbagh, in the same district.

No. 2026.—The 29th March 1909.—Babu Indu Shekhar Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Lalbagh, in the same district, with effect from the 12th February 1909, until relieved by Maulvi Saiyid Zaki Riza.

No. 2028.—The 29th March 1909.—Maulvi Ali Kasim Khan, Sub-Registrar, Lakhisarai, in the district of Monghyr, is granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

No. 2030.—The 29th March 1909.—Maulvi Kra Yusuf Mirza, Sub-Registrar, Monghyr, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Lakhisarai, in that district, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent Sub-Registrar, or until further orders.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 304-S.R.—The 26th March 1909.—Babu Sashi Sekhar Ray, Special Excise Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Darbhanga, *vice* Babu Krishna Lal Dey, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

No. 302-O.—The 26th March 1909.—Mr. W. English, Assistant Opium Agent, on leave reported his departure from India on the 27th February 1909.

No. 303-O.—The 29th March 1909.—Maulvi Muhammad Salim, Assistant Opium Agent, now performing the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Partabgarh, is transferred to Mainpuri, and is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of that Division.

Partabgarh.
Mainpuri.

Mr. R. W. Pyne, Assistant Opium Agent, Bara Banki, is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Partabgarh Division, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Salim, transferred.

No. 314-O.—The 30th March 1909.—Mr. W. B. Talbot, Assistant Opium Agent, is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Patna, with effect from the departure, on leave, of Mr. A. Burt, until further orders.

No. 315-O.—The 30th March 1909.—Mr. C. H. McBrien, Assistant Opium Agent attached to the Benares Opium Agency, is granted combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 336 of the Regulations, with effect from the 12th April 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2747A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2199A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Ram Charan Mallik, Subordinate Judge, Nadia, on leave, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge, Nadia, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Krishnagar Munsifi.

No. 2203A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Nilalohit Mukharji, Subordinate Judge, on leave, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge, Shahabad, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Arrah and Buxar Munsifs.

No. 2205A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Rajnarayan Mukharji, Subordinate Judge, is appointed to be a Subordinate Judge, Midnapore, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Midnapore.

No. 2209A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Bidhu Bhushan Banarji, Officiating Subordinate Judge, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge, Hooghly.

No. 2211A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Shashibhushan Sen, Officiating Additional Subordinate Judge, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge, Gaya, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Gaya.

No. 2662A.—The 20th March 1909.—The Subordinate Judges, named below, are confirmed in their present appointments:—

Babu Tarak Nath Dutta, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Patna.

„ Ashutosh Sarkar, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Khulna.

No. 2685A.—The 30th March 1909.—Babu Bhupendra Nath Mitra, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Howrah, *vice* Babu Bipin Bihari Mukharji, deceased.

No. 2708A.—The 30th March 1909.—Babu Paresh Nath Chatarji, Subordinate Judge, Hooghly, under order of transfer to Jessore, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Sub-Judge, Cuttack.

No. 2731A.—The 30th March 1909.—Babu Tara Prasanna Chatarji, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Serampore, *vice* Babu Brajesh Chandra Singh, on leave.

No. 2731A.—The 30th March 1909.—The services of Babu Akshay Kumar Das, Munsif, on leave, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 2851A.—The 29th March 1909.—The following promotions and appointments are sanctioned in the Judicial Branch of the Provincial Civil Service, after consultation with the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam :—

Promoted to the first grade of Subordinate Judges.

Babu Lalit Kumar Bose, from the 22nd December 1908, *vice* Mr. Tej Chandra Mukharji, appointed to be a District and Sessions Judge.

„ Mahim Chandra Sarkar, from the 1st January 1909, *vice* Babu Gopi Krishna Banarji, retired.

„ Purna Chandra Chaudhuri, from the 1st January 1909, *vice* Babu Bepin Bihari Chatarji, retired.

Promoted to the second grade of Subordinate Judges.

Babu Umesh Chandra Sen, from the 12th September 1908, *vice* Babu Surjya Narayan Das, retired.

„ Pramatha Nath Chatarji, from the 22nd December 1908, *vice* Babu Lalit Kumar Bose, promoted.

„ Srish Chandra Mukharji, from the 25th December 1908, *vice* Babu Uma Charan Kar, retired.

„ Satya Charan Gangali, from the 1st January 1909, *vice* Babu Mahim Chandra Sarkar, promoted.

„ Ram Lal Dutt, from the 1st January 1909, *vice* Babu Purna Chandra Chaudhuri, promoted.

Appointed to the third grade of Subordinate Judges.

Babu Tarak Nath Datta, from the 12th September 1908, *vice* Babu Umesh Chandra Sen, promoted.

„ Ashutosh Sarkar, from the 4th November 1908, *vice* Babu Jugal Kishor De, retired.

„ Annada Charan Sen, from the 11th November 1908, *vice* Babu Pramatha Krishna Singh, retired.

„ Bankim Chandra Mitra, from the 22nd December 1908, *vice* Babu Pramatha Nath Chatterji, promoted.

Maulvi Ali Ahmad, from the 25th December 1908, *vice* Babu Srish Chandra Mukharji, promoted.

LEAVE.

No. 2723A.—The 22nd March 1909.—Babu Manmatha Nath Mallik, Munsif of Gumla, in Chota Nagpur, is allowed leave for two months and ten days under articles 272 and 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 22nd March 1909, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

No. 2724A.—The 25th March 1909.—Babu Purna Chandra Sarkar, Munsif of Burdwan, is allowed leave for forty-five days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

The 25th March 1909.—Babu Binod Bihari Mitra, Munsif of Arrah, in the district of Shahabad, is allowed leave for forty-eight days, viz., one day under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under article 271 of the same Regulations, with effect from the 20th February 1909.

No. 2725A.—The 27th March 1909.—Babu Amulya Chandra Ghosh, Munsif of Hazaribagh, in Chota Nagpur, is allowed leave for three months under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th February 1909, or from the date on which he availed himself of it.

POWERS.

No. 2620A.—The 29th March 1909.—Mr. F. W. Martin, Deputy Magistrate, who has under the order of this date, been posted to the Bhagalpur Division, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

No. 2687A.—The 30th March 1909.—Babu Amal Krishna Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate, Khulna, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS

No. 1502J.—The 26th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to reappoint Mr. William Bruce and Babu Abinash Chandra Sarkar to be Magistrates of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this Notification, and to direct that they shall sit as members of the Bhatpara Independent Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

No. 1569J.—The 29th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 12 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Abinash Chandra Mitra to be a Magistrate of the third class for a period of three years from the date of this notification and to direct that he shall sit as a member of the Suri Independent Bench, in the district of Birbhum. He is also empowered to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 1561J.—The 29th March 1909.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Janaki Nath Pande of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Lalbagh Independent Bench, in the district of Murshidabad.

No. 1567J.—The 29th March 1909.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Srish Chandra Chakravarti of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Suri Independent Bench, in the district of Birbhum.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1509J.—The 26th March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 5 of the Scheduled Districts Act, 1874 (XIV of 1874), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to extend the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (Act V of 1908), except sections 1 and 155 to 158 which are already in force, to (1) pargana Dhalbhum, (2) the Municipality of Chaibassa in the Kolhan, (3) the Porahat estate, in the district of Singhbhum.

J. G. CUMMING,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1787 P.—The 29th March 1909.—Whereas the District Magistrate of Howrah, made a conditional order on the 21st January 1909, under sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Newspapers (Incitements to Offences) Act, 1908, declaring the printing press used for the purpose of printing or publishing the *Sonar Bharat* newspaper to be forfeited to His Majesty and whereas by an order, dated the 19th February 1909, passed by the said District Magistrate under sub-section (5) of the said section, the conditional order aforesaid was made absolute;

In exercise of the power conferred by section, 7 of the said Act, the Lieutenant-Governor—

- (1) hereby annuls the declaration made by the printer and publisher of the said *Sonar Bharat* newspaper on the 5th day of August 1907, under the Press and Registration of Books Act, 1867, and

- (2) prohibits any further declaration being made or subscribed under the said Press and Registration of Books Act, 1867; in respect of the said *Sonar Bharat* newspaper or of any newspaper which is the same in substance as the said *Sonar Bharat* newspaper, until this prohibition be withdrawn.

F. W. DUKK,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1828P.—The 29th March 1909.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Basanta Kumar Chakrabatti, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. III, Moheswarpassa in thana Khulna, in the district of Khulna, *vice* Babu Mohananda Mazumdar, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Basanta Kumar Chakrabatti for the period not exceeding three years, during which he continues to hold the office of President of panchayat.

No. 1830P.—The 29th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (a) of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the Railway police-stations mentioned in column 1 of the following table shall cease to be police-stations, and that the railway stations mentioned in column 3 of that table shall be deemed to be included within the railway police-stations respectively mentioned opposite them in column 2 thereof:—

Former police-stations.	Present police-stations.	Railway stations.
1	2	3
Azimganj	Nalhati	{ Bhokara. Sagardighi. Barala. Azimganj. Kudra. Pasauli. Bhabua. Karamnasa. Dighaghat. Mohesmunda. Giridih. Murarai. Rajgaon. Pakur. Kotalpukur.
Bhabua Road	Sassaram	
Dighaghat	Bankipore	
Giridih	Madhupur	
Pakur	Nalhati	

2. So much of Notification No. 313J.D., dated the 21st April 1904, which was published at pages 637 to 644 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th May 1904, as relates to the police-stations mentioned in column 1 of the above table, is hereby cancelled.

No. 1831P.—The 29th March 1909.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 134 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that any person committing any offence against the said Act or any rule thereunder in any of the places mentioned in column 1 of the following table shall be triable for such offence in any place on the East Indian Railway within the jurisdiction of the Courts respectively mentioned opposite those places in column 2 of that table.

2. So much of the Notification, dated the 13th December 1892, which was published at page 1111 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 14th December 1892, as relates to the places mentioned in column 1 of the said table, is hereby cancelled.

Places at which offence is committed.	Place of trial, viz., any place on the East Indian Railway, within the jurisdiction of —
1	2
Kotalpukur or Pakur, or any place on the portion of the East Indian Railway lying within the Pakur subdivision, including the Railway stations of Kotalpukur and Pakur	The Court of the Subdivisional Officer of Rampur Hât.
Jogudispur in the Deoghur subdivision or any place on the portion of the East Indian Railway lying between the Railway stations of Jogudispur and Mohesmunda.	The Court of the Subdivisional Officer of Giridih.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 25th March 1909.

No. 55.—Mr. H. O. Vieyra, Assistant Engineer, is transferred, in the interests of the public service from the Third Calcutta to the First Calcutta Division.

The 29th March 1909.

No. 58.—Babu Amar Nath Das is appointed to be Executive Engineer of the Third Calcutta Division, until further orders.

A. S. THOMSON,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 30th March 1909.

No. 57.—Babu Shashi Bhushan Das, Assistant Engineer, Eastern Sone Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 15th April 1909, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

The 30th March 1909.

No. 60.—Mr. J. G. Powell, Assistant Engineer, Champaran Division, is granted, under paragraph 181 of the Public Works Department Code, volume 1, language leave for two months with effect from the 12th April 1909, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

T. BUTLER,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 26th March 1909.

No. 15 R.—Notification.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for general information:—

No. 93, dated the 19th March 1909.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 464 R.T.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

Calcutta, the 10th March 1909.

RESOLUTION.—In the Government of India Circulars No. 1 Railway, dated the 9th March 1898, and No. VII Railway, dated the 23rd December 1902, sanction was accorded to the adoption by railway administrations of risk note Forms D and G, the former intended for dangerous, explosive or combustible articles despatched at a “special reduced” or “owner’s risk” rate, and the latter as an alternative to Form D, when a sender elects to enter into a general agreement, in place of executing a separate risk note for each consignment.

2. The Government of India have had under consideration the question of revising these risk note forms, with a view to throwing a greater measure of responsibility upon railways in regard to the loss of complete packages than is imposed by the existing forms. Similar alterations were recently made in risk note Forms B and H, *vide* the Resolution issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 1836—1850, dated 27th February 1907.

3. The Governor-General in Council is pleased to approve, under section 72, subsection (2), clause (b), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the use of the Forms D and G appended to this Resolution by railway administrations working railways to which the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), applies, with effect from the 1st April 1909.

4. In the case of railways in Native States to which the provisions of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), have been, or may in future be, applied, the Governor-General in Council is also pleased to approve the use of these forms from the 1st April 1909, or from any later date on which the Indian Railways Act may be applied.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution, and of its enclosures, be communicated

The Governments of Bengal, the United Provinces, and Eastern Bengal and Assam, Public Works Department.

The Government of Bengal, Marine Department.

The Secretary to the Honourable the Agent to the Governor-General for Rajputana, Public Works Department.

The Agents, Assam-Bengal, Bara-Light, Bengal and North-Western, Bengal-Nagpur, Bombay, Baroda and Central India, Burma, East Indian, Great Indian Peninsula, Rohilkund and Kumaon, South Indian and Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Companies.

The Agent and Manager, His Highness the Nizam’s Guaranteed State Railway (through the Honourable the Resident at Hyderabad).

The Managers and Engineers-in-Chief, Bengal-Dooars, Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Portbandar Railways.

The Manager and Executive Engineer, Morvi Railway.

The Chief Engineer, Cutch State Railway.

The Managers North-Western, Oudh and Rohilkund and Eastern Bengal State railways.

The Secretary, Indian Railway Conference Association.

to the Local Governments and Administrations and to the officers noted on the margin, for information and guidance, and to the Governments of Madras, Bombay, the Punjab and Burma, the Honourable the Resident at Hyderabad, the Honourable the Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces and of Ajmer-Merwara, the Honourable the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchis-

tan, the Accountant-General, Public Works Department, and to the Foreign Department and the Department of Commerce and Industry, for information.

Ordered, also, that the Resolution and the accompanying forms be published under a Notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India*, and that they be reproduced in the Local Government Gazettes.

R. C. F. VOLKERS,
Secretary, Railway Board.

[Enclosure to the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), Circular No. 464R.T., dated the 10th March 1909.]

Railway.

RISK NOTE, FORM D.

[Approved by the Governor-General in Council under section 72 (2) (b) of the Indian Railways Act, IX of 1890.]

(To be used when the Sender elects to despatch at a "Special reduced" or "Owner's risk" rate dangerous, explosive or combustible articles for which an alternative "Ordinary" or "Risk acceptance" rate is quoted in the Tariff.)

STATION.

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WHEREAS the consignment of _____

_____ tendered by ^{me}_{us}, as per forwarding order No. _____ of this date, for despatch by the Railway Administration or their transport agents or carriers to _____ Station, and for which ¹/_{we} have received Railway Receipt No. _____ of same date, is charged at a special reduced rate instead of at the ordinary tariff rate chargeable for such consignment, ¹/_{we}, the undersigned, do, in consideration of such lower charge, agree and undertake to hold the said Railway Administration and all other Railway Administrations working in connection therewith, and also all other transport agents or carriers employed by them, respectively, over whose Railways or by or through whose transport agency or agencies the said goods may be carried in transit from _____ station to _____ station, harmless and free from all responsibility for any loss, destruction or deterioration of, or damage to, the said consignment from any cause whatever except for the loss of a complete consignment or of one or more complete packages forming part of a consignment due either to the wilful neglect of the Railway Administration or to theft by or to the wilful neglect of its servants, transport agents or carriers employed by them before, during and after transit over the said Railway or other Railway lines working in connection therewith, or by any other transport agency or agencies employed by them, respectively, for the carriage of the whole or any part of the said consignment provided the term "wilful neglect" be not held to include fire, robbery from a running train or any other unforeseen event or accident

¹/_{we} further agree to accept responsibility for any consequences to the property of the aforesaid Railway Administration (s) and of their transport agents and carriers or to the property of other persons that may be in the course of conveyance, which may be caused by the explosion of, or otherwise, by the said consignment, and that all risk and responsibility whether to the Railway Administration (s) or their transport agents and carriers, to their servants or to others, remains solely and entirely with ^{me}_{us}.

WITNESS.

Signature of sender _____

(Signature) _____

Rank or { Father's name _____
Caste _____ Age _____

(Residence) _____

WITNESS.

(Signature) _____

Profession _____

(Residence) _____

Residence _____

NOTE.—The above form is, for the convenience of the public, translated into the vernacular on the reverse but the form in English is the authoritative form, and the Railway Administration accepts no responsibility for the correctness of the vernacular translation.

[Enclosure to the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), Circular No. 464 R.T., dated the 10th March 1909.]

Railway.

RISK NOTE, FORM G.

[Approved by the Governor-General in Council under section 72 (2)(b) of the Indian Railways Act, IX of 1890.]

(To be used as an alternative to Risk Note, Form D, in the case of dangerous, explosive or combustible articles, for which an alternative "Ordinary" or "Risk acceptance" rate is quoted in the Tariff, when the sender desires to enter into a general agreement instead of executing a separate Risk Note for each consignment.)

STATION.

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WHEREAS all consignments of _____

_____ for which the Railway Administration quotes both Owner's risk or special reduced rates and Railway risk or ordinary rates are (unless ^I_{we} shall have entered into a special contract in relation to any particular consignment) despatched by ^{me}_{us} at ^{my}_{our} own risk and are charged for by the said Railway Administration at special reduced or Owner's risk rates, instead of at ordinary Tariff or Railway risk rates, ^I_{we}, the undersigned, in consideration of such consignments being charged for at the special reduced or Owner's risk rates, do hereby agree and undertake to hold the said Railway Administration and all other Railway Administrations working in connection therewith, and also other transport agents or carriers employed by them, respectively, over whose Railways or by or through whose transport agency or agencies the said consignments of _____ may be carried in transit from _____ station to _____ station, harmless and free from all responsibility for any loss, destruction or deterioration of, or damage to, all or any such consignments from any cause whatever, except for the loss of a complete consignment or of one or more complete packages forming part of consignment due either to the wilful neglect of the Railway Administration or to theft by or to the wilful neglect of its servants, transport agents or carriers employed by them before, during and after transit over the said Railway or other Railway lines working in connection therewith, or by any other transport agency or agencies employed by them, respectively, for the carriage of the whole or any part of the said consignments, provided the term "wilful neglect" be not held to include fire, robbery from a running train or any other unforeseen event or accident.

^I_{we} further agree to accept responsibility for any consequences to the property of the aforesaid Railway Administration(s) and of their transport agents and carriers, or to the property of other persons that may be in the course of conveyance, which may be caused by the explosion of or otherwise, by all or any of the said consignments, and that all risk and responsibility whether to the Railway Administrations or their transport agents and carriers, to their servants or to others, remain solely and entirely with ^{me}_{us}.

WITNESS.

(Signature) _____

(Address) _____

Signature of sender _____

(Address) _____

WITNESS.

(Signature) _____

(Address) _____

NOTE.—The above form is, for the convenience of the public, translated into the vernacular on the reverse but the form English is the authoritative form, and the Railway Administration accepts no responsibility for the correctness of the vernacular translation.

The 29th March 1909.

No. 16R.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for general information :—

No. 96, dated the 19th March 1909.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned a survey being made by the agency of the Bengal Dooars Railway Company for a line of railway on the metre gauge from Bagrakote, the present terminus of the Western Extension of the Bengal Dooars Railway, to Sivok on the Teesta river, a distance of about 7 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Bagrakote-Sivok Railway Survey.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 31st March 1909.

No. 17R.—*Notification.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land in the district of Darjeeling is likely to be needed for a public purpose, viz., for a proposed extension of the Bengal-Dooars Railway from Bagrakote, the present terminus of the western extension, to Sivok on the Teesta river, in the districts of Jalpaiguri and Darjeeling.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that, in exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Lieutenant-Governor has authorised the Bengal-Dooars Railway Engineers, for the time being engaged on this undertaking, to enter upon and survey lands and do all other acts required for the proper execution of their work as provided for or specified in the said section.

The general route to be taken for the survey will be from Bagrakote to the west of Sivok passing through the districts of Jalpaiguri and Darjeeling.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 26th March 1909.

No. 23 Marine.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 8 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, the Agent of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company is appointed to be a Commissioner of the Port of Calcutta, with effect from the 19th April 1909.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 25th March 1909.

No. 56.—Babu Banku Bihari Mukharji, Sub-Engineer, second grade, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Second Calcutta to the Third Calcutta Division.

The 30th March 1909.

No. 59.—The following promotions are made in the Upper Subordinate Establishment with effect from the dates specified :—

Names.	From	To	With effect from	Nature of promotion.	Division in which employed.
Karmakar, Ram Bishnu	Overseer, 2nd grade.	Overseer, 1st grade.	1st March 1909.	Permanent ...	Champaran.
Sarkar, Srish Chandra	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Electrical.
Nandi, Achyuta Kumar	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Chota Nagpur.
Ray, Tarini Charan ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Balasore.

A S THOMSON,
Chief Engineer.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 2748A.

- No. 2399A.**—*The 25th March 1909.*—Mr. J. F. Gantzer, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Chota Nagpur Division, on being relieved of his present settlement duties and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.
- No. 2500A.**—*The 26th March 1909.*—The order of the 28th September 1908, granting Maulvi Shah Muhammad Musl-ud-din, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Bhabhua, Shahabad, leave for one month, under article 242 (a) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st October 1908, is cancelled.
- No. 2566A.**—*The 27th March 1909.*—Babu Prabodh Chandra Mazumdar, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Presidency Division, on being relieved of his appointment as Khas Tahsildar of the Government Estate, Palamau.
- No. 2577A.**—*The 29th March 1909.*—Babu Ramesh Chandra Chakrabatti, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district, on being relieved of his present settlement duties.
- No. 2592A.**—*The 29th March 1909.*—Babu Sharat Chandra Mazumdar, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Bhagalpur Division, on being relieved of his settlement duties in Chota Nagpur, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.
- No. 2597A.**—*The 29th March 1909.*—Babu Suresh Chandra Deb, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Tirhut Division, on being relieved of his settlement duties in Bihar, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.
- No. 2602A.**—*The 29th March 1909.*—Babu Iswari Prasad Singh, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Patna Division, on being relieved of his settlement duties in Chota Nagpur, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.
- No. 2607A.**—*The 29th March 1909.*—Babu Umesh Chandra Sil, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Burdwan Division, on being relieved of his settlement duties in Chota Nagpur, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.
- No. 2612A.**—*The 29th March 1909.*—Mr. Jamini Mohan Chatterji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Presidency Division, on being relieved of his settlement duties in Chota Nagpur, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.
- No. 2627A.**—*The 29th March 1909.*—The order of the 8th March 1909, posting Babu Nagendra Lal Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, to the Chota Nagpur Division is cancelled.
- No. 2667A.**—*The 30th March 1909.*—Maulvi Khundkar Ali Tahir, Sub-Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is transferred temporarily to the Contai subdivision of that district.
- No. 2710A.**—*The 30th March 1909.*—Maulvi Saiyid Khalil-ur-Rahman, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Bihar, Patna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.
- No. 2740A.**—*The 30th March 1909.*—Babu Rajendra Narayan Banarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Diamond Harbour, 24-Parganas, is allowed combined leave up to the 15th October 1909, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Regulations.
- No. 2742A.**—*The 30th March 1909.*—Babu Shashi Bhushan Bhattacharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is transferred to the Diamond Harbour subdivision of that district.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

No. 2749A.

No. 2846A.—*The 29th March 1909.*—The following confirmations and promotions are sanctioned in classes I and II of the Subordinate Educational Service:—

Babu Adhar Chandra Mukharji is confirmed in class I, with effect from the 14th January 1908, *vice* Mr. W. Blasey, deceased.

„ Hari Nath Chatarji, class II, is promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class I, with effect from the 14th January 1908, *vice* Babu Adhar Chandra Mukharji, and is confirmed in that class, with effect from the 21st April 1908, *vice* Babu Prasanna Kumar Ghosh, deceased.

Mr. J. H. Little, class II, is promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class I, with effect from the 21st April 1908, *vice* Babu Hari Nath Chatarji, and is confirmed in that class, with effect from the 15th July 1908, *vice* Babu Becharam Nandi, retired.

Miss Ada Stoker is confirmed in class II, with effect from the 21st April 1908, *vice* Babu Hari Nath Chatarji

Babu Srilal Som, class III, is promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class II, with effect from the 21st April 1908, *vice* Mr. J. H. Little.

„ Ramanath Das is confirmed in class II, with effect from the 15th July 1908, *vice* Mr. J. H. Little.

Mr. W. B. Finnigan, class IV, is promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class II, with effect from the 15th July 1908, *vice* Babu Ramanath Das.

So much of the order of the 8th December 1908, as relates to the confirmation and promotion of the abovenamed officers, is cancelled.

No. 2848A.—*The 29th March 1909.*—The following promotions and confirmations are sanctioned in classes I and II of the Subordinate Educational Service:—

Babu Adhar Chandra Banarji, class II, is promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class I, with effect from the 15th July 1908, *vice* Mr. J. H. Little, and is confirmed in that class, with effect from the 1st January 1909, in the appointment created in class I to provide for the appointment of an additional teacher in the Bethune Collegiate School.

„ Bidhu Bhushan Mukharji, class II, is promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class I, with effect from the 1st January 1909, *vice* Babu Adhar Chandra Banarji.

„ Abinash Chandra Sen is confirmed in class II, with effect from the 1st January 1909, *vice* Babu Adhar Chandra Banarji.

„ Surendra Nath Singh, class III, is promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class II, with effect from the 1st January 1909, *vice* Babu Bidhu Bhushan Mukharji.

Maulvi Shams-ul-Ulama Vilayat Husain, class III, is promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class II, with effect from the 1st November 1908, *vice* Ashutosh Shastri, promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class VII of the Provincial Educational Service.

F. W. DUKE,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2845, dated Calcutta, the 26th March 1909.—Major J. Mulvany, I.M.S., made over charge of the Presidency Jail to Major G. Y. O. Hunter, I.M.S., on the afternoon of the 18th March 1909.

JOHN MULVANY, MAJOR, I.M.S.,

Offg. Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 3736, dated Calcutta, the 26th March 1909.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Muhammad Sulaiman Ashruf, doing supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital is appointed temporarily to do Plague duty under the District Board of Durbhanga.

No. 3743, dated Calcutta, the 26th March 1909.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Bidhan Chandra Ray did supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the 16th December 1908 to the 24th February 1909, both days inclusive.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COI., I.M.S.,

Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Campbell Medical School.

(A preliminary Notification No. 217Medl, dated the 2nd February 1907, embodying the amended rules, was published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th idem.)

In accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medl., dated the 19th September 1907, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 11 A.M. on Monday and Tuesday, the 26th and 27th April 1909, at the Campbell Medical School.

2. Male candidates must forward to the Superintendent of the Campbell Medical School, at least one week before the 26th April 1909, an examination fee of Rs. 5. Female candidates will be examined free of charge. No certificate or fee will be received on *Sundays or public holidays*.

3. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

NOTE.—The attention of candidates is drawn to Rules 9 and 10, and of the persons granting the certificates to Rules 11 and 14 (3) and to the Certificate Forms O (3), D, E and F in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid Notification, as circulated by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Calcutta Hospitals, Medical Schools and Lunatic Asylums with his circular No. 74, dated the 14th November 1907.

J. C. S. VAUGHAN, M.B. (EDIN.), MAJOR, I.M.S.,

Supdt, Campbell Medical School.

CAMPBELL MEDICAL SCHOOL, CALCUTTA, the 16th March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Orissa Medical School, Cuttack.

In accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medical, dated 19th September 1907, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will be held at 9 A. M. on Monday, the 26th April 1909, at the Orissa Medical School, Cuttack.

2. Every candidate must produce certificates of training, age and previous education as required by Rules 9 and 11 of Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.—Medical, dated 19th September 1907, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th September 1907, except in those cases provided for in Rule 10.

3. These certificates must comply with the conditions laid down in Rule 10 of the above resolution.

4. Male candidates must register their names and submit their certificates, together with a fee of Rs. 5, at least one week before the 26th April 1909 at the office of the Superintendent, Medical School, Cuttack.

Female candidates will be examined free of charge.

5. Should any candidate fail to pass the required examination he will forfeit his fee.

6. No candidate for the Compounder's examination shall be permitted to appear for examination more than three times.

CUTTACK :

The 17th March 1909. }

E. E. WATERS, M. D., MAJOR, I.M.S.,

Superintendent, Medical School, Cuttack.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.**Subordinate Educational Service.**

The 22nd March 1909.—The following arrangements are sanctioned :—

- (1) Babu Girindra Nath Chatterjea, Assistant Master, Uttarpara Government School, and now on deputation to the David Hare Training College (class VI), is appointed to be an Assistant Master in the Darjeeling High School, *vice* Babu Manmohan Ohaudhury, transferred.
- (2) Babu Durga Das Chatterjea, an Assistant Master in the Uttarpara Government School and now Officiating Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore (class VII), is appointed to be a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Bankura, with effect from the 11th January 1909, *vice* Babu Rama Nath Chatterjea, retired, but he will continue to act as Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore, until further orders.

- (3) Babu Keshab Chandra Chatterjea, B.A., Officiating Assistant Master, Uttarpara Government School, is appointed to act as a Sub Inspector of Schools in the district of Bankura and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Durga Das Chatterjea, on deputation.
- (4) Babu Susil Chandra Neogy, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Purnea Zilla School, and now Officiating Assistant Master in the Uttarpara Government School (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service), is confirmed in the latter appointment, with effect from the 11th January 1909, *vice* Babu Durga Das Chatterjea, transferred.
- (5) Babu Amulya Dhan Mukerjee, M.A., is appointed, in supersession of this office order of the 9th June 1908, to be Assistant Head Master of the Purnea Zilla School, on probation and substantively *pro tempore* to class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the 11th January 1909, *vice* Babu Susil Chandra Neogy, transferred.

Babu Bhupendra Mohan Gangali, B.A., is appointed on probation for one year to be a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Burdwan and substantively *pro tempore* to class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, with effect from the date on which he joins that appointment, *vice* Babu Rasik Lal Das, retired.

The following teachers, now on deputation to the David Hare Training College, are reverted, with effect from the 8th April 1909 or the date succeeding the last day of the University of Calcutta B. T. examinations in the current year, to their substantive appointments as specified below :—

- (1) Babu Ohinta Haran Chakravarti (class VI), to the appointment of Head Master, Muzaffarpur Zilla School.
- (2) Babu Basanta Kumar Mitra (class V), to the appointment of Head Master, Arrah Zilla School.
- (3) Babu Bhananjoy Sahay (class VIII), to the appointment of Assistant Head Master, Hazaribagh Zilla School.
- (4) Babu Kali Prasanna Bosu (class VII), to the appointment of Assistant Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.
- (5) Babu Nibaran Chandra Das Gupta (class VII), to the appointment of Assistant Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School.
- (6) Babu Narendra Nath Ganguli (class VII), to the appointment of Assistant Master, Hare School.
- (7) Babu Pramathanath Bhattacharjia (class VI), to the appointment of Assistant Head Master, Barrackpore Government School.
- (8) Babu Indu Bhusan Sarkar (class VI), to the appointment of Assistant Master, Krishnagar Collegiate School.
- (9) Babu Benod Behari Das (class VIII), to the appointment of Assistant Master, Sambalpur High School.
- (10) Babu Jnanada Charan Mazumdar (class VI), to the appointment of Assistant Head Master of the Northbrook School, Darbhanga.
- (11) Babu Asutosh Sarkar (class VIII), to the appointment of Assistant Head Master, Chapra Zilla School.
- (12) Babu Banwari Lal Roy (class VIII), to the appointment of Assistant Head Master, Taki Government School.
- (13) Babu Jatindra Nath Mukerjee (class VII), to the appointment of Assistant Master, Hindu School.
- (14) Babu Narayan Das Ghosh (class VI), to the appointment of Assistant Head Master, Khulna Zilla School.

The following arrangements are sanctioned with effect from the date on which the examinations of the David Hare Training College are over :—

- (1) Babu Kali Prasanna Banerjea, Assistant Head Master, Calcutta Training School (class VI), is appointed to be an Assistant Master in the Bhagalpur Zilla School, *vice* Babu Benoy Bhusan Sarkar, transferred.
- (2) Babu Benoy Bhusan Sarkar, Assistant Master, Bhagalpur Zilla School (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is appointed to be an Assistant Master in the Calcutta Training School, *vice* Babu Kali Prasanna Banerjea, transferred.

The 23rd March 1909.—In modification of the orders of the 16th January 1909, Babu Nritya Gopal Bhattacharji, Sub-Inspector of Schools, North Khulna Circle (class VIII), was on leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for 60 days, from 13th January 1909.

Babu Akshoy Kumar Sen Gupta, an Assistant Master in the Purulia Zilla School, now on deputation to the David Hare Training College (class VII), was absent on leave, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and sixteen days, from 7th January 1909.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

The 24th March 1909.—Babu Mohit Narayan Singh, an Assistant Master in the Patna Training School (class VIII), having returned to duty on the forenoon of the 10th March 1909, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him, under the orders of 10th February 1909, is cancelled.

Babu Jagannath Ohaube, 1st Hindi Assistant to the Hindi and Urdu Translator to Government (class IV), who was granted in this office order of the 17th February 1909, leave of absence for one month under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, is permitted, under article 220 of the Civil Service Regulations, to prefix to his leave, Sunday the 14th February 1909.

The 25th March 1909.—Babu Susil Chandra Neogi, an Assistant Master in the Uttarpara Government School (class VIII), was absent on leave, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations for two months with effect from the 10th November 1908.

The 26th March 1909.—Maulvi Syed Wajhullah, an Assistant Master of the Anglo-Persian Department of the Calcutta Madrasah (class VIII), is allowed leave on medical certificate under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations for 2 months and 13 days from 16th February 1909.

The 27th March 1909.—Maulvi Abdul Hamid, Assistant Master (Urdu Teacher), Ranchi Training School (class VII), is appointed to be Assistant Master (Head Maulvi) in the Palamau Zilla School, *vice* Maulvi Syed Manzoor Rasul, transferred.

Babu Prasanna Chandra Dutta, Officiating Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas (class V), is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for 40 days from the 22nd February 1909.

Babu Debendra Nath Guha, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Deoghar, on a salary of Rs. 50 outside the grades, is appointed to act as Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Prasanna Chandra Dutta, on leave.

In partial modification of this office order of the 18th February 1909 Mr. John Nabo Kishore Sarkar, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Pakur (class VII), is appointed to act as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Krishna Lal Sadhu, on leave.

H. R. JAMES,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that for the ensuing half-yearly Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others to be held at 11 A.M. on the 28th April 1909 and the two following days, a Local Examination Committee will be convened in the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, at No. 3 Charnook Place, Calcutta, for the conduct of the examination of officers employed in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

KRISHNA KALI MUKHARJI, for Commissioner.

COMM'R.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, the 15th March 1909.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES, INDIA.

RESULTS of the examination for Coal Mine Managers' certificates of competency held at Asansol on 24th, 25th and 26th February 1909.

FIRST CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

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|-------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. G. G. Castles. | 4. Surendra Nath Siroar. |
| 2. R. G. Rooke. | 5. James Bullock. |
| 3. R. W. Malcolm. | 6. Bhairab Charan Nandi. |

2ND CLASS.

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| 1. O. N. Devereux. | 4. Guru Das Bhattacharji. |
| 2. Thakaram Chatterji. | 5. P. T. Mitchell. |
| 3. Satis Chandra Sanyal. | 6. Karali Charan Chakravarti. |

J. B. R. WILSON,
Chief Inspector of Mines, India.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1529B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACHERSON, C.S.I., I.C.S.,

Member in charge.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), and with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, the Board of Revenue direct that the following amendments be made in the rules relating to the clearance and discharge of salt, which were published under Notification No. 3884B., dated the 9th July 1907, at pages 1179—1205 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th idem:—

1. In rule 22,—

(a) in the last line of the first paragraph, for "fees prescribed in section V" substitute "allowances prescribed in article 2 of the table subjoined to Notification No. 6040B., dated the 10th November 1908, published at pages 1796—1823 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem";

(b) in the last line of the second paragraph, for "fees prescribed in rule 70, section V," substitute "allowances prescribed in article 5 of the aforesaid table."

2. For rule 68 substitute the following:—

68. The following allowances shall be payable for work done in respect of the discharge of salt on Sundays and holidays, namely:—

- (i) When such work is done between the hours of 6 A.M. and 2 P.M. during the period from 1st March to 31st October (both inclusive), or between the hours of 7 A.M. and 3 P.M. during the period from 1st November to 29th February (both inclusive)—the allowances prescribed in articles 18, 27 and 31, respectively, of the table subjoined to Notification No. 6040B., dated the 10th November 1908, published at pages 1796—1823 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem; and
- (ii) When such work is done after the hours of 2 P.M. or 3 P.M., as the case may be, during the same respective periods—the allowances prescribed in article 4 of the aforesaid table, in addition to the allowances referred to in clause (i) of this rule.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE DEPT.,
SALT BRANCH,
CALCUTTA;
The 15th March 1909.

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI,
Secretary.

No. 1394A.

NOTIFICATION.

Member in charge:

THE HON'BLE MR. F. A. SLACKE, C.S.I., I.C.S.

Dated Calcutta, the 26th March 1909.

THE price-lists of staple food-crops in the local areas in the Lower Provinces, prepared under section 39 (4) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, for the period from the 1st of October 1908 to the 31st of December 1908, having been approved by the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, are published for general information under sub-section 4 of that section.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

E. LISTER,
Offg. Secretary.

BURDWAN

DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Mark's at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
1	2	3	4
BURDWAN	Sadar subdivision	Burdwan	Rice
	Asansol ditto	Raniganj	Do.
	Katwa ditto	Katwa	Do.
	Kalna ditto	Kalna	Do.
BIRBHUM	Sadar ditto	Suri	Do.
	Rampur Hat ditto	Rampur Hat	Do.
BANKURA	Sadar ditto	Bankura	Do.
	Vishnupur ditto	Vishnupur	Do.
MIDNAPORE	Sadar ditto	Midnapore	Do.
	Ghatal ditto	Ghatal	Do.
	Tamluk ditto	Tamluk	Do.
	Contai ditto	Contai	Do.
HOOGHLY	Sadar ditto	Hooghly	Do.
	Serampore ditto	Bhadreswar	Do.
	Arambagh ditto	Arambagh	Do.
	Howrah ditto	Howrah	Do.
	Ulubaria ditto	Ulubaria	Do.

PRESIDENCY

24-PARGANAS	Sadar subdivision	Chetla Hat	Rice
	Barasat and Barraekpore subdivisions.	Barasat	Do.
		Bistopore	Do.
	Diamond Harbour subdivision	Mugra Hat	Do.
	Basirhat subdivision	Baduria	Do.

DIVISION.

Market days for the preparation of price-lsts.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st December 1908.
	October.	November.	December.	
5	6	7	8	9
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Last day of the month	8 0	7 8	9 0	8 3
27th of the month	7 2	7 3	8 0	7 7
Ditto	7 3	7 1	8 0	7 7
28th of every month	7 4	8 0	9 8	8 4
Last day of each month	7 3	9 0	9 0	8 6
Ditto	7 4	7 4	9 0	7 13
Last day of the month	9 8	8 12	8 12	9 0
Ditto	8 0	8 0	8 12	8 4
Last day of each month	8 9	8 15	10 1	9 3
27th of every month	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 11
3rd Wednesday of every month	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 5
Any market day, from 27th to 30th of every month.	8 8	14 0	12 0	11 8
Last Thursday of each month ...	6 14	6 15	7 14	7 4
Ditto	6 8	6 12	8 10	7 5
Ditto	7 10	8 2	8 2	7 15
Last day of each month	7 0	7 0	8 0	7 5
Last Saturday of each month ...	7 0	7 0	8 8	7 8

DIVISION.

Last Wednesday of every month ...	7 8	7 8	8 6	7 13
{ Last market day which immediately precedes the last Saturday of every month.	6 4	7 0	7 8	6 15
Ditto ditto	7 0	8 2	7 8	7 9
Ditto ditto	8 6	9 0	9 0	8 13
Second Tuesday of every month ...	6 15	8 15	9 14	8 9

PRESIDENCY

DISTRICT.	'Local areas.		Markets at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
1	2		3	4
NADIA	{	Sadar subdivision	Goari	Rice
		Ranaghat ditto	Ranaghat	Do.
		Meherpur ditto	Kaliabazar	Do.
		Chuadanga ditto	Chuadanga	Do.
		Kushtia ditto	Bahadurkhali	Do.
MURSIDABAD	{	Sadar ditto	Berhampore	Do.
		Lalbagh ditto	Lalbagh	Do.
		Kandi ditto	Kandi	Do.
		Jangipur ditto	Jangipur	Do.
JESSORE	{	Sadar ditto	Jessore	Do.
		Narail ditto	Narail	Do.
		Magura ditto	Magura	Do.
		Jhenida ditto	Jhenida	Do.
		Bongaon ditto	Bongaon	Do.
KHULNA	{	Sadar ditto	Khulna	Do.
		Satkhira ditto	Satkhira	Do.
		Bagerhat ditto	Bagerhat	Do.

DIVISION—continued.

Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st December 1908.
	October.	November.	December.	
5	6	7	8	9
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Last day of each month ...	8 4	7 8	8 16	8 4
28th of each month ...	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 5
Ditto ...	7 4	7 10	8 0	7 10
Saturday immediately preceding the 28th of each month.	8 0	8 7	8 14	8 7
28th of each month ...	8 0	8 8	9 0	8 8
28th of every month ...	7 7	8 1	8 15	8 2
1st Monday of each month ...	7 8	7 4	7 8	7 7
Market day which falls immediately before 28th of each month.	8 0	8 12	9 6	8 11
Ditto ditto ...	7 14	8 14	9 0	8 9
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the last day of every month.	9 8	9 0	9 2	9 3
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	10 0	8 8	9 9	9 6
Ditto ditto ...	11 9	9 0	9 9	10 1
Ditto ditto ..	9 9	9 0	8 12	9 2
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14
Last market day of every month ...	9 3	9 8	9 8	9 5
28th of every month, except February when the price will be taken on the 26th	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 0
Sunday falling on or before the 28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the Sunday falling on or before the 26th.	9 12	8 14	9 14	9 8

PATNA

District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple, food-crop or crops.
1	2	3	4
PATNA	Sadar subdivision, excluding thana Maner.	Marufganj ...	Makai up-land ... Rice low-land ...
	Barh subdivision ...	Barh ...	Makai up-land ... Rice low-land ...
	Bihar ditto ..	Bihar ...	Marwa up-land .. Rice low-land ...
	Dinapore subdivision, with thana Maner.	Dinapore ..	Barley up-land... Rice low-land ...
GAYA	Sadar subdivision ...	Gaya ...	Wheat up-land... Rice low-land ...
	Nawada ditto ...	Nawada ...	Wheat up-land... Rice low-land ...
	Jahanabad ditto ...	Jahanabad ...	Wheat up-land... Rice low-land ...
	Aurangabad ditto ...	Aurangabad ...	Wheat up-land... Rice low-land ...
SHAHEBAD	Sadar ditto ...	Arrah ...	Wheat up-land... Rice low-land ...
	Buxar ditto ...	Buxar ...	Wheat up-land... Rice low-land ..
	Sasaram ditto ...	Sasaram ...	Wheat up-land... Rice low-land ...
	Bhabhua ditto ...	Bhabhua ...	Wheat up-land... Rice low-land ...
SIWAN	Sadar ditto ...	Shahebganj ...	Makai up-land ... Rice low-land ...
	Gopalganj ditto ...	Mirganj ...	Makai up-land ... Rice low-land ...
	Siwan ditto ...	Siwan ...	Makai up-land ... Rice low-land ...

DIVISION.

Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SAKERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st December 1908.
	October.	November.	December.	
5	6	7	8	9
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
28th of each month ...	12 2	12 13	12 13	12 9
	7 7	7 13	9 4	8 3
Ditto ...	12 4	12 8	13 8	12 12
	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 0
Ditto ...	11 8	11 8	...*	11 8
	6 8	6 8	7 8	6 13
Ditto ...	13 0	13 0	14 0	13 5
	7 0	8 0	8 4	7 12
Last day of the month ...	7 10	7 8	7 10	7 9
	6 15	8 10	9 4	8 4
Last market day of the month ..	7 12	7 0	7 14	7 9
	7 6	7 4	8 6	7 11
Ditto ditto ...	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	7 12	7 12	8 4	7 15
Last market day of the month, being not less than three days before the close of the month.	8 2	8 2	8 0	8 1
	7 4	7 4	8 8	7 11
1st Saturday of each month ...	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	7 12	7 0	9 0	7 15
1st Thursday of every month ...	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
	7 8	7 0	9 8	8 0
Ditto ditto ...	7 5	7 10	7 10	7 8
	7 7	7 7	8 5	7 12
Ditto ditto ...	7 10	8 4	7 14	7 15
	8 8	7 10	8 4	8 2
15th of each month ...	13 0	13 0	14 8	13 8
	7 0	7 8	8 0	7 8
Last market day immediately preceding the 15th of each month.	14 0	15 4	16 4	15 3
	8 9	8 7	8 14	8 10
Ditto ditto ...	14 3	16 8	15 9	15 7
	8 9	9 9	9 0	9 1

PATNA

DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
1	2	3	4
CHAMPARAN ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Motihari ...	Makai up-land ... Rice low-land ...
	Bettiah ditto ...	Bettiah ...	Makai up-land ... Rice low-land ...
MUZAFFARPUR ...	Sadar ditto ...	Muzaffarpur ...	Makai up-land ... Rice low-land ...
	Sitamarhi ditto ...	Sitamarhi ...	Makai up-land ... Rice low land ...
	Hajipur ditto ..	Hajipur ...	Makai up-land ... Rice low-land ...
DARBHANGA ..	Sadar ditto ...	Darbhangā ...	Murua up-land... Rice low-land
	Madhubani ditto ...	Madhubani ...	Murua up-land... Rice low-land ...
	Samastipur ditto ...	Samastipur ...	Makai up-land .. Rice low-land ...

BHAGALPUR

MONGHYR ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Monghyr ...	Wheat up-land... Rice low-land ...
	Begusarai ditto ...	Begusarai ...	Wheat up-land... Rice low land ...
	Jamui ditto ..	Jamui ...	Wheat up-land... Rice low-land ...
BHAGALPUR ...	Sadar ditto ...	Bhagalpur ...	Makai up-land ... Rice low-land ...
	Banka ditto ...	Banka ...	Makai up-land ... Rice low-land ...
	Madhipura ditto ...	Madhipura ...	Murua up-land... Rice low-land ...
	Sunaul ditto ...	Sunaul ...	Murua up-land...

DIVISION—concluded.

Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st December 1908.
	October.	November.	December.	
5	6	7	8	9
} Last day of the month ...	S. c. 14 0	S. c. 13 6	S. c. 14 4	S. c. 13 14
	9 0	8 10	9 6	9 0
} Ditto ...	15 0	15 8	16 0	15 8
	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 1
} Last day of every month ...	12 0	13 0	14 8	13 3
	8 4	8 0	8 8	8 4
} Last Wednesday of every month ...	12 0	13 0	13 4	12 12
	7 0	7 8	8 0	7 8
} 3rd day from the end of the month	12 2	12 8	13 4	12 10
	7 12	7 3	7 14	7 10
} Last day of each month ...	12 10	12 0	13 3	12 10
	6 9	6 0	6 8	6 6
} 28th of each month, except in February when it will be 26th.	11 10	12 6	13 0	12 5
	8 3	8 8	8 8	8 6
} Ditto ditto	12 4	13 0	14 8	13 4
	7 0	6 4	7 8	6 15

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} Last day of every month ...	8 2	9 0	9 2	8 12
	6 9	7 9	7 11	7 4
} 25th of every month ...	7 8	9 0	9 0	8 8
	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 5
} 29th of every month ...	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 13
	7 0	7 0	8 0	7 5
} The date preceding the close of the month.	12 4	12 12	13 14	12 15
	8 2	8 3	8 14	8 6
} The last hât day in the month but one	10 0	11 14	12 8	11 7
	7 8	7 8	8 2	7 11
} Ditto ditto ...	12 0	12 0	13 0	12 5
	7 0	7 0	8 0	7 5
} The hât day that falls between the 24th and 27th of the month.	12 6	12 0	13 0	12 7
	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 13

BHAGALPUR

DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
1	2	3	4
PURNEA	{ Sadar subdivision ...	{ Beamsganj ...	Wheat up-land...
			Rice low-land ...
	{ Araria ditto ...	{ Araria ...	Wheat up-land...
			Rice low-land ..
	{ Kishanganj ditto ...	{ Kishanganj ...	Wheat up-land...
			Rice low-land ...

ORISSA

CUTTACK	{	{ Sadar subdivision ...	Cuttack town ...	Rice	...
			Charchika Hât ...	Do.	...
		{ Jajpur ditto ...	Jajpur town ...	Do.	...
			Kendrapara ,, ...	Do.	...
BALASORE	{	{ Sadar ditto ...	Balasore ...	Do.	...
			Bhadrak ...	Do.	...
		{ Bhadrak ditto ...	Chandbali ...	Do.	...
PURI	{	{ Sadar ditto ...	Puri ...	Do.	...
			Banamalipur ...	Do.	...
		{ Khurda ditto ...	Kurda ...	Do.	...

DIVISION—concluded.

Market days for the presentation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERs OF 80 TOLAS COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 31st December 1908.
	October.	November.	December.	
5	6	7	8	9
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
} Last market day of the month ...	7 0	7 12	7 8	7 7
	6 8	6 8	7 8	6 13
} Ditto ditto ...	7 12	7 0	8 0	7 9
	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
} Ditto ditto ...	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8
	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 11

DIVISION.

1st Sunday of each month ...	...	9 10	10 8	10 8	10 3
Ditto ditto ...	...	10 8	10 8	10 12	10 9
Ditto ditto ...	...	7 14	9 3	10 8	9 3
Ditto ditto ...	...	9 14	10 8	11 13	10 12
1st Saturday of every month ...	...	8 8	9 0	10 0	9 3
1st Wednesday of every month ...	...	8 8	10 8	10 8	9 13
1st Thursday of every month ...	...	8 8	11 0	11 0	10 3
The 5th of every month ...	...	7 3	7 3	9 3	7 14
First hat day of the month ...	...	10 8	11 13	11 13	11 6
The 5th of every month ...	...	9 3	11 13	11 13	10 15

No. 1691B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1906-07, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 4th May 1909, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,600 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of	...	1,800
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of	...	1,800
Total	...	3,600

2nd.—The general conditions of the Sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 27th November 1908, and published in the *Government and Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 19th May 1909, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 10th May 1909, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full-payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 19th May 1909.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next, on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

Date.				Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday,	1st June	1909	...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday,	6th July	"	...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday,	3rd August	"	...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday,	8th September	"	...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Monday,	4th October	"	...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday,	3rd November	"	...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday,	1st December	"	...	1,800	1,800	3,600
Total			...	12,600	12,600	25,200

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, the 29th March 1909.

No. 1315B.

AN examination of the Patna and Benares Provision Opium of season 1907-08 will be held at the new Opium-godowns No. 14, Strand Road, on Monday, the 5th April 1909, at 10-45 A.M. Merchants, dealers and others interested in opium are invited to attend.

Samples of the opium examined will be given to merchants and dealers only, in small tins, which must be placed on the table labelled with the names of the persons requiring the sample.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI,
Secretary.

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE DEPT., OPIUM SALE, CALCUTTA, the 9th March 1909.

No. 923B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1906-07 will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Thursday the 1st April 1909, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,600 chests, viz.—

Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	Chests. 1,800
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	1,800
Total	...	3,600

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 27th November 1908, and published in the *Government and Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 16th April 1909, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 8th April 1909, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Friday, the 16th April 1909.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE			Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday,	4th May	1909 ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday,	1st June	,, ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday,	6th July	,, ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Tuesday,	3rd August	,, ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday,	8th September	,, ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Monday,	4th October	,, ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday,	3rd November	,, ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
On or about Wednesday,	1st December	,, ...	1,800	1,800	3,600
Total ..			14,400	14,400	28,800

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, the 23rd February 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the provisions of section 9 of the Bengal Excise Act VII (B.C.) of 1878, and with the sanction of the Board of Revenue, a distillery for the manufacture of spirituous liquors after the native process having been established at Kumrar, in the district of Patna, it is hereby notified, in supersession of the Notification dated the 10th December 1904, published on page 40 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th January 1905, that from and after the 1st April 1909, within the following limits which have been fixed with the sanction of the said Board of Revenue, no such liquors unless manufactured at the said Sadar distillery, shall be introduced or sold without a pass from the Collector, and no still shall be constructed or worked or spirituous liquors manufactured, except at the said distillery.

The limits comprise and include all the villages in thanas Manair, Dinapur, Phulwari, Bakerganj, Pirbahore, Sultanganj, Allamganj, Khawajeh Kallan, Chowk, Malsalami and Fatwa.

North.—The river Ganges.

West.—The river Sone.

South.—The thanas Bikram, Masourhi, Hilsa and Chandi.

East.—Thana Barh.

NOGENDRA NATH MUKHARJI,

for Collector.

The 16th March 1909

NOTIFICATION.

THE Contract supply system will be introduced into the district of Purnea with effect from the 1st April 1909. It is hereby notified under the provisions of the Bengal Excise Act, VII of 1878, that from and after that date within the following limits of the district of Purnea, no spirituous liquors manufactured after the native process shall be sold without a license from the Collector of Purnea and no still shall be constructed or worked or spirituous liquors be manufactured:—

Northern boundary—Nepal, Darjeeling, Jalpaiguri.

Eastern boundary—Malda, Dinajpur, Jalpaiguri.

Southern boundary—Bhagalpur, Sonthal Parganas.

Western boundary—Bhagalpur.

E. GEAKE,

Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

The 19th March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Contract Supply System will be introduced into the district of Bhagalpur with effect from the 1st April 1909. It is hereby notified, under the provisions of the Bengal Excise Act VII of 1878, that on and from after that date no spirituous liquors manufactured after the native process shall be sold within the limits of the district of Bhagalpur without a license from the Collector of Bhagalpur and no still shall be constructed or worked or spirituous liquors manufactured within those limits. The following are the boundaries of the district of Bhagalpur:—

Northern boundary—Nepal and the district of Darbhanga.

Eastern boundary—The districts of Sonthal Parganas and Purnea.

Southern boundary—The district of Sonthal Parganas.

Western boundary—The districts of Darbhanga and Monghyr.

This cancels notification dated the 26th September 1907, published at pages 343-4 Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th February 1908.

F. F. LYALL,

Collector.

The 22nd March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Contract Supply System will be introduced into the district of Monghyr with effect from the 1st April 1909. It is hereby notified, under the provisions of the Bengal Excise Act VII of 1878, that from and after that date within the following limits of the district of Monghyr, no spirituous liquors manufactured after the native process shall be sold without a license from the Collector of Monghyr and no still shall be constructed or worked or spirituous liquors be manufactured:—

Northern boundary—The southern boundaries of the Samastipur subdivision of the district of Darbhanga and the Madhepura subdivision of the district of Bhagalpur.

Eastern boundary—The western boundaries of the subdivisions of Madhepura and Banka of the district of Bhagalpur and the Deoghar subdivision of the Sonthal Parganas.

Southern boundary—North-eastern boundary of the Giridih subdivision of the Hazaribagh district.

Western boundary—The eastern boundaries of the Nawadah subdivision of the Gaya district and the Bihar and Barh subdivisions of the Patna district.

This cancels notification, dated the 23rd December 1907, published at page 343, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th February 1908.

H. F. SAMMAN,

Collector.

The 29th March 1909.

CUSTOM HOUSE NOTICE.

PENDING further orders, and as an experimental measure, shipping bills need not be delivered in duplicate for shipment of non-dutiable cargo in the foreign trade, except in the case of shipments on which drawback is claimed, or which are intended for transshipment, and in the case of shipments of *ganja* and opium. In these cases, as in the case of dutiable goods, and of all goods in the Coasting Trade, the Shipping Bill must continue to be delivered in duplicate.

CUSTOM HOUSE ;
CALCUTTA, }
The 27th March 1909.

P. R. CADELL,
Collector of Customs.

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that, under the authority vested in him by Government under section 19 (2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, as amended by Bengal Act V of 1908, the Commissioner of the Tirhut Division is pleased to appoint Maulvi Reasat Ali Khan, a zamindar of Darbhanga, to be a member of the Darbhanga District Board, *vice* Chaudhri Nazamuddin, deceased.

S. AHMAD ALI KHAN, *Persnl. Asst. to Commissioner.*

TIRHUT COMM'R.'s OFFICE, MUZAFFARPUR, *the 20th March 1909.*

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that, under the authority vested in him by Government under section 19(2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, as amended by Bengal Act V of 1908, the Commissioner of the Tirhut Division is pleased to appoint Babu Sri Narayan Singh to be a member of the Sitamarhi Local Board, *vice* Babu Mangal Parshad, resigned.

SAIYID AHMAD ALI KHAN, *Personal Assistant to Commissioner.*

TIRHUT COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, MUZAFFARPUR, *the 23rd March 1909.*

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that, under sections 11 and 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Mr. Hem Nath Sarkar of the American Free Baptist Mission, Contai, has been appointed to be a member of the Contai Local Board, *vice* Mr. R. H. Murphy, resigned.

KUMUD NATH MUKHARJI, *Persnl. Asst., for Commissioner, en tour.*

COMM'R.'s OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 23rd March 1909.*

• NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 19 (2) of Act V of 1908 Mr. W. M. Boyle, General Manager, Midnapore Zamindari Company, Limited, has been appointed to be a member of the Midnapore District Board, *vice* Mr. G. C. Amesbury, resigned.

KUMUD NATH MUKHARJI, *Persnl. Asst., for Commr., on tour.*

COMM'R.'s OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 25th March 1909.*

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information, that a fresh election will be held on Wednesday, the 7th April 1909, in Ward No. 11 of the Gaya Municipality, in the district of Gaya, for election of a Commissioner in that ward.

W. MAUDE, *Commissioner.*

PATNA COMM'R.'s OFFICE, BANKEPORE, *the 22nd March 1909.*

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act III of 1884, on Monday, the 26th April 1909, in Ward No. I of the Raniganj Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, to fill up the vacancy caused by the death of Babu Krishna Dhan Ray, an elected Commissioner of the Municipality.

D. J. MACPHERSON, *Commissioner*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVISION, CHINSURA, the 29th March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that at a by-election held in Ward IV (Tiljala) of the Tollygunj Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, on the 13th March 1909, Babu Benode Behary Mondul has been duly elected to be a Commissioner for that Ward in the place of Babu Narayan Chandra Chaudhury, deceased.

M. N. GHOSH, *Personal Assistant, for Commissioner*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, the 26th March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (b) of the Rules for the management of Hospitals and Dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be the members of the Committees for the management of the Dispensaries at Nawada and Aurangabad, in the district of Gaya:—

Nawada.

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|--------------------------------------|-----|-----|----------------------|
| 1. The Subdivisional Officer, Nawada | ... | ... | } <i>Ex-officio.</i> |
| 2. The Civil Surgeon, Gaya | ... | ... | |
| 3. Munshi Mewa Lal. | | | |
| 4. Babu Beni Madhab Prasad. | | | |
| 5. „ Hari Ballav Narain. | | | |
| 6. Munshi Ram Lal. | | | |
| 7. Chowdhri Gur Narain. | | | |
| 8. Maulvi Saiyid Sabir Hussain. | | | |
| 9. Babu Harbans Narain Singh. | | | |

Aurangabad.

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| 1. The Subdivisional Officer, Aurangabad | ... | ... | } <i>Ex-officio.</i> |
| 2. The Civil Surgeon, Gaya | ... | ... | |
| 3. The Munsif, Aurangabad | ... | ... | |
| 4. Maulvi Hakim Muhammad Reza. | | | |
| 5. Haji Maulvi Waheduddin Khan. | | | |
| 6. Babu Suraj Bhan Lal. | | | |
| 7. „ Uday Prokash Lal. | | | |
| 8. „ Birkishore Narain Singh. | | | |
| 9. „ Shama Charan Ghosh. | | | |

W. MAUDE, *Commissioner*.

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, the 24th March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (b) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the General Hospital at Cuttack, in the district of Cuttack:—

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| 1. The Commissioner of the Orissa Division | ... | } <i>Official Members.</i> |
| 2. The Magistrate and Collector of Cuttack | ... | |
| 3. The Executive Engineer, Mahanuddy Division | ... | |
| 4. The Civil Surgeon and Superintendent, General Hospital | ... | |
| 5. Rajendra Narayan Bhunj, Proprietor of Kanika. | | |
| 6. Babu Gouree Sunker Roy. | | |
| 7. „ Nemoi Charan Mitra. | | |
| 8. „ Ram Sunker Roy. | | |
| 9. „ Gokulanand Choudhury. | | |
| 10. „ Janaki Nath Bose. | | |

11. Babu Biswanath Singha.
12. Munshi Syed Mahamad Nural Huq.
13. Doctor Syed Ekram Rasool.
14. M. S. Das, Esq., C.I.E.
15. Babu Krishna Prosad Bose, Zemindar.
16. Mr. Nalun Subramanayer.
17. Maulvi Hafiz Abdul Manan.

E. V. LEVINGE, *Commissioner.*

ORISSA COMM'R.'S OFFICE, CUTTACK, the 23rd March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers delegated to him by Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G, dated the 1st December 1904, the Commissioner of the Tirhut Division is pleased to establish, under section 6(c) of the Bengal Ferries Act of 1885, a new ferry at Barhetta Ghat, situated on Samastipur Local Board Road No. 19, village Barhetta on the Satinala, about 3 miles east of Chakmehsi, in the district of Darbhanga.

In exercise of the powers delegated to him by Government Notification No. 217L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, under section 35 of the Bengal Ferries Act, 1885, the Commissioner is also pleased to direct, that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Darbhanga, and that all the proceeds of the ferry and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof, shall be paid into the District Fund of Darbhanga with effect from the date of this notification.

S. AHMAD ALI KHAN, *Personl. Asst. to Commissioner.*

TIRHUT COMM'R.'S OFFICE, MUZAFFARPUR, the 17th March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers delegated to me under Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G, dated the 1st December 1904, I take possession under section 6, clause (b) of the Bengal Ferries Act, 1 of 1885, of the private ferry at Dongajora over the river Matla in thana Canning, district 24-Parganas, and declare it to be a public ferry.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred on me by Government Notification No. 217 L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, I direct, under section 35 of the said Act, that the aforesaid ferry shall be managed by the District Board of the 24-Parganas, and that all the proceeds of the ferry and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the district fund with effect from the date of this notification.

E. W. COLLIN, *Commissioner.*

COMM'R.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., Calcutta, the 26th March 1909.



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PART I A.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 27th March 1909.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

MEDICAL.

Calcutta, the 26th March 1909.

No. 335.—Major R. Bird, C.I.E., M.D., F.R.C.S., I.M.S., Professor of Surgery, Medical College, and Surgeon, College Hospital, Calcutta, is granted privilege leave for three months with furlough out of India for three months in continuation, with effect from the 6th May 1909.

No. 336.—Major F. O'Kinealy, I.M.S., is appointed to officiate as Professor of Surgery, Medical College, and Surgeon, College Hospital, Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Major R. Bird, C.I.E., M.D., F.R.C.S., I.M.S., or until further orders.

H. A. STUART,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, is republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENT.

Calcutta, the 23rd March 1909.

No. 2398-S.—Mr. A. Wolferstan, an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Custom Service, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 3rd May 1909, or the subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

B. ROBERTSON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, are republished for general information.

F. W. DUKE,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Fort William, the 26th March 1909.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps.

No. 279.—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 231, dated 12th March 1909, Commander E. W. Petley, c.i.e., Honorary Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Viceroy, v.d., is permitted, on retirement, to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the Corps.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 281.—John Lincoln Durant to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* McNaught promoted. Dated 6th February 1909.

2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 283.—Captain George Lane Anderson to be Major, *vice* Halliday transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 23rd February 1909.

Lieutenant John Henry Bullen to be Captain, *vice* Anderson promoted. Dated 23rd February 1909.

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART IB.

Municipal and Local.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 550 L.S.-G.—The 25th March 1909.—Under section 19(3) of the Central Provinces Local Self-Government Act, 1883, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election of Mr. Jogendra Nath Sen as Chairman of the District Council of Sambalpur for the year ending 31st March 1909.

No. 575 L.S.-G.—The 29th March 1909.—It is hereby notified that, under section 29A(2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the District Magistrate of Muzaffarpur to be the Chairman of the District Board of Muzaffarpur.

No. 583 M.—The 29th March 1909.—Whereas a notification No. 727 T.M., dated the 28th October 1908, was published at page 159, Part IB, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th November 1908, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the provisions of sections 236 to 244 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, to the Lohardaga Municipality in the district of Ranchi, and whereas no valid objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Lohardaga Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the above provisions of the Municipal Act to the said Municipality.

No. 598 M.—The 30th March 1909.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section (8), sub-section (2), clause (d) of the Calcutta Municipal Act III of 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Corporation of Calcutta :—

Rai Kailas Chandra Bose Bahadur, C.I.E.
The Honourable Mr. W. O. Macpherson, C.S.I.
Dr. C. Banks.
Mr. F. G. Dumayne.
„ J. C. E. Branson.
„ W. O. Madge.
Khan Bahadur Serajul Islam.
Sahebzada Mahomed Bukhtyar Shah, C.I.E.
Mr. R. H. M. Rustomjee.
Rai Chandra Narain Singh Bahadur.
Mr. W. J. Simmons.
Rai Krishna Chandra Banerji Bahadur.
Mr. G. B. Williams.
Maulvi Shamsul Huda.
Mr. T. K. Ghose.

C. E. A. W. OLDHAM,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

THE following list of Candidates for election as Ward Commissioners of the Corporation of Calcutta, duly returned at the third General Election held on the 23rd March 1909 for the several Wards of Calcutta under section 42 and Schedule V of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III (B.O.) of 1899, is hereby published under section 55 of the said Act :—

Ward.	Elected Commissioner.
1	J. N. Mitter, Esq., 103, Cornwallis Street.
2	Rai Sitanath Roy, Bahadur, 37, Sovabazar Street.
3	Babu Dwijendra Nath Mitter, 58, Beadon Street.
4	Babu Jadu Nath Sen, 35 and 36, Shib Narayan Das' Lane.
5	Kumar Dinendra Narain Roy, 79, Upper Chitpore Road.
6	The Hon'ble Babu Radha Charan Pal, 108, Baranoshi Ghose's Street.
7	Rai Hariram Goenka Bahadur, 81, Banstola Street.
8	Maulvi Badruddin Haidar, Khan Bahadur, 1, Kaisar Street.
9	Dr. Haridhan Dutt, 37, Beniatola Lane.
10	Babu Bepin Chandra Mallik, 15, Sreenath Das' Lane.
11	Dr. Jogendra Nath Ghose, 46, Nebutola Lane.
12	Elias Moses Duek Cohen, Esq., 13, Sudder Street.
13	Immanuel Jacob Cohen, Esq., 36-3, Prinsep Street.
14	Maulvi Agha Muhammad Musa, 15, Gardner Lane.
15	David Jacob Cohen, Esq., 36-3, Prinsep Street.
16	Babu Dabendra Chandra Ghose, 54, Kansaripara Road, Bhawanipur.
17	John Gregory Apcar, Esq., 44, Chowringhee Road.
18	Arthur C. Oakeshott, Esq., 6, Chapel Road, Hastings.
19	Dr. Suresh Chandra Sarkar, 27, Puddopooker Lane, Entally.
20	Aswini Coomar Banerji, Esq., 29, Phulbagan Road.
21	Babu Ramtaran Banerji, 16, Hazra Road.
22	„ Priya Nath Mallik, 55, Chakrabere Road, North.
23	„ Amulyadhane Addy, 8, Myerpore Road.
24	Rezinæd Braunfeld, Esq., 30, Diamond Harbour Road.
25	Babu Satish Chandra Mukherji, 18, Shastitala Road.

CHARLES ALLEN,

Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta.

THE following return of gentlemen appointed by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, the Calcutta Trades Association and the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, respectively, under section 8 (2) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III (B.O.) 1899, to represent those bodies on the Corporation of Calcutta as Commissioners, is hereby published in pursuance of sub-section (2) of section 58 of the said Act :—

Shirley Tremearne, Esq.,	}	The Bengal Chamber of Commerce.
William Rowe Rae, Esq.,		
John Ross Bertram, Esq.,		
Thomas Robert Pratt, Esq.		
James Peter Wyness, Esq.,	}	The Calcutta Trades Association.
George Phillips Shelton, Esq.,		
William Heath Phelps, Esq.,		
Harry Hobs, Esq.,		
Patrick Robert Cadell, Esq., I.C.S.	}	The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.
Maharaj-Kumar Rishee Case Law.		

CHARLES ALLEN,

Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta.



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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

PRESIDENCY COLLEGE, SESSION 1909-1910.

CONDITIONS OF ADMISSION.

1. Applications for admission will be received at the Presidency College on and after 1st June.
2. The following combinations of subjects are admissible:—

INTERMEDIATE.

Arts—

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|--|--|--|---|
| 1. English.
Sanskrit
Arabic,
Pali
or
Persian.
History.
Logic. | 2. English.
Sanskrit
Arabic,
Pali
or
Persian.
History.
Mathematics. | 3. English.
Sanskrit
Arabic,
Pali
or
Persian.
Logic.
Mathematics. | 4. English.

History.
Logic.
Mathematics. |
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Combinations 1 and 2 are recommended to students in doubt.

Science—

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| 1. English.
Chemistry.
Physics.
Mathematics. | 2. English.
Chemistry.
Physics.
Physiology. |
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Combination 1 is strongly recommended.

Applicants in Arts are reminded that only students who have taken Logic for the Intermediate Examination are allowed by the University Regulations to take Philosophy for the B.A.

Applicants in Science are reminded that no student is permitted by the University Regulations to take Physics or Chemistry for the B.Sc. unless he has taken both Mathematics and Physics for the Intermediate Examination, nor Mathematics unless he has taken Mathematics for the Intermediate.

B.A.—

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| 1. English.
Sanskrit,
Arabic,
Pali,
or
Persian.
History. | 2. English.
Sanskrit,
Arabic,
Pali,
or
Persian.
Political Philosophy. | 3. English.
Sanskrit,
Arabic,
Pali,
or
Persian.
Philosophy. | 4. English.
Sanskrit,
Arabic,
Pali,
or
Persian.
Mathematics. |
| 5. English.
History.
Political Philosophy. | 6. English.
Political Philosophy.
Philosophy. | 7. English.
Political Philosophy.
Mathematics. | |

The combination of Philosophy with Mathematics, of Philosophy with History and of History with Mathematics cannot be arranged.

Physiology may be taken with any other two subjects, so far as the Time-table admit of it. The combination English, Mathematics, Physics will also be allowed, in a few special cases, if room can be found in the Physics Laboratory.

B.Sc.—

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| 1. Mathematics.
Physics.
Chemistry. | 2. Mathematics.
Physics.
Physiology. | 3. Mathematics.
Physics.
Geology. | 4. Mathematics.
Chemistry.
Physiology. |
| 5. Mathematics.
Chemistry.
Geology. | 6. Physics.
Chemistry.
Physiology. | 7. Physics.
Chemistry.
Geology. | |

In the choice of Honour subjects the following limitations must be observed :—

When Honours are taken in Physics, the other subjects taken must be Mathematics and Chemistry.

When Honours are taken in Chemistry, the other subjects taken must be Mathematics and Physics.

When in Geology, one must be Chemistry.

When in Physiology, one must be Chemistry.

When in Mathematics, one must be Physics.

M.A. and M.Sc.—

The College has affiliation only for the M.A. degree in English, and Mathematics Group A.

Classes will, however, be found under University Lecturers on the staff of the College in Political Philosophy for the M.A. and in Physics, Chemistry and Geology for the M.Sc. Graduates will be admitted to these classes on application, if approved by the Lecturers. As a rule such graduates must have obtained Honours in their subjects.

3. Admissions will be unrestricted (subject to the above conditions) so far as considerations of space and efficient teaching admit of it. As there is probability of the applications in some departments exceeding the accommodation available, preference will be given to applications received before 15th June in this order—

(a) To applicants who have passed the Matriculation or Intermediate Examinations in the First Division.

(b) To applicants who have passed the Matriculation or Intermediate Examinations in the Second Division.

(c) To applicants who are sons of old Presidency College students or have other special claims, and as regards the Intermediate Examination in each of the cases distinguished to students who have passed from the Presidency College.

4. Applications received after 15th June can only be entertained if the considerations necessitating restriction above set forth admit of it.

The session opens after the long vacation on Monday, the 28th June. Lecture courses begin Tuesday, the 29th June.

CALCUTTA,

The 24th March 1909.

H. M. PERCIVAL,

Org. Principal, Presidency College, Calcutta.

VERNAOCULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION, JANUARY 1909.

PATNA, BHAGALPUR AND CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISIONS.

The undermentioned candidates have passed the Vernacular Mastership Examination held in January 1909.

No.	Name of candidate.	Age.	Name of school.
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FIRST GRADE.
(Arranged alphabetically).

MEDIUM.

			Yrs. M.	
1	Dayal, Prabhu	...	15 10	Ranchi Training School.
2	Jha, Dharanath*	...	17 0	Patna Training School
3	„ Ganouri ...	...	18 0	Ditto.
4	Lal, Suba*	...	18 2	Ditto.
5	Muhammed Umar	...	18 0	Second Master, Kako M V. School.
6	Pandey, Balkishore*	...	19 10	Patna Training School.
7	„ Chatradhari*	...	17 11	Ditto.
8	Parmanand ...	...	21 9	Ditto.
9	Paulus, Topno*	...	20 9	Ranchi Training School.
10	Rai, Pasupati	...	19 1	Patna Training School.
11	Ram, Damri	...	19 4	Ditto.
12	Ram, Nathu*	...	19 1	Ranchi Training School.
13	Sahay, Brij Mohan*	...	17 1	Ditto.
14	Sahu, Raghunath*	...	17 2	Patna Training School.
15	Sinha, Baleswar	...	18 3	Ranchi Training School.
16	Tewari, Sachidanand	...	19 0	Patna Training School.
17	„ Ram Krishna	...	21 10	Ranchi Training School.
18	Upadhyay, Sukdeo	...	18 4	Ditto.

Low.

1	Dubey, Raghunath	...	19 10	Ranchi Training School.
2	Lal, Ramanand	...	20 6	Patna Training School.
3	Pandey, Ramdhari	...	23 8	Ditto.
4	Prasad, Janki	...	17 0	Ditto.
5	Rai, Bhagwan	...	19 5	Ditto.
6	„ Nirsan	...	18 11	Ditto.
7	„ Ram Sudisht	...	19 1	Ditto.*
8	Ram, Nakohhedi*	...	17 11	Ranchi Training School.
9	Tewari, Bhola	...	20 0	Patna Training School.
10	Upadhyay, Tirbeni	...	18 11	Ditto.

Candidates already passed in the old Course and taking up one or more new subjects—

Art of Teaching, Kindergarten and Object Lessons, Drill and Manual Work.

1	Pandey, Buldeo	...	29 0	Teacher, Sasseram H. E. School.
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Science, Art of Teaching, Kindergarten and Object Lessons, Drill and Manual Work

1	Khoda Buksh	...	35 10	Head Pandit, Monghyr G. T. School.
2	Sahay, Chaturbhuj	...	29 0	Second Pandit, Rampur M. E. School.

Science, Art of Teaching, Kindergarten and Object Lessons, Drawing and Practical Geometry, Drill, and Manual Work.

1	Ohowdhry, Makund Narayan	...	24 0	Head Pandit, Patori G. T. School.
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* Entitled to certificates of special proficiency in Drawing and Practical Geometry.

N.B.—All passed in Manual Work.

VERNACULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION, JANUARY, 1909—contd.

No.	Name of candidate.	Age.	Name of school.
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SECOND GRADE

(Arranged alphabetically.)

HIGH.

		Yrs. m.	
1	Dubey, Dhup Narayan ...	19 9	Ranchi Training School.
2	Lal, Baleswar ...	17 3	Ditto.
3	Pandey, Kedar Nath ...	17 6	Daltonganj Training School.
4	Rai, Jai Nath ...	16 8	Ranchi ditto.
5	Sinhs, Bishun Dhari ...	16 9	Patna ditto.
6	" Sivapujan ...	17 10	Daltonganj ditto.
7	Tewari, Ram Krishna ...	16 10	Ranchi ditto.
8	Upadhya, Gayetri ...	17 0	Patna ditto.

MEDIUM.

1	Chaubey, Chhabi Nath ...	18 9	Patna Training School.
2	" Jadu Nandan ...	17 4	Ranchi ditto.
3	Dubey, Lakshmi ...	19 2	Motibari ditto.
4	Gir, Raj Kishore ...	21 1	Ranchi ditto.
5	Jha, Bhagwat ...	19 3	Patna Training School.
6	" Biswa Nath ...	16 11	Ditto.
7	" Kedar Nath ...	20 11	Ditto.
8	Lal, Jagdeo* ...	17 9	Ditto.
9	" Ram Naresh ...	14 1	Ranchi Training School.
10	Mahto, Ram Swarath ...	18 0	Patna Training School.
11	Mandar, Narsinha ...	16 1	Ditto.
12	Misra, Baldeo ...	15 10	Ranchi Training School.
13	" Dukhi ...	16 7	Ditto.
14	" Suraj Narayan ...	18 2	Patna ditto.
15	Muhammad Abul Qasim ...	18 0	Patna Training School.
16	" Ishaque ...	16 6	Ditto.
17	Pandey, Adalat ...	18 11	Motibari Training School.
18	" Chilmil* ...	18 5	Patna ditto.
19	" Dewa Bansa ...	15 11	Daltonganj ditto.
20	" Jokhu ...	16 2	Motihari ditto.
21	" Hari Kisore ...	18 2	Daltonganj ditto.
22	" Matadeen ...	16 10	Ranchi ditto.
23	" Ram Nath ...	16 11	Motihari ditto.
24	Prasad, Bhola ...	17 5	Patna ditto.
25	Rai, Deo Narayan ...	18 9	Ditto.
26	" Harnandan ...	16 8	Ranchi Training School.
27	" Seo Tahal ...	33 1	Head Pandit, U. P. School attached to Daltonganj Training School.
28	Rai Varma, Shiva Ratan ...	18 4	Teacher attached L. P. School Bankipore.
29	Ram, Bhatu ...	17 4	Ranchi Training School.
30	" Mohon ...	16 7	Ditto.
31	" Ram Sundar ...	19 0	Patna Training School.
32	" Sital ...	13 10	Ranchi ditto.
33	Sahay, Narang ...	14 9	Ditto.
34	Sinha, Ayodheya Prasad ...	21 0	Patna Training School.
35	" Kesho Sharan ...	17 1	Ranchi Training School.
36	" Satya Narain ...	21 0	Patna Training School.
37	" Suraj ...	18 3	Ditto.
38	Tewari, Rama Kant ...	19 7	Motihari ditto.

* Not passed in Manual work.

VERNACULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION, JANUARY, 1909—*conclld.*

No.	Name of candidate.	Age.	Name of school.
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SECOND GRADE—*conclld.*

(Arranged alphabetically.)

Low.

			Yrs. M.	
1	Kumar, Basudeo	...	17 5	Patna Training School.
2	Misra, Raja Ram	...	19 1	Motihari ditto.
3	" Damodar	...	16 10	Ranchi ditto.
4	Muhammad Ismail	...	20 4	Patna Training School.
5	" Sagiruddin	...	17 0	Ditto.
6	" Sharif Khan	...	17 10	Ditto.
7	Persad, Bhagwat	...	19 0	Head Guru, Narwara U. P. School.
8	Rai, Sahdeo	...	14 8	Ranchi Training School.
9	Ram, Punai	...	25 0	Head Guru, Makhdumpur U. P. School.
10	" Ram Charan	...	17 5	Ranchi Training School.
11	" Ram Kumar	...	21 1	Ditto.
12	Sinha, Jadu Nath	...	20 3	Patna Training School.
13	" Kamal	...	15 10	Daltonganj ditto.
14	" Nanhu Pershad	...	25 0	Head Guru, Chahuta U. P. School.
15	" Nath Prashad	...	20 4	Pupil teacher, Lahera Sarai G. T. School.
16	" Rambaran	...	28 0	Head Guru, Silout U. P. School.
17	" Ram Prasad	...	17 11	Patna Training School.
18	" Sakhal Dip	...	25 0	2nd Pandit, Sewan G. T. School.
19	Tewari, Gajadhar	...	17 0	Patna Training School.

CALCUTTA,
The 16th March 1909.

JOHN RICHARD CUNNINGHAM,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

"Q" CLASS FINAL EXAMINATION, 1909.

LIST OF SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES.

(In order of merit.)

	Name.	AGE.		School.
		Years.	Months.	
1.	Makhan Lal Bandopadhyaya	15	5	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
2.	Bhupendra Prasad Chattopadhyaya	15	11	Barasat Government School.
3.	Sris Chandra Mullick	18	4	Ditto.
4.	Bhawani Charan Mitra	17	0	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.

G. K. SEN,
Secretary, Commercial Class Advisory and Examination Board.

The 20th March 1909.

NOTIFICATION.

No candidate has been successful at the Pleader's Survey Examination held in February 1909.

CALCUTTA,
The 13th March 1909.

G. W. KUOHLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

THE BENGAL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

The following courses of instruction are provided at this College :—

I.—ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

[Affiliated to the Calcutta University.]

A four-year course leading to the Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Civil Engineering.

Admission qualification—The Intermediate Examination of Science and Arts of the Calcutta University, or its equivalent.

Application for admission by regular students, on or before May 15th.

by special students, on or before July 1st.
Session to commence on 1st Monday in November 1909.

II.—APPRENTICE DEPARTMENT.

Section I.—The Sub-Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Sub-Overseer Examination of the Joint, Technical Examination Board.

Admission qualification—

**To the 1st-year class—Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University
Middle School Examination or equivalent.**

To the 2nd-year class—The Final Examination of B Course of Zilla Schools.

Admissions— { To 1st year on 1st Monday in June.
 { To 2nd year on 1st Monday in May.

Section II.—The Overseer Classes.

A course of two Academic years leading to the Overseer Examination of the Joint Technical Examination Board.

Offered in two branches—

(a) General Engineering, leading to Overseer Certificate.

(b) Mining, leading to the Government of India Diploma in the Principles of Mining.

Admissions—On 1st Monday in May.

Qualification—The passing of the Sub-Overseer Examination.

Section III.—Practical Workshop Training.

[Lasting about 16 months.]

For General Branch only leading to the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate.

III.—WORKSHOPS.

Industrial Classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters'; **Fitters';** **Pattern-making;**
Blacksmiths'; **Turners';** **Founding in Iron and Brass.**

Also a class for the training of Motor Driver Mechanics.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Bengal Engineering College, Sibpur, Botanic Garden P. O.

SIR,

The 11th January 1909.

B. HEATON.
Principal, Bengal Engineering College.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

FRENCH and Uriya have been accepted as second languages for the examination of Female candidates both in the compulsory and additional papers at the Matriculation Examination in 1910, 1911 and 1912.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 24th March 1909.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE following standard works in Urdu are prescribed for the Matriculation and Intermediate Examinations in 1910 and 1911, to be read as models of style:—

Matriculation Examination, 1910 and 1911.

Urdu-i-Mualla.
Ibn-ul-Waqt.
Al-Mamun.
Farhang-i-Ferang.
Mabadi-ul-Insha, Part IV.

Intermediate Examinations in Arts and Science, 1910 and 1911.

Lives of the late Queen Empress and Prince Consort.
Hayat-i-Sadi.
Collected Speeches of Maulvi Hafiz Nazir Ahmad (up to 1892).
Ud-i-Hindi.

The following standard works in Urdu are prescribed for the B.A. Examinations in 1910 and 1911 to be read as presenting ideals of character and models of style:—

Collected Speeches and Lectures of Nawab Muhsinul Mulk, Part I.
Complete Speeches and Lectures of Sir Syed Ahmad Khan.
Al-Faruq.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 25th March 1909.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

ON account of the several serious misprints in the First paper on Mathematics at the Intermediate Examination now being held, a fresh paper in the subject will be set and given to candidates at all Centres of Examination, on Thursday, the 8th April 1909, from 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 27th March 1909.

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

SREEGOPAL BASU MALLIK FELLOWSHIP.

THE following scheme for the Fellowship which has been finally adopted by the Syndicate and the Trustees of the donor is published for general information:—

I.—In the first instance, a Fellow shall be appointed for a term of three years, whose duty it shall be—

- (a) To give tutorial assistance to students of Sanskrit generally and students of Vedanta Philosophy in particular.
- (b) To deliver a course of lectures on Vedanta Philosophy.
- (c) To carry on research in Vedanta Philosophy, with a view to enable him to discharge his duties under heads (a) and (b) satisfactorily.

II.—With a view to give effect to the object mentioned in I (a) the Fellow shall hold classes not less than three times a week during at least thirty-six weeks in the year. To such class only such students will be admitted as may have satisfied the Fellow either by submitting to a test to be imposed by him or otherwise that they are qualified by previous training and attainments to profit by his teaching. The name of any student may be removed by reason of irregularity in attendance. The course of tutorial instruction shall include not only the Vedanta Philosophy but also such preliminary branches of study as may be determined by the Fellow from time to time in consultation with the Syndicate. Twelve of these students will be entitled to a monthly stipend of Rs. 10 (rupees ten) to be paid during good conduct and upon satisfactory progress made in their studies. An annual examination shall be held upon the result of which the best student will be awarded a gold medal of the value of one hundred rupees and also a prize of Rs. 500. The annual examination shall be open to graduates and to holders of certificates at the Sanskrit Title examination of such standing as the Syndicate may approve.

III.—With a view to give effect to the object mentioned in I (b), the Fellow shall annually deliver a course of public lectures on Hindu Philosophy in general and Vedanta Philosophy in particular. These lectures must not be less than twelve in number to be delivered not more than once a week. The substance of these lectures, as also the result of any original research or investigation made by the Fellow under I (c) above, shall be published in a volume at the close of every year.

IV.—The remuneration of the Fellow shall be as follows:—

(a) A stipend of Rs. 125 a month.

(b) A lump sum payment of Rs. 1,400 at the end of the year, out of which the expenses of printing 500 copies of the lectures shall be met, 400 of which shall be placed at the disposal of the University and 100 at the disposal of the founder's representatives for free distribution.

V.—The Fellow must submit a quarterly report to the Syndicate as to the manner in which he has been discharging his duties.

VI.—The mode of election shall be as follows:—

Persons who have made a special study of the subject shall be invited by notices and advertisements in the newspapers to send in their names together with a synopsis of the proposed lectures to the Syndicate, who shall select at least three persons out of the applicants and send their names to the Trustees, who shall within one week thereafter notify their choice, which will be accepted by the Syndicate.

In accordance with the above scheme, applications are invited for the Sreegopal Basu Mallik Fellowship for 1909, which must reach the undersigned not later than the 1st of June 1909.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 20th March 1909. }

G. THIBAUT,
Registrar, Calcutta University.



The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 1909.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this Part of the "Gazette" cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate on the 5th April 1909, corresponding with 23rd Chaitra 1315 B.S. (Bengali, Fusli, or Umli, according to the era current in the district.)

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

The condition regarding the payment of a land revenue fixed in perpetuity are not applicable to estate in temporarily-settled districts in which the land revenue should be fixed for the term of the current settlement and be subject to periodical revision on expiry of each settlement. In the case of one estate, situated in a permanently-settled area and yielding an annual rental of less than Re. 1 there should be no condition regarding payment of land revenue.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
445	Raghunathpur, pargana Halisahar	53.26	Rs. A. 65 9	

Collector's Office, District Nadia, the 24th February 1909.

R. S. BHATTACHARYA, Dy. Collector in charge.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bengal and North-Western Railway, in the district of Purnea, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 20th April 1909, corresponding with the 15th Baisakh 1316 Fual, at Purnea Sadar.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN DIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Comment and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Purnea	Muradpoor, Kuraila, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	West side	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ayodhya Singh. North—Railway land. South—Ayodhya Singh.
2	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
3	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
4	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
5	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
6	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
7	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
8	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
9	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
10	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Kosi river. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
11	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Raj parti. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
12	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Raj parti. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
13	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 6	1 2 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Raj parti. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
14	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	1 13 6	0 2 8	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Mukhlai Seth. North—Ditto. South—Railway land.
15	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	East side	5 7 15	1 2 5	.....	.....	...	East—Parti. West—Do. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGGAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
16	Purnea	Muradpoor, Karsila, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	East side	4 4 13	1 1 24	.....	.....	...	East—Bankoo Ganganta. West—Mongan Ganganta. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
17	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 7	1 1 39	.....	.....	...	East—Raj parti. West—Kanchan. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
18	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	3 13 1	1 0 33	.....	.....	...	East—Raj parti. West—Porungi Mandal and large ditch. North—Railway land. South—Ditto.
19	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Large ditch. North—Rajmunder. South—Raj parti.
20	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rajmunder. South—Raj parti.
21	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal South—Raj parti.
22	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
23	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
24	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Kanchan Mandal. South—Raj parti.
25	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Meshoo Mandar. South—Raj parti.
26	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Meshoo Mandar. South—Raj parti.
27	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
28	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
29	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
30	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
31	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
32	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
33	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 7	1 3 1	.....	.....	...	East—Ratoo Mandal and Mahadeo. West—Railway land. North—Rupan Mahto. South—Raj parti.
34	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 4 2	1 2 38	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Raj parti. North—Ditto. South—Mahadeo.
35	Ditto	Mujdeea, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	Ditto	4 16 2	1 2 14	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.
36	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 3 5	1 2 33	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.
37	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 19 9	1 2 28	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN SQUARES AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
38	Purnea	Mujdeea, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	East side	2 17 15	0 3 33	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Batesur Mandal. South—Ditto.
39	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	3 15 13	1 1 0	.....	.....	..	East—Railway land. West—Batesur Mandal. North—Railway land. South—Batesur Mandal.
40	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 5 3	1 1 25	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
41	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 6 5	1 1 28	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
42	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 6 5	1 1 28	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
43	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
44	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
45	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
46	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 10 15	1 2 0	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
47	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 14 5	1 2 9	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
48	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 15 7	1 2 13	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
49	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 17 10	1 2 18	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
50	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	4 18 14	1 2 21	.....	.....	..	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
51	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 0 0	1 2 24	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
52	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 3 6	1 2 33	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
53	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 5 10	1 2 30	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
54	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 6 13	1 3 3	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
55	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 10 0	1 3 11	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Ditto. South—Batesur Mandal.
56	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Zirat of Debipoor South—Batesur Mandal.
57	Ditto	Ditto	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Ditto. North—Zirat of Debipoor South—Batesur Mandal.
58	Ditto	Muradpoor, Kurilla, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	Ditto	14 9 1	4 3 4	.....	.....	...	East—Railway land. West—Batesur Mandal. North—Zirat of Debipoor South—Railway land.
59	Ditto	Mujdeea, pargana Dharampoor.	86-87	Ditto	5 7 15	1 3 5	.....	.....	...	East—Chandhula land Batesur Mandal. West—Railway land. North—Zirat of Debipoor South—Batesur Mandal.
Total					296 14 6	108 3 0				

Purnea, the 11th February, 1909.

A. H. VERNER, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Toposi Extension, Nandi-Panuria section of the East Indian Railway, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, the 19th April 1909, corresponding to the 6th Baisaku B.S. 1316, Sitarampur Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than 3 feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Burdwan	Mauza Chn-mula, pargana Shergarh.	7 & 8	Situated on the south side of the Railway	7 18 11	3 2 19'67	.....	.....	The Lot contains two rectangular plots measuring (125 x 250) and (400 x 30) and lying between chains 36'610 and 37'330.	Bounded on all sides the khas <i>danga</i> land.

Hooghly, the 19th February 1909.

RUSIK LAL SEN, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the South Behar Railway, in the district of Gaya, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Saturday, the 15th May 1909, corresponding with the 10th Jethi, 1316 Fusti, at the Court of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Gaya.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway fencing, or plough the lands closer than three feet from its foundation.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive Lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Gaya	Pargana Samaj, mauza Kamelpore Barawan Gonawan Nawaah.	305	Western	.....	22'71 0 0	.....	...	.....	.

Gaya, the 26th March 1909.
The 26th March 1909.

R. S. GREENSHIELDS, Collector.
RAI KRISHNA BAHADUR, Land Acquisition Deputy Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Damuda Branch of Gopalichuck Siding off Bhalgara Joint Assisted Siding, East Indian Railway, in the district of Manbhum, will be put up to sale at 8 o'clock on Wednesday, the 11th May 1909, corresponding with the 29th Baisakh 1916 Fual, at Dhanbad District Board Bungalow.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

- 1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.
- 2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.
- 3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.
- 4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.
- 5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders. of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES.		LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Manbhum	Mauza Jharla, pargana Jharla.	Mile 174½	South side of the Railway line.	5 11 1'78	1 3 13'85	Nil	.....	From the dead end of the siding to chain a g e 39-12' 9".	

KANTI BHUSHAN SEN, Collector.

Land Acquisition Office, Purulia, the 13th March 1909.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF BENGAL

for the week ending 23rd March 1909.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
		Rs.	A. P.			Rs.	A. P.
Capital paid up	...	2,00,00,000	0 0	Government securities	...	2,79,35,902	0 0
Reserve Fund	...	1,65,00,000	0 0	Other authorised investments	...	38,41,520	0 0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs. 84,89,119 2 2½	1,66,25,691	12 10	Loans on Government and other authorised securities	...	4,96,42,993	1 0
Other ditto at Branches	81,38,572 10 8½	16,45,96,177	2 5	Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	...	5,08,58,667	4 9
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	...	20,94,253	0 1	Bills discounted and purchased	...	2,02,12,461	8 2
Bank Post Bills, &c.	...	18,82,027	6 9	Balances with other Banks	...	44,58,786	13 10
Sundries	...			Bullion	...	8,902	12 0
				Dead Stock	...	19,29,390	5 1
				Stamps	...	17,164	5 0
				Sundries	...	1,75,486	14 10
						16,50,76,165	0 8
				Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office	Rs. 2,75,09,398 4 0	5,06,01,984	5 5
				Cash & Currency Notes at Branches	Rs. 2,90,92,586 1 5		
Rupees	...	22,16,78,149	6 1	Rupees	...	22,16,78,149	6 1

* Includes Govt. & Govt. value Rs. 1,09,620 8 0

† Do. do. do. " 1,09,657 8 0

" 2,19,277 8 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 25th March 1909.

Rate for Demand Loans, 7 per cent.
Percentage 30-56.
C. M. RASTIN, Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
W. D. CHUCKENHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

**In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of
1st Court, Shahabad.**

EXECUTION CASE No. 859 of 1908.

Sayed Nabiullah, decree-holder, *versus* Mosamat Zainub Begum, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Shahabad, on 3rd May 1909, at 6 A.M., in the Subordinate Judge's Court-house at Arrah, the undermentioned mortgaged property of the judgment-debtor Mosamat Zainub Begum for satisfaction of Rs. 11,336-8-7 :—

4½ pieas talooka Amao bearing tauzi No. 2075 and khata No. 21, pargana Champore, thana Mohania, and Sub-Registry Bhabhua. The annual revenue payable to Government is Rs. 11,361-13-8.

KISHORI MOHAN SIKDAR,

Subordinate Judge.

Arrah, the 26th March 1909.

(427—1)

**In the 2nd Court of the Subordinate Judge
of 24-Parganas.**

MORTGAGE SUIT No. 103 of 1908.

Raja Sree Nath Roy, decree-holder, *versus* Sreemati Muktakasi Das, judgment-debtor.

THE following properties of the judgment-debtor will be sold by the Nazir, Judge's Court, 24-Parganas, on the 14th April 1909, at 12 A.M., for the realization of Rs. 68,317-1-13 gundas :—

I.—Premises No. 8-2, Police Hospital Road, about 7 cottahs of land with two-storied building standing thereon, bounded on the north by the premises, No. 8-2-1, Police Hospital Road; on the east by land No. 9, South Road, Entally, belonging to Narendro Nath Das; on the south by a public drain between the said premises of the tenanted house belonging to Labchand Sett, and on the west by Police Hospital Road.

II.—Premises No. 8-2-1, Police Hospital Lane, about 7 cottahs of land with two-storied building thereon, bounded on the north by premises No. 8-3, Police Hospital Road; on the east by land No. 9, South Road Entally, belonging to Narendro Nath Das; on the south by the premises No. 8-2, Police Hospital Road; on the west by Police Hospital Road.

III.—Premises No. 8-3, Police Hospital Road, about 7 cottahs of land with two-storied building thereon, bounded on the north and east by *bastee* passage of land No. 9, South Road Entally, belonging to Narendro Nath Das; on the south by premises No. 8-2-1, Police Hospital Road and on the west by Police Hospital Road.

MAHIM CHANDRA SARKAR, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 26th March 1909.

(396—1)

Advertisement for Creditors.

PURSUANT to a decree of the 25th day of July 1901 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made in suit No. 239 of 1899 (wherein George Henderson and others are the plaintiffs and Nachicata Chatterjee and another are defendants), the creditors of Bhudar Chatterjee, deceased, late of No. 70, Sukea's Street, in the town of Calcutta, who carried on business as a paper-merchant and printer, publisher, stationer under the name, style and firm of Bhudar Chatterjee & Co. at No. 124, Canning Street, in the town of Calcutta, and who died on the 19th March 1899, are on or before Monday, the 5th day of April 1909, to send to the office of the Registrar of this Court in its Original Side, their names, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, statements of their accounts and nature of the securities (if any) held by them or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree.

Every creditor holding any security may produce or transmit the same to the Registrar with the particulars of his claim or shall produce the same before the 2nd Assistant Registrar of this Court in the Court House, on Wednesday, the 14th day of April 1909, at 12 o'clock noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Every claim should be stamped with a Court-fee stamp of two rupees.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

NARENDRA NATH MITTER, Plaintiff's Attorney, High Court, Original Side, the 3rd March 1909

(351—1—132)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 1st day of May 1909, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a decree and an order made in suit No. 979 of 1906 (Sreemutty Sarnolata Chowdhooany *versus* Banse Madhub Mittra and another) and dated, respectively, the 12th day of April 1907 and 19th day of March and 16th November 1908, the undermentioned property :—

Lot No. 1.—All that partly one, partly two and partly three-storied brick-built dwelling-house with land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by measurement 7 cottahs 11 chittacks and 30 square feet more or less, being premises No. 27, Bonomally Sircar's Street, which comprises the premises formerly No. 27 and part of No. 28, Bonomally Sircar's Street, in Sootanuty in the town of Calcutta, bounded on the north by Bonomally Sircar's Street; on the south by the premises Nos. 15 and 16, Akhoy Charan Mitter's Street; on the east by the premises No. 28, Bonomally Sircar's Street; and on the west partly by the premises No. 26 (formerly part of the premises No. 26), Bonomally Sircar's Street and partly by the premises No. 28, Nandoram Son's Street.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar or at No. 9, Old Post Office Street, the office of Moharaj Kumar Sailendra Krishna Deb, the Attorney for the plaintiff, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

S. K. Deb, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 22nd May 1908.

(397—1—137)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, in his sale-room in the Court-house, on Saturday, the 24th day of April 1909, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a decree and an order of the said Court, made in suit No. 774 of 1904 (wherein Jadunath Sircar and another are the plaintiffs and Saudamin Dassee is the defendant) and dated, respectively, the 22nd day of May 1905 and the 26th day of August 1907, the undermentioned property :—

Lot No. 1.—Premises No. 12, Musjeed Baree Street in Sootanuty in the town of Calcutta, being a partly two and partly three-storied brick-built dwelling-house, together with the rent-free land or ground on which the same is erected and built and measuring about 1 cottah 8 chittacks and 21 square feet more or less, and bounded on the north by premises No. 13, Musjeed Baree Street, on the south by premises No. 11, Musjeed Baree Street, on the east by premises No. 18, Musjeed Baree Street, and on the west by a passage which is treated as a part and parcel of Musjeed Baree Street.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of Babu Manmohan Nath Sen, Attorney for the plaintiffs, at No. 7, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, or at the office of the Registrar on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

M. N. Sen, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, the 9th day of March 1909.

(382—1—383)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Kamikhyanath Ghosh, son of Kedarnath Ghosh of Baksara, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 13 of 1909, and that the 24th April 1909 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

W. N. DELEVINGNE,
District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th March 1909. (392—1—195)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Nandalal Mandal, son of Ghaneshyam Mandal of Biprasawpara, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 12 of 1909, and that the 23rd April 1909 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

W. N. DELEVINGNE,
District Judge,

Chinsura, the 25th March 1909. (391—1—133)

In the Court of the District Judge of Muzaffarpur.**INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 of 1908.**

In the matter of Hussan Mistry, son of Dhannu Miah, deceased, resident of mahalla Islampur, district Muzaffarpur, pargana Bisara, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on 5th April 1909.

F. W. Ward, District Judge.
Muzaffarpur Judge's Court, the 24th March 1909.
(389—1—138)

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.**INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 of 1909.**

Priya Nath Ghosh, son of late Bansidhor Ghosh of Baranagore, appellant, *versus* Gour Sanker Dubay of Baranagore and others, creditors, opposite party.

ON the 8th March 1909, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant will be heard on the 5th April 1909, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. Ros, District Judge, 24-Parganas.
Alipore, the 22nd March 1909. (386—1—138)

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.**INSOLVENCY CASE No. 14 of 1909.**

Narendra Nath Bose of Raja Raj Ballave Street, son of Shama Pado Bose, appellant, *versus* Hari Nath Roy and others, creditors, opposite party.

ON the 15th March 1909, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant will be heard on the 14th April 1909, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

F. R. Ros, District Judge, 24-Parganas.
Alipore, the 22nd March 1909. (385—1—139)

In the Court of the District Judge of Darbhanga.**INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 of 1908.**

PETITIONERS Tater Momin and Dilawar Momin, sons of Wahid Ali Momin of village Harpur, pargana Gopalpur, district Darbhanga, were adjudicated insolvents by this Court on the 18th January 1909.

A. MALLON, District Judge.
Lahiria-Sarai, the 23rd March 1909. (363—1—134)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of ISMAIL KHAN MAHOMED, an insolvent.

On the 14th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. C. Dutt and Roy, Attorneys. (355—2)

In the matter of MOHUN BANSI PAL and others, insolvents.

On the 19th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (356—2)

In the matter of RAGHU NATH DASS AGARWALLAH, an insolvent.

On the 8th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. C. Mitter, Attorney. (357—2)

In the matter of KANAYA LALL, an insolvent.

On the 2nd day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. C. Gupta, Attorney. (358—2)

In the matter of JOSEPH ROGERS, an insolvent.

On the 2nd day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. E. Sircar, Attorney. (359—2)

In the matter of GIRIJA BHUSHAN MITTER, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. L. Mullik, Attorney. (360—2)

In the matter of JUGUNNATH, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (361—2)

In the matter of MAHOMED REZAK and another insolvents.

On the 24th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. N. De, Attorney. (362—2)

In the matter of ABINASH CHUNDER ROY, an insolvent.

On the 17th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (363—2)

In the matter of A. T. SIMPER, an insolvent.

On the 18th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. N. Mitter, Attorney. (364—2)

In the matter of J. O. REID, an insolvent.

On the 18th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(365-2)

In the matter of B. ST. CLAIR BENDOW, an insolvent.

On the 17th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(366-2)

In the matter of G. E. KERR, an insolvent.

On the 16th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(367-2)

In the matter of SHAIK DILLOO KHANSAMAH, an insolvent.

On the 16th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Paul, Attorney.

(368-2)

In the matter of ALI HOSSEIN KHAN, an insolvent.

On the 7th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. N. Chatterjee, Attorney.

(369-2)

In the matter of A. E. WILSON, an insolvent.

On the 18th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. K. Bysack, Attorney.

(370-2)

In the matter of CHOORAMONI SING, an insolvent.

On the 11th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. K. Bysack, Attorney.

(371-2)

In the matter of A. W. GODFREY, an insolvent.

On the 18th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. C. Ghosh, Attorney.

(372-2)

In the matter of SHAIK ABDUL SUTTER, an insolvent.

On the 12th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Paul, Attorney.

(373-2)

In the matter of G. E. ROBERTSON, an insolvent.

On the 4th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(374-2)

In the matter of BENARASI DASS, an insolvent.

On the 9th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(375-2)

In the matter of E. A. SHELVERTON and another, insolvents.

On the 6th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(376-2)

In the matter of CHOGEMULL and others, insolvents.

On the 6th day of February last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. C. Gupta, Attorney.

(377-2)

In the matter of P. GIBSON, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

(378-2)

In the matter of R. PAPWORTH, an insolvent.

On the 29th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. L. Mukerjee, Attorney.

(379-2)

In the matter of D. BALYOUS, an insolvent.

On the 22nd day of December last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Orr, Dignam & Co, Attorneys.

(380-2)

In the matter of HENRY PHILLIPS, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

A. T. De, Attorney.

(389-1)

In the matter of ALEXANDER WILSON GODFREY, residing at No. 40, Telkul Ghat Road, Howrah, employed as a Guard on the E. I. Railway Co., an European British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 18th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

H. C. Ghose, Attorney.

(400-1)

In the matter of JOHN CHARLES REID, a Driver in the employ of the East Indian Railway, residing at No. 13 Block at Buxar, a European British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 18th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

(401-1)

In the matter of GEORGE EUGENE KERR, of No. 70, Wellesley Street in the town of Calcutta, employed as a Pressurman in the Oriental Gas Works at Narcolidanga, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 16th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

(402-1)

In the matter of **ALFRED THOMAS SAMPER**, who resides at No. 144, Dhurumtolla Street, Calcutta, and is employed as office assistant at Messrs. Steuart & Co., 8, Mangoe Lane, in the town of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 18th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

J. N. Mitter, Attorney.

(403-1)

In the matter of **REUBEN ST. CLAIR BROW**, at present residing at Asansol and in the employ of the East Indian Railway as a Driver, a European British subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 17th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

(404-1)

In the matter of **Chooramoni Sing**, at present residing at No. 28, Raj Chunder Sen's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carried on business in Teak wood at No. 8, Scott's Lane, in Calcutta, in copartnership with Surnamoyee Dasi, now in the service of Abhoy Churn Goorey of the same place, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 11th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney.

(405-1)

In the matter of **JOSEPH ROGERS**, at present residing at No. 41, Bentinck Street, in the town of Calcutta, formerly employed at Messrs. Robinson and Morrison, afterwards a contractor in Military tenancy, at present unemployed, a European British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 2nd day of March instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

N. B. Sarkar, Attorney.

(406-1)

In the matter of **ISMAIL KHAN MAHOMMED**, lately residing at No. 205, Old China Bazar Street, and now at No. 42, Park Street, in the town of Calcutta, carrying on business until the 10th day of October 1905 at No. 205, Old China Bazar Street aforesaid in copartnership with Mirza Ahmed Ali, Abdulla Mahomed, Nur Mahomed Ismail and Hossain Dawood, under the name and style of Mirza and Ismail as brokers, and thereafter carrying on business on his own account and under his own name as a broker in jute, gunny and sugar at No. 205, Old China Bazar Street aforesaid, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 16th day of May 1906, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

J. C. Dutt and Roy, Attorneys.

(407-1)

In the matter of **MAHOMED REJAN and MAHOMED IASIN**, both residing at No. 100, Canning Street, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business as soap merchants at the aforesaid place under the name, style and firm of Golam Moula, Golam Ambia, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 24th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. N. De, Attorney.

(408-1)

In the matter of **SHAIK ABDUL SUTTAH**, residing at No. 8, Komedan Bagan Lane, in the town of Calcutta, serving under Messrs. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Merchants of this city, as a Ghat Serang, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 12th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

P. N. Paul, Attorney.

(409-1)

In the matter of **SHAIK DILLOO KHANSAMAH**, residing at No. 68, Wellesley Street, in the town of Calcutta, and serving as a *Khansamah* under Mr. Mitchell of No. 225, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 16th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

P. N. Paul, Attorney.

(410-1)

In the matter of **ABINASH CHUNDER ROY**, residing at No. 195, Cornwallis Street, in the town of Calcutta, and serving as a Clerk in the Deputy Comptroller, Post Office at Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 17th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney.

(411-1)

In the matter of **ALI HOSSEIN KHAN**, residing at No. 87-1, Collinga Bazar Street, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business of hire supplier in glassware, furniture and crockery at No. 4, Free School Street in Calcutta aforesaid in copartnership with Ali Kader Khan, Ibrahim Khan and Anjuman Sarah Khatun Bibi under the name and style of Manu Khan and Sons, but now without employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 7th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

J. N. Chatterjee, Attorney.

(412-1)

In the matter of **RAGHU NATH DASS AGARWALLA** of No. 11, Hanspukuria 1st Lane, in the town of Calcutta, employed as a Monib Gomosta of the firm of Gobind Ram Dwarka Dass, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 8th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

S. C. Mitter, Attorney.

(413-1)

In the matter of **KANTA LALL** of No. 132, Cotton Street in Calcutta, broker in rice, at present residing as a prisoner in the Civil Side of the Presidency Jail of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 2nd day of March instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

N. C. Gupta, Attorney.

(414-1)

In the matter of **GIRIJA BHUSAN MITTER**, of No. 7, Halder's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business in Hosiery at No. 71-1, Amherst Street, Calcutta, aforesaid, and also lately for some time at No. 264-1 Upper Circular Road, Calcutta, under the style and firm of New India Hosiery now employed as a teacher in Ripon Collegiate School, a trader, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 24th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

N. L. Mullick, Attorney.

(415—1)

In the matter of **JUGUNNATH** of No. 108, Cross Street in Calcutta, carried on a cloth business in copartnership with Nagur Mull and Jugal Kinsore under the name and style of Gajanan Durga Prosad and now out of employ, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 23th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys.

(416—1)

In the matter of **CHOGEMULL** and **JUGUNNATH**, both of No. 51, Ganesha Bhakat Katra in Calcutta, lately carried on a piece-goods business in copartnership with Panna Lall at No. 6 Puggysputty Street, in Calcutta, under the name, style and firm of New Days Jugunnath. The said Chogemull is now out of employment and the said Jugunnath is now serving as a gomastah in the service of Jiban Ram Ram Lall, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 6th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

N. C. Gupta, Attorney.

(417—1)

In the matter of **ARTHUR EDWARD WILSON**, a gunner guard attached to the East Indian Railway, Howrah goods, and residing at No. 15, Gooreamah's Lane in the town of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 13th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

B. K. Bysack, Attorney.

(418—1)

In the matter of **EDWIN ALFRED SHELVERTON**, senior, and **EDWIN ALFRED SHELVERTON**, junior, father and son, respectively, both at present residing at No. 15, Wolly Wallah's Lane, Calcutta, the former lately employed as a clerk in the Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, now and then doing extra work, at present out of employ, and the latter at present employed as a 2nd Engineer in the Electric Power Station of the Kidderpore Docks, in the town of Calcutta, both living together, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 6th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvents in person.

(419—1)

In the matter of **PERCIVAL GIBSON**, of No. 20, Bedford Lane, in the town of Calcutta, employed as an Assistant in the Bengal Police Office, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 30th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

(420—1)

In the matter of **GEORGE EDWARD ROBERTSON**, a guard attached to the East Indian Railway and residing at No. 14, Traffic quarters, Asansol, a European British born subject an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 4th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

(421—1)

In the matter of **BENARSI DASS**, residing at No. 47, Ratan Sircar's Garden Street, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business as cloth merchant at present without any occupation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 9th day of February last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

(422—1)

In the matter of **DOUGLAS BALFOUR**, of No. 37, Chowringhee, in the town of Calcutta, an Assistant of the firm of Messrs. Lazarus & Co. of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 22nd day of December last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Orr, Dignam & Co., Attorneys.

(423—1)

In the matter of **RICHARD PAPWORTH**, residing at No. 8, May Road, Hastings, in the town of Calcutta, a Government Pensioner, but at present an Assistant in the Trading Company at Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 29th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

B. L. Mukerjee, Attorney.

(424—1)

In the matter of **LAL CHAND NAKHAT** and **TALABAM NAKHAT**, insolvents.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been made on the 24th March instant by the said insolvents and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the sixth day of April next, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Any creditor of the said insolvents desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Suresh Chandra Mookerjee, Attorney.

(426—1)

BABU SIVA NANDAN ROY, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court.

(345—4—124)

KHURSHAD HASNAN intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court.

(354—4—125)

SURENDRO NATH GUPTA BHAYA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(281—4—88)

FOUND in Manki Khal, Sundarbans State Forests one door of corrugated iron fastened on angle iron considerably bent belonging to a flat. The owners should apply to the undersigned who will deliver it at any time and date agreed upon on the Aura Shipsha river on the despatch Route.

Deputy Conservator of Forests,

Sundarbans Division, Khulna.

Khulna, the 1st March 1909.

Notice.

A CERTIFICATE under section 86 of Act II of 1874 to the estate of Satish Chandra Nath, late of No. 14, Juggo Mohun Shaha's Lane, Calcutta, who died intestate at Calcutta on 18th November 1904, has been granted to Sreemutty Santobala Dassee of No. 14, Juggo Mohun Shaha's Lane, Calcutta, as widow and sole next of kin of the deceased, to enable her to administer the estate. All persons being indebted to or having claims against the estate should communicate with the said Sreemutty Santobala Dassee.

HENRY T. HYDE,

Administrator-General of Bengal.

No. 3, Council House Street, Calcutta, the 25th March 1909. (388-1)

WANTED a graduate, strong in Science and Mathematics, for the Bhagalpur Zilla School. Candidates are requested to apply with copies of testimonials stating the lowest salary that they will accept. Preference will be given to Biharis.

M. PROTHERO,

Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division
Bhagalpur, the 9th March 1909.

WANTED an Estimator for the office of the Superintendent, Famine Surveys, North Bihar, on a salary of Rs. 60 per mensem.

Preference will be given to a passed candidate of any Engineering College having experience in any Superintending Engineer or Executive Engineer's offices in the Public Works Department.

The selected candidate will have to join at once.

G. W. DISNEY,

Superintendent, Famine Surveys, North Bihar.
Muzaffarpur, the 20th March 1909.

WANTED for the Birbhum Zila School a graduate Assistant Teacher on a salary of Rs. 35 to Rs. 45. Applications, stating qualifications and home district, will be received till the 7th April 1909.

AVINAS CHANDRA SEN,

Headmaster, Birbhum Zila School.
Suri, the 24th March 1909.

Wanted

A SHORTHAND TYPIST for the office of the Commissioner of the Tirhut Division, Muzaffarpur, on a salary of Rs. 30, plus Rs. 50 as allowance (Rs. 80 in all).

Apply to the undersigned at once, stating age and educational and other qualifications.

S. AHMAD ALI KHAN,

Personal Asst. to Commissioner.

Tirhut Commissioner's Office, Muzaffarpur, the 18th March 1909.

Notice.

WANTED a Drawing Master on Rs. 15-1-20 for the Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad. The candidate should possess a fair knowledge of Free-hand and Model Drawing. Applications will be received up to the 15th April 1909. Preference will be given to a Muhammadan candidate.

ABDUL HAK ABID,

for Head Master, Nawab Bahadur's Institution.
Murshidabad, the 27th March 1909.

Notice.

0.59 acre of "Lakhraji land, bearing khasra No. 6082, situated in mauza Patpur samil Balu Bazar, pargana Outtaek Habeli, will be sold by public auction, together with the house which stands thereon on the 1st May of 1909, at 11 A.M. in the Outtaek Collectorate, and given to the highest bidder.

RAJA D. HAJARA,

Dy. Collector in charge, for Collector.
Outtaek Collector's Office, the 19th March 1909.

Notice.

WANTED a Bihari graduate for an Assistant Mastership in the Chaibassa Zilla School on a salary of Rs. 60 a month in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service.

Applications should reach this office by the 26th April next.

R. A. LEFEVRE,

Offg. Inspector of Schools,
Chota Nagpur Division.

Purulia, the 25th March 1909.

Notice.

WANTED a second Teacher for the Khulna Coronation Technical School on a salary of Rs. 40 per month. Preference will be given to a plucked F. E. or who has at least completed the 2nd-year course of the Engineering Department of the Sibpur College. A B. A. or a plucked B. A. in B course may also apply. Application with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th April 1909.

A. L. RANA,

Vice-Chairman, District Board.

Khulna, the 25th March 1909. (393-1)

Wanted

A N Assistant Accountant for the District Board's Office, Manbhum, on a monthly salary of Rs. 40 rising to Rs. 50 by an annual increment of Rs. 2. None need apply who have not passed the Entrance examination. Preference will be given to those who have passed the P. W. D. Accountantship examination and have experience in District Board account works. Applicants must be below 25 years of age if not already in service of Government or some other District Board. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th April 1909, and should be accompanied by certificates of age and other qualifications.

Applicants must be ready to join the post immediately after receiving the appointment letter.

NARENDRA NATH DUTTA,

Vice-Chairman, District Board, Manbhum.

Purnia, the 25th March 1909. (394-2)

Estate William Francis Ackland, late of the East Indian Railway, Jhansi and Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the Estate of the deceased abovenamed are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King Hamilton & Co., 4 & 5, Koilaghat Street, Calcutta, on or before the fifteenth day of April 1909, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the Estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 11th day of March 1909.

J. HENDERSON GRAY,

Administrator with Will annexed of the

Property and Credits of the deceased,

4 & 5, Koilaghat Street, Calcutta.
(319-3-116)

NOTICE.

Estate of John Michael, deceased.

PURSUANT to section 42 of Act XXVIII of 1849 the creditors and all persons interested in the Estate of John Michael of 7, Moira Street, Calcutta, deceased, who died at 7, Moira Street, aforesaid on the 4th day of February 1909 and Probate of whose Will

was, on the 1st day of March 1909, granted by the High Court, Calcutta, to Elizabeth, otherwise called Ella Manuk and John Manuk, the Executors therein named, are hereby required to submit particulars of their claims with vouchers attached to their Solicitors, Messrs. Morgan & Co., at No. 1, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the 30th April next, after which date no claims will be admitted and the assets of the Estate will be distributed. All persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make payment of their respective debts without delay.

Dated this 19th day of March 1909.

MORGAN & Co.,

Solicitors for the Executors of the
Will of the deceased.
(343-3-128)

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	Number of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
W of 1897-98	X 85476 ...		Babu Durga Das Chowdhury, Bhangura, Pabna.
and W of 282 1898-99.	X 02641 ...		
	V 22439 ...		
	X 34751 ...		
	X 44451 ...		
	" 49452 ...		
	" 49453 ...		
	X 40935...		
	X 40936...		
	X 12845...	100 each.	
	X 14485...		
	X 85585...		
	X 30692...		
	X 50909...		
	X 11542...		
	X 35801...		
	Y 01285...		
	V 45849...	500	

WM. W. WOOLLAM,

Assistant Comptroller-General,
In charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 24th March 1909.

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 085376, 095041 and 143582 of the 3½ per cent. Loan of 1865 for Rupees 100 (one hundred) each originally standing in the name of Kailas Chunder Das, Shampado Sreemany and Hari Das Sreemany respectively and last endorsed to Aukshoy Coomar Ghose, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The Public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned securities.

Name of the Advertiser, Akhey Coomar Ghose.
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Copy of Special Resolution passed at the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of Indian Motors, Limited, held at No 11, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, on 4th March 1909, and confirmed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on 22nd March 1909.

"THAT the Company be now voluntarily wound up, and that the business and assets of the Company be sold to the Bombay Motor Car Company, Limited, on the terms mentioned above, and that the Solicitors of the Company be instructed to draw up and complete the necessary formal agreement between this Company and the Bombay Motor Car Company, Limited, that Mr. W. G. Warburton be appointed liquidator of this Company on a remuneration of Rs. 500, and that he be empowered to transact the necessary negotiations to allow of this resolution being carried into effect, and also be empowered to carry into effect the agreement for sale to the Bombay Motor Car Company, Limited."

This Resolution was carried unanimously.

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The Calcutta Gazette.

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PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal assembled under the provisions of the Indian Councils Acts, 1861 and 1892.

THE Council met in the Council Chamber on Friday, the 26th March, 1909, at 11 A.M.

Present:

The Hon'ble SIR EDWARD BAKER, K.C.S.I., Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, *presiding*.

The Hon'ble MR. F. A. SLACKE, C.S.I.

The Hon'ble MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

The Hon'ble MR. E. W. COLLIN.

The Hon'ble MR. F. W. DUKE.

The Hon'ble MR. J. G. CUMMING.

The Hon'ble MR. C. E. A. W. OLDHAM.

The Hon'ble MR. A. S. THOMSON.

The Hon'ble SIR CHARLES ALLEN, Kt.

The Hon'ble MR. E. P. CHAPMAN.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, M.A., B.L.

The Hon'ble MAHARAJADHIRAJA SIR BIJAY CHAND MAHTAB BAHADUR, K.C.I.E., OF BURDWAN.

The Hon'ble BABU GAJADHAR PRASAD.

The Hon'ble BABU DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI, M.A., B.L.

The Hon'ble MR. F. A. LARMOUR.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL.

The Hon'ble MR. M. S. DAS, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble INTISHAM-UL-MULK RAESUDDOWLA AMIR-UL-OMEA NAWAB ASEF KADR SYUD WASIF ALI MEERZA KHAN BAHADUR MAHABAT JANG, NAWAB BAHADUR of Murshidabad.

The Hon'ble MR. C. W. N. GRAHAM.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

DISAFFILIATION OF THE PATNA COLLEGE IN HISTORY.

The Hon'ble BABU GAJADAR PRASAD said :—

The Patna College is the only Government College in Bihar, and it is expected to be a model college. This college has been disaffiliated in History.

There are 75 students in the first-year class of the Patna College; 34 of these students have taken History. In the second-year class there are 55 students, and 20 of them have taken History. In the third-year class there are 23 students, and 17 of them have taken History. Twenty-four out of the 30 students in the fourth-year class have taken History.

In view of these facts and of the hardship on the students caused by the disaffiliation, will it please the Government to consider the advisability of taking measures for the affiliation of the Patna College in History?

The Hon'ble MR. CUMMING replied :—

“Government has created a temporary appointment of Lecturer in History for the Patna College; and an application for affiliation in that subject has already been made to the Syndicate.”

SCARCITY OF WATER IN THE DISTRICTS OF BURDWAN, BIRBHUM AND MURSHIDABAD.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAI said :—

Is the Government aware of the threatened scarcity of water in the districts of Burdwan, Birbhum and Murshidabad, and what steps does the Government propose to take with a view to averting a crisis which proved so grave last year in these very districts?

The Hon'ble MR. OLDHAM replied :—

“Government has received no information of a threatened scarcity of water in the districts of Burdwan, Birbhum and Murshidabad. The rainfall statistics for the year 1908 show that in the Burdwan district the fall was normal, and that in the Birbhum and Murshidabad districts the fall was about 6 and 9½ inches, respectively, in defect. No serious deficiency in rainfall, therefore, appears to have occurred. During the last three months, the weekly reports, submitted by the local officers to the Director of Agriculture, have shown the water-supply to be sufficient in all three districts. In the circumstances, no special steps are called for.”

MINING ENGINEERS.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, asked :—

Will the Government be pleased to state the number and names of the holders of the Degree of Bachelor in Engineering of the Calcutta University with special training in mining, who passed from the Civil Engineering College at Sibpur under the old rules and regulations, and those of diploma-holders in mining who passed under the present rules; how they are employed, how many of the degree-holders are still employed in the mining district, with their present positions, how many of them joined the Public Works Department, and under what circumstances; also the antecedents, general education, number, names and positions of the working men and the practical men who hold first and second class certificates of competency under the Indian Mines Act, 1901, and the English Mines Act (*i.e.*, holders of certificates as Colliery Managers under the English Mines Act, engaged in Indian mines), and whether these certificated (both English and Indian) Managers are well up in analysing coal and minerals and in the matter of the investigation of mine air and gases met with in mines?

The Hon'ble Mr. CUMMING replied :—

“The information asked for by the Hon'ble Member is very minute and in some respects indeterminate. The Government does not consider that any public purpose would be served by collecting it at all commensurate with the labour and possible expense that would be involved; and does not propose therefore to undertake the task.”

RATES OF RENT IN GOVERNMENT KHAS MAHALS AND IN PRIVATE ESTATES.

The Hon'ble RAI KISHORI LAL GOSWAMI, BAHADUR, asked :—

Will the Government be pleased to lay before the Council a tabular statement showing the rates of rent prevalent in Government Khas Mahals for different classes of lands and those prevalent in private estates for similar kinds of lands, as evidenced by the papers prepared under Chapter X of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, in districts where the operations under that Chapter have been concluded?

The Hon'ble Mr. DUKE replied :—

“The districts in which operations under Chapter X of the Bengal Tenancy Act have been concluded are—

- (i) the districts of North Bihar, and
- (ii) the temporarily-settled areas of Cuttack, Balasore and Puri.

2. In the first group of districts the practice of classifying lands, and imposing rates of rent thereon, is unusual in private estates. The rents are generally consolidated rents for the holdings as a whole. Hence the settlement records do not show classes of land, or rates of such classes, and it is impossible to prepare from the settlement records the tabular statements desired.

3. In the temporarily-settled areas of Cuttack, Balasore and Puri, the rate recognised by the Settlement Officer was the average rate obtained by dividing the total rent paid by a particular class of raiyats, by the area cultivated by that class. No attempt was made to classify the lands or to fix different rates for different classes. Therefore in the case of these districts also no such tabular statement can be prepared.”

The Hon'ble THE PRESIDENT said :—

“As the next question is rather a lengthy one, it will save the time of the Council if the Hon'ble Member will merely ask that the question that stands in his name be asked without reading the whole of it.

DEPUTY PORT OFFICER, CALCUTTA.

The Hon'ble Mr. M. S. DAS said :—

I beg to draw the attention of the Government to the following letter published in the *Statesman* of the 2nd March, 1909 :—

“DEPUTY PORT OFFICER, CALCUTTA.

“TO THE EDITOR OF THE ‘STATESMAN.’

“SIR,—I see in a recent issue of the *Statesman* that the new post of Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta has been created in order, among other things, to allow the Port Officer more time for the supervision of the Orissa ports. Those ports are already groaning under the heavy burden of unnecessary expenditure. It is for the member of Orissa to ask the following questions in Council :—

“1. What is the annual travelling allowance of the Port Officer of the Orissa Ports?

"2. Of the sum allotted, how much is paid towards travelling to Puri, Balasore and Cuttack?"

"3. Whether it is necessary for that officer to make frequent visits to those three places?"

"It will be interesting to know if the Port Officer of Calcutta or the Accountant-General, or both, are responsible for the neglect to effect a saving when there is plenty of room for it."

X. Y."

"March 1."

With reference to the above letter, I wish to ask the following questions, namely:—

(a) Is it a fact that the new post was created to allow the Port Officer of Calcutta more time for the supervision of the Orissa ports?

(b) Was it to provide for more frequent or more efficient supervision that this was done?

(c) Will the Government be pleased to name the amount of travelling allowance given to the Port Officer of the Orissa Ports?

(d) How often has the Port Officer of Orissa visited Cuttack, Puri and Balasore during the current year, and what is the amount of travelling allowance he drew in visiting each of these ports?

The Hon'ble Mr. THOMSON replied:—

"(a) No. The necessity of allowing the Port Officer more time for the supervision of the Orissa ports was not one of the reasons for creating the post of Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

(b) No.

(c) The Port Officer draws travelling allowance according to the rules of the Civil Service Regulations.

(d) The information will be called for and communicated to the Hon'ble Member at the next meeting of Council."

THE BENGAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR 1909-10.

1. The Hon'ble Mr. Oldham laid on the table the Bengal Financial Statement for 1909-10, with explanatory notes. He said:—

"I beg, Sir, to lay on the table the Financial Statement for 1909-10, together with Appendices and Accounts. It will be expected that, in doing so, I should make a few remarks of a general nature to explain the main features of our position.

"With the exceptions which I proceed to note, the Statement has been prepared on the same lines as previous statements. In order to place more fully before Hon'ble Members the growth of Revenue and Expenditure under the various sub-heads, in Appendices A and B, the details by minor heads of actual receipts and charges have been given for four years, viz., 1904-05, 1905-06, 1906-07 and 1907-08, instead of for only one year, as was the previous practice. The form in which the figures of the Education budget have been shown has been considerably modified in order to show the charges for colleges and schools for boys and girls separately, and also to show separately the charges under Primary, Secondary and Technical education, as suggested by one of the Hon'ble Members in this Council Chamber last year. The charges incurred on important civil works in 1907-08, the probable expenditure on these works during the year now ending, and the estimated expenditure in 1909-10 have also been shown in the body of the Statement in explanation of the provision that has had to be made for works already in progress. The charges under Famine Relief in 1908-09, and the estimated charges in 1909-10 have been shown in paragraph 56, as far as figures are available, district by district. A brief explanation has been given of any marked increase or decrease where called for.

"Excluding the special grant of Rs. 50,00,000 towards the Calcutta Improvement Scheme, which is held in trust by this Government and cannot be diverted to any other object of expenditure, the closing balances during the past five years have been :—

					Rs.
1903-04	...	...	...	...	92,52,919
1904-05	...	...	...	...	80,00,101
1905-06	...	...	...	...	62,61,898
1906-07	...	...	...	...	43,84,443
1907-08	...	...	...	...	21,27,449

"The gradual absorption of these balances has been very largely due to increased expenditure on Public Works. Taking the revised estimate for the current year, during the five years 1904-05 to 1908-09, the expenditure under this head has aggregated Rs. 3,22,39,906. The assignment made by the Government of India at the last settlement under Civil Works by the Public Works Department was about Rs. 43,00,000. During these five years, therefore, about 107½ lakhs have been spent under this head in excess of the Settlement assignment, or, in other words, the average annual expenditure during these five years has exceeded, by 21½ lakhs, the figure that was taken at the time of the last Provincial Settlement as the standard of expenditure of the Department.

"Other causes for the depletion are the rapid growth of expenditure under the heads Police and Education, and the very heavy charges incurred in the payment of grain-compensation allowances during the past two years and the current year.

"Taking the revised figures of the current year, the charges under Police have risen from Rs. 51,57,000, in 1904-05 to Rs. 78,75,000 in 1908-09, or by about 53 per cent. in the short period of four years. A large portion of this extra expenditure has been met, no doubt, from the special assignments made by the Imperial Government from time to time to give effect to the reforms recommended by the Police Commission. These assignments, however, have provided only for the bare increases of staff and of pay and allowances, while the Provincial Revenues have had to bear the cost of the consequential increase in subordinate and menial establishments, supplies and services, contingencies and, perhaps most important of all, the heavy expenditure involved by the necessity of providing the additional buildings and quarters which are as indispensable as the staff itself.

"Under Education the charges in the same period of four years have risen by 84 per cent. from Rs. 30,68,000 to Rs. 56,50,609. This latter figure includes a sum of about 5½ lakhs, being the aggregate of the equilibrium grants made to District Boards, which were formerly adjusted under a separate head. Excluding this sum, the percentage of increase during the five years has been 66 per cent. If we take the figures from the year 1902-03, when the charges were Rs. 26,09,000, the increase is even more noticeable, amounting to over 95 per cent. in six years.

"The additional charges involved by the payment of grain-compensation allowances to whole-time servants of Government on pay not exceeding Rs. 30 have aggregated 23¾ lakhs during the three years ending with the present month. We estimate that next year the charges on this account will amount to about 9½ lakhs, or a total in four years of 33¼ lakhs. These charges were entirely unforeseen when the current settlement was made, and no assignment was, therefore, made on this account.

"Moreover, during the past three years, this Province has suffered from a series of bad agricultural seasons. During 1906-07 the distribution of the rainfall was most unfavourable, and the total outturn of the crops was estimated at only about three-fourths of the normal. High floods in the North Bihar districts destroyed the rice crops, resulting in severe famine in Darbhanga. In 1907-08 the agricultural seasons were again very unfavourable; and the outturn of all crops was much below the average. During the current year the rainfall during the monsoon in North Bihar was only about half the normal. The rains ceased prematurely, and practically no rain fell during the cold weather. Famine has already been declared in several thanas in the Darbhanga district,

and relief operations have already been started on a large scale in this district, and to a less extent in the districts of Muzaffarpur and Bhagalpur. The high prices resulting from this series of bad years have adversely affected the people over the greater part of the Province, and have both directly, as in the case of suspensions and remissions of revenue, and indirectly, as in the case of receipts from Excise and Stamps, checked the normal growth of the Provincial Revenues. Leaving aside the charges on account of relief measures met from Imperial and from local funds, the Provincial Revenues have had to meet an expenditure of Rs. 7,11,13 in 1906-07 and Rs. 2,62,000 in 1908-09; and we already reckon that Rs. 9,14,000 will have to be paid on this account next year. That is to say that during the four years ending on the 31st March next additional unforeseen charges, aggregating nearly 19 lakhs, will have had to be met. The total extraordinary charges on account of grain-compensation allowance and the relief of famine and distress thus amount to upwards of 52 lakhs. Had the Provincial Revenues not had to meet this very heavy additional drain, our balance would not have been wiped out as it has been.

"In March last we estimated that the closing balance of the current year would be Rs. 13,90,000. The conditions of the current year have, however, been quite abnormal, and the total expenditure, according to the revised estimate, has exceeded the original estimate by about 21 lakhs. The causes of this increase have been fully explained in paragraph 5; Part I, of the Statement and in Part II, under the several appropriate heads. Under the sub-heads Law-Officers, Civil and Sessions Courts and Criminal Courts, under the head Courts of Law, there has been an increase of nearly 7 lakhs, almost entirely due to law charges in connexion with the outbreak of anarchism and sedition. There has also been a large increase in Police charges and a small increase under Jails, due to the same causes. Under Marine there has had to be debited in the current year's accounts an additional charge of 4 lakhs, which had been provided in the budget of 1907-08, but was not adjusted in that year. Under Education there has been an enormous increase over the estimates, owing largely to unavoidable charges.

"In normal years there is often a considerable increase in revenue over the estimated receipts to compensate more or less for heavier expenditure; but during the current year the continued prevalence of high prices and the widespread distress have reduced our revenue receipts as well, with the result that, instead of an improvement, there has been a falling off in receipts under the three principal heads of revenue, viz., Land Revenue, Stamps and Excise.

"It will be evident from what I have already said that our present financial position is due, on the one hand, to a succession of very unfavourable agricultural seasons and the consequent prevalence of high prices and distress, and, on the other hand, to the extraordinary expenditure during the current year involved by the criminal prosecutions and other measures undertaken to suppress seditious and anarchical movements. The depression in trade which has so seriously affected the finances of the Supreme Government mainly concerns heads of revenue that are wholly Imperial.

"The revised estimates for the current year, as now finally passed by the Government of India, show receipts aggregating Rs. 5,58,55,000 and a total expenditure of Rs. 5,71,06,000. The receipts include a special grant-in-aid of Rs. 16,95,000 which is being made by the Government of India. We are very grateful to the Government of India for this timely assistance. According to these figures, the closing balance for the year will be Rs. 8,77,000. For next year we have budgeted for receipts aggregating Rs. 5,60,35,000 and for an expenditure of Rs. 5,69,12,000. The deficit of Rs. 8,77,000, which is more than covered by the Provincial share (one-half) of the provision of Rs. 18,27,000 which has had to be made for Famine Relief, will be met from the closing balance of the current year. In our estimates for next year we have assumed that we are not destined to be confronted with a continuance of the bad seasons that have marked the last few years. We may reasonably look forward to better times, to a normal rainfall seasonably distributed and to happier and

more settled political conditions. If we are so fortunate as to realise these hopes, the financial outlook will also be a brighter one.

"It will be clear to Hon'ble Members that our position is one that calls for the exercise of caution and economy. It has not been possible to make provision for any large new schemes and works, many of which are of a very pressing nature; but we have nevertheless been able to allow for the normal expansion of the administration in most departments, as will be seen from the details given under the head of expenditure in Part I (3) of the Financial Statement.

"Under the heads Land Revenue, General Administration and Courts of Law, we have provided in the aggregate a little more than Rs. 4 lakhs to give effect to the proposals of the Ministerial Officers' Salaries Committee for increasing the pay of Ministerial Officers, in respect of which we are awaiting the sanction of the Secretary of State. We have made provision for additional Deputy Collectors and Sub-Deputy Collectors for Survey and Settlement duty, and for increased establishment urgently required in the Excise, Registration, Police, Jails and other Departments. Under Land Revenue we have also made a large provision of Rs. 2,59,000 for bringing up to date the Survey and Settlement records in Orissa. Government has been advised that this is a work of much urgency, and that it will be far more economical to push it through rapidly than to spread it over a considerable number of years. Under Medical we have made a provision of Rs. 50,000 to give effect to certain proposals for the improvement of the pay and prospects of that deserving class of public servants—the Civil Hospital Assistants, which were submitted to the Government of India early last year, and Rs. 30,000 for the improvement of the Sanitary Department in accordance with a scheme suggested by the Government of India in 1907. In connexion with the continued prevalence of malaria in this Province, Government has had under consideration during the past few months certain measures for widely extending the use of quinine as a febrifuge. The scheme will come into force next year. We are now having quantities of quinine made up in the form of small tablets which will be much more palatable than the nauseous powder now distributed. The powder will also of course be available for any one who may prefer it. Hon'ble Members may have noticed that the subject of anti-malarial measures was keenly discussed at the recent Medical Congress held at Bombay, and that of the measures suggested, the one on which all the medical men seemed to be practically unanimous was that of extending the use of quinine. Under Education we have provided for a number of new items, *e.g.*, Rs. 2,00,000 for the construction of *Guru*-training school buildings; Rs. 53,000 for training schools for teachers; Rs. 22,000 for training schools for female teachers; Rs. 20,000 for new Law classes at Bankipore; Rs. 45,000 for additional staff in the Arts Colleges to meet the requirements of the new Regulations; and an aggregate of about Rs. 36,000 for various improvements in the Arts Colleges and in the Sanskrit College and the Calcutta Madrasah. We have provided Rs. 1,50,000 towards the construction of the new Agricultural College building and the buildings for the Principal and Professors at Sabaur, besides a sum of Rs. 75,000 towards the cost of fittings and appliances required for the college. We have provided Rs. 1,65,000 for the continuance of the Fisheries inquiry during 1909-10. A great deal of valuable information has already been obtained, as the Hon'ble Members will no doubt have recognised from the contents of the reports published in the Calcutta Gazette, regarding the fish-producing capacity of the Bay of Bengal. As, however, the actual work of the trawler did not properly commence till well on in the monsoon of 1908, the inquiry must continue at least till after the close of the ensuing monsoon, and probably during next cold weather. The time will no doubt come later on when this work should be left to private enterprise. It may be mentioned that the budget provision includes Rs. 6,000 for the cost of the deputation of two Indian students to Europe and America to study pisciculture. Under Irrigation and Minor Works, we have made large provision for the two works, now in progress, known as the Ultadanga-Bamanghatta Canal and the Madaripur Bhil route. These are two very important projects, the nature of which Hon'ble

Members will care perhaps to have briefly described. The Ultadanga-Bamanghatta Canal is being constructed to facilitate the heavy boat traffic between Chitpur and the east, by obviating the delays and difficulties of navigation between Dbapa and Bamanghatta. The channel between these two points is a tidal one, and only navigable for one or two hours before and after high water. By way of the new canal a still-water channel navigable at all times will be provided between the Chitpur and Bhangor Canals. On the existing steamer route from Calcutta to Eastern Bengal there is a narrow channel known as the Angeria creek, situated between Khulna and Barisal. Steamers are unable to pass along it at low tide; and there is always the danger of its closing up altogether through the accumulation of silt. If it were to silt up, the steamer traffic would have to find its way to Calcutta by the sea face. The Madaripur Bhil route, which is now being excavated, is an alternative channel direct from the Madhumati river near Gopalganj to Madaripur on the Kumar river, which connects with the Padma. By means of this route a distance of 136 miles will be saved between Calcutta and Goalundo, and 100 miles between Khulna and Chandpur.

"We have also made provision for continuing or completing certain important civil buildings, *e.g.*, the new Presidency Jail, the Surgical Block and the new 4th Block at the Medical College, and certain other Jail and Court buildings of urgent necessity; and we have provided a sum of 2 lakhs towards the construction of important feeder roads to the railways in the province. Provision has also been made for grants-in-aid towards the most pressing local drainage and water-supply schemes.

"I much regret that our financial position has compelled us to limit the grant for Provincial Civil Works to Rs. 45,10,000. It will be seen from the details that after providing for unavoidable expenditure, *viz.*, establishment, tools and plant and repairs, the balance of the allotment available for original works is only Rs. 17,13,000. With this limited sum it has been impossible to do more than provide for the continuation or completion of works already in progress. There are a large number of urgent projects outstanding for which it has not been possible to make any provision.

"In regard to the 50 lakhs which we hold in trust for the Calcutta Improvement Scheme, I may mention, for the information of certain Hon'ble Members, who raised the question last year, that a representation was made to the Government of India with a view to the money being placed out at interest; but that Government were unable to sanction the proposal.

"The budget will come up for discussion on the 5th of April, and I would ask Hon'ble Members to extend to me the same courtesy as last year, and to let me have very early notice of any points they propose to raise, as it often takes several days to collect, from the different departments and offices, the information required."

THE BENGAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR 1909-10.

Part I.—General Review.

(1) ACCOUNTS FOR 1907-08.

WHEN the revised estimate for 1907-08 was laid before the Council on the 21st March 1908, the closing balance for that year was estimated at Rs. 71,32,000. The accounts of last year have since been finally closed, and show that the actual closing balance was Rs. 71,27,449, or Rs. 71,28,000 in round numbers. The actual receipts exceeded the estimates by Rs. 11,724, and the charges had been under-estimated by Rs. 16,718 only.

(2) REVISED ESTIMATE, 1908-09.

2. The revised estimate for 1908-09, as now passed on the basis of the actuals of the first ten, and in some cases eleven, months of the current year, is compared in the following table with the sanctioned estimate for the year:—

		Sanctioned estimate.	Revised estimate.	Increase (+) or decrease (—).
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Opening Balance...	...	71,32,000	71,28,000	—4,000
Revenue receipts ...	...	5,11,35,000	5,09,52,000	—2,03,000
Adjustments ...	...	31,21,000	49,23,000	+18,02,000
Total Receipts	...	5,42,56,000	5,58,55,000	+15,99,000
Grand Total	...	6,13,88,000	6,29,83,000	+15,95,000
Total Expenditure	...	5,49,98,000	5,71,06,000	+21,08,000
Closing Balance	...	63,90,000	58,77,000	—5,13,000

3. The increase under Adjustments is due to the additional assignments from Imperial to Provincial detailed below:—

	Rs.
Imperial grant towards making up the Provincial balance ...	16,95,000
Ditto for charges in connexion with Major Sutherland's deputation on special duty at the Medical College ...	12,000
Ditto for special bonus, equivalent to one week's pay, sanctioned by His Majesty the King-Emperor to all permanent officers of Government in receipt of Rs. 50 or under ...	1,52,000
Ditto for Archæological expenditure ...	6,000
Additional assignment for the occupation of the Provincial building No. 2, Bankshall Street, by the Commerce and Industry Department of the Government of India ...	2,000
Grant for the transfer of buildings occupied by the Superintendent, Post Office, Cuttack, to Imperial ...	5,000
Ditto for the charges in connexion with Captain McCay's deputation to conduct an inquiry regarding Jail dietaries ...	7,000
Ditto for the transfer of a portion of the cost of the Calcutta Collectorate, which was originally wholly debited to Exchequer, divided equally between Imperial and Provincial, but now transferred partly to Land Revenue, the charges of which Department are wholly Provincial ...	4,000
Additional assignment for net charges of Inland Labour Transport in Bengal, payable from the revenues of Eastern Bengal and Assam ...	3,000
Payment of fee to the Sanitary Board, Bengal, by the Eastern Bengal and Assam Government for preparation of a Water-works scheme for the Barisal Municipality ...	4,000
Grant for expenditure on cemeteries ...	4,000
	18,94,000
Deduct—For smaller grant for capital expenditure on the Madaripur Bhil Route (Rs. 1,69,000 provided in budget minus Rs. 77,000 now estimated) ...	92,000
Total ...	18,02,000

4. The falling off of revenue is the net result of increase under some heads and decrease under others. The improvements aggregate Rs. 8,07,000, and fall principally under the following heads:—

- Assessed Taxes (Rs. 1,52,000), due to increased realizations on account of coal profits.
- Courts of Law (Rs. 40,000), owing to special receipts from the sale proceeds of unclaimed and escheated properties.
- Education (Rs. 1,27,000), due to the refund by District Boards of unappropriated grants made for the construction of Primary school buildings.
- Medical (Rs. 28,000), chiefly due to larger receipts from paying patients in the Calcutta Hospitals.
- Irrigation—Major Works (Rs. 1,82,000), chiefly owing to larger receipts from water-rates, in consequence of extended irrigation from the Sone Canals during the *rabi* season on account of insufficient rainfall.
- Civil Works in charge of the Public Works Department (Rs. 55,000): The increase in this case is distributed under various heads.

The decreases, on the other hand, aggregate Rs. 8,10,000. These fall chiefly under the following heads:—

- Land Revenue (Rs. 1,00,000). This is due to short collections, in consequence of famine and scarcity.
- Stamps (Rs. 2,75,000). The decrease is chiefly in receipts from Court-fee stamps.
- Excise (Rs. 1,50,000). Under this head the normal increase has not been maintained, and the current settlements are not expected to be favourable.
- Interest (Rs. 33,000). The decrease is due to non-recovery of interest from cultivators on account of high prices and famine.
- Jails (Rs. 1,13,000). There has been a marked falling off in the receipts from Jail manufactures, on account of smaller demands from Government departments, especially the Ordnance Department.
- Ports and Pilotage (Rs. 35,000). The decrease is due to the falling off in pilotage receipts.
- Irrigation—Minor Works and Navigation (Rs. 72,000). There has been a marked falling off under navigation receipts from the Orissa and Calcutta canals.

5. On the expenditure side the revised estimate shows a net increase of Rs. 21,08,000, the greater part of which falls under the following heads:—

- Registration (Rs. 62,000), due to the entertainment of a larger number of sub-registrars and their establishment.
- Interest (Rs. 1,12,000), due to the payment of larger loans to agriculturists, and also to the loan of 50 lakhs given to Maharaja Sir Prodyot Kumar Tagore towards the beginning of the year.
- Courts of Law (Rs. 5,25,000). The increase under this head is chiefly due to large unforeseen expenditure in connexion with anarchism and sedition cases.
- Jails (Rs. 92,000), due to increased charges for dieting prisoners owing to the high prices of food-grains.
- Police (Rs. 1,12,000). The increase under this head is chiefly under Superintendence and District Executive Force, and is partly the result of giving further effect to the recommendations of the Police Commission, but it is largely due also to measures necessitated by the outbreak of anarchical crime.
- Ports and Pilotage (Rs. 4,83,000). This increase is chiefly due to the adjustment of a sum of Rs. 4,00,000, being a part of the cost of the new Pilot vessel *Lady Fraser*, in the accounts of 1908-09, instead of in those of 1907-08.
- Education (Rs. 6,49,000), due to larger expenditure on the construction of *Guru*-training school buildings, and increased allotments for grants-in-aid.
- Stationery and Printing (Rs. 66,000), chiefly due to larger expenditure on stationery supplied from the Central Stores, owing to an increased demand from the Press.
- Miscellaneous (Rs. 82,000). The rise under this head is principally due to a special grant of Rs. 30,000 being given to the Sailors' Home, and to increased expenditure on the Fisheries Inquiry.
- Famine Relief (Rs. 1,06,000), due to the continuance of relief measures in different parts of the Province and the recurrence of famine in Bihar.
- Irrigation—Major Works (Rs. 1,98,000), partly owing to transfers from Minor Works and partly to charges on account of flood damage repairs and establishment in the Orissa and Sone Canals.

On the other hand, there was a decrease of Rs. 4,95,000 under Medical, owing to the transfer of charges for works of sanitary improvement from this head to the head of Civil Works, besides minor decreases under other heads.

6. The closing balance of the current year, including the sum of 50 lakhs held in trust for the Calcutta Improvement Scheme, was estimated in March last at Rs. 63,90,000. In the revised estimate it is now placed at

Rs. 58,77,000. The figures in paragraph 2 above explain how this total has been arrived at.

(3) BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1909-10.

7. The opening balance of 1909-10 corresponds with the closing balance of the current year, and is therefore placed at Rs. 58,77,000.

8. The estimates for the year, as ultimately passed by the Government of India, show receipts aggregating Rs. 5,60,35,000, an expenditure of Rs. 5,69,12,000, and a closing balance of Rs. 50,00,000. As explained last year, the special grant of Rs. 50 lakhs for the Calcutta Improvement scheme which is held in trust by Government, is included in the Provincial accounts. It is estimated, therefore, that leaving aside this amount, there will be no balance at the close of 1909-10.

9. The estimate of receipts includes the following special assignments from Imperial Revenues:—

	Rs.
For Police re-organization (comprising grants made in previous years aggregating Rs. 12,00,000 and an additional grant of Rs. 2,50,000 given with effect from 1909-10)	14,50,000
On account of the Madaripur Bhil Route (maintenance) ...	50,000
Ditto Ditto ... (capital) ...	1,68,000
In connexion with the Famine Relief scheme ...	2,60,000
For Technical education ...	35,500
„ European and Eurasian education ...	65,000
„ abolition of the Patwari Cess in Sambalpur ...	26,000
„ continuous maintenance of record-of-rights in Orissa ...	88,000
„ temporary occupation of 2, Bankshall Street by Commerce and Industry Department ...	20,000
„ contribution from Eastern Bengal and Assam Government to the Belgachia Veterinary College ...	28,000
„ provincialization of the Dhaka Canal charges ...	12,000
„ net charges of Inland Labour Transport in Bengal payable from the Provincial Revenues of Eastern Bengal and Assam ...	13,000
„ increased remuneration to the Solicitor to Government ...	36,000
„ stoppage of free supply of materials by the Central Press, Calcutta, to the Provincial Presses ...	2,000
„ transfer of the control of Government House and Hastings House gardens to the Superintendent, Royal Botanic Garden ...	11,000
„ remission of Banking fees levied from Local Funds ...	70,000
„ Ditto Audit fees ditto ...	65,000
„ expenditure on cemeteries ...	4,000
„ charges in connexion with Major Sutherland's inquiry at the Medical College ...	23,000
„ transfer of a portion of the cost of the Calcutta Collectorate from Excise to Land Revenue ...	4,000
„ audit of the Calcutta Municipal accounts ...	11,000
„ grant to the Bibliotheca Indica Fund of the Asiatic Society ...	3,000
„ relieving Municipalities of Police charges ...	21,000
„ Sanitary improvements ...	4,50,000
	<hr/> 29,15,000
Less contribution to Imperial for pensions of Calcutta Police Constables paid in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh ...	21,000
Reduction of interest on capital outlay on Irrigation—Major Works ...	3,15,000
Contribution to Imperial for net receipts from the office of the Agent, Government Consignments, Calcutta, to be provincialized from 1st April 1909 ...	15,000
	<hr/> 3,81,000
Net total (which does not include the fixed adjustment grant of Rs. 7,39,000 made at the last Provincial Settlement. Including this latter amount the total comes to 32,73,000, as shown in the budget under the Head “I—Land Revenue—adjustment.”) ...	<hr/> 25,34,000

10. On the expenditure side, the total estimated charges for 1909-10 are Rs. 5,69,12,000, exceeding the income by Rs. 8,77,000. This excess of expenditure over income will be met by reduction in the balance. It is more than covered by the provision made in the budget under Famine Relief. The budget includes the following non-recurring charges :—

	Rs.	Rs.
<i>Land Revenue—</i>		
Sundarbans reclamation	35,000	
Initial cost of bringing the Survey and Settlement records in Orissa up to date	2,9,000	
Reproduction of maps, Balasore and Puri	39,000	
		3,33,000
<i>Ports and Pilotage—</i>		
A new boiler for the steamer <i>Guide</i>	52,000	
Construction of a steam-outtar for ditto	8,000	
		60,000
<i>Education—</i>		
Construction of <i>Guru</i> -training School buildings	2,00,000	
Improvements in the Presidency College	10,000	
		2,10,000
<i>Scientific and other Minor Departments—</i>		
Fittings and appliances, Agricultural College	75,000	
Purchase of Cinchona bark	50,000	
Construction of a bungalow on the Mansong Cinchona Plantation	10,000	
		1,35,000
<i>Stationery and Printing—</i>		
Purchase of Type-casting machines		41,000
<i>Miscellaneous—</i>		
Fisheries inquiry		1,65,000
<i>Irrigation—Minor Works—</i>		
Ultadanga-Bamanghatta Canal	3,36,000	
Madaripur Bhil Route	3,45,000	
		6,81,000
<i>Civil Works in charge of Civil Officers—</i>		
Grant-in-aid to the Calcutta Municipality towards the cost of drainage of the Fringe Area	50,000	
Realignment of drains in the Presidency Jail	95,000	
Allotment for Feeder roads	2,00,000	
		3,45,000
<i>Civil Works in charge of Public Works Department—</i>		
<i>Works in Progress—</i>		
Court buildings, Angul	20,000	
Residence for Deputy Commissioner, Sambalpur	20,000	
Civil Courts, Jessore	50,000	
Civil Court buildings and record-room, Darbhanga	60,000	
Civil Courts, Arrah	90,000	
New Circuit-house, Arrah	27,000	
New Sub-Jail, Madhubani	22,000	
New Presidency Jail	1,25,000	
Extension of Jail, Khulna	47,000	
Improvements to the sleeping ward, Midnapore Central Jail	20,000	
New Zilla School building, Chaibassa	27,000	
Surgical block, Medical College	1,52,000	
Fourth block, ditto	1,25,000	
Agricultural College, Sabsaur	1,50,000	
Sambalpur-Cuttack Road	33,000	
Daltonganj-Ranchi Road	20,000	
Sambalpur-Sonpur Road	27,000	
		10,15,000
Total		29,85,000

11. The estimates also provide, in addition to charges due to the normal progress of administration, such as increase in salaries, superannuation charges and the like, for the following special items of a recurring nature:—

	Rs.	Rs.
<i>Land Revenue—</i>		
Maintenance of Land Records in Orissa ...	59,000	
Allotment for increase of salaries of Ministerial officers ...	1,40,000	
		1,99,000
<i>Excise—</i>		
Reorganisation of the Department ...	25,000	
Lump provision to give effect to the recommendations of the Ministerial Officers' Salaries Committee ...	12,000	
		37,000
<i>General Administration—</i>		
For charges involved by the proposed enlargement of the Provincial Council ...	4,000	
Revision of pay of ministerial and menial staff of the Civil Secretariat ...	15,000	
Audit of Calcutta Corporation accounts ...	11,000	
Allotment for increase of pay of ministerial officers in the offices of the Commissioners of Divisions ...	25,000	
		55,000
<i>Courts of Law—</i>		
Increase of pay of Advocate-General ...	6,000	
Ditto of Public Prosecutor ...	6,000	
Allotment for increase of salaries of ministerial officers ...	2,40,000	
		2,52,000
<i>Police—</i>		
Additional Police reforms ...		2,50,000
<i>Education—</i>		
Grant to the Calcutta University for Law Classes ...	4,000	
Strengthening the staff of Professors of several Colleges ...	45,000	
Improvements in the Sanskrit College ...	5,000	
Ditto Calcutta Madrasa ...	9,000	
New Law Classes at Bankipore ...	20,000	
Joint Technical Examination Board, Sibpur Civil Engineering College ...	7,000	
Training Colleges for teachers at Bankipore and Calcutta ...	53,000	
Training Schools for female teachers at Bankipore and Calcutta ...	22,000	
Technical School, Bhagalpur ...	9,000	
Empire Day celebration in Schools and Colleges ...	5,000	
Training of Pleaders in Surveying ...	15,000	
		1,94,000
<i>Medical—</i>		
Lump provision for improvement of Sanitary Service	30,000	
Ditto ditto of pay and position of Civil Hospital Assistants ...	50,000	
Additional Probationary Chemical Examiner ...	10,000	
Increased scholarships in the Cuttack Medical School	5,000	
		95,000
<i>Scientific and other Minor Departments—</i>		
Additional grant to Asiatic Society for research work	4,000	
Certifying Surgeon and Additional Assistant Inspector of Factories and their establishment, &c.	14,000	
		18,000
Total ...		11,00,000

12. Appendix C shows the transactions of the District Boards and District Road Committees. The figures in the column of estimates represent those passed by the Commissioners of Divisions.

PART II.—Detailed remarks on the Budget for 1909-10.**RECEIPTS.**

13. *Land Revenue*.—The estimate of gross receipts for 1909-10, as passed by the Government of India, is Rs. 2,99,14,000, against Rs. 2,93,03,000, the revised estimate for 1908-09. The estimate includes Rs. 8,65,000 for recoveries of survey and settlement charges, against Rs. 4,95,000 provided in the revised estimate for 1908-09. The details of the recoveries are given in Appendix A.

14. The estimated Provincial share of Land Revenue is calculated as follows:—

	Estimate, 1909-10, Rs.
Gross Land Revenue	2,99,14,000
<i>Deduct</i> estimated collections from Government Estates (wholly Provincial)	34,20,000
<i>Deduct</i> recoveries of Survey and Settlement charges (wholly Imperial)	8,65,000
Total Deduction	42,85,000
Net amount divisible between Imperial and Provincial funds	2,56,29,000
Provincial share of above (one-half)	1,28,14,000
<i>Add</i> collections from Government Estates (wholly Provincial)	34,20,000
Total Provincial	1,62,34,000
<i>Add</i> adjustments as in Appendix A	32,73,000
Total Provincial receipts	1,95,07,000

15. *Stamps*.—The budget estimate of the total revenue from Stamps for 1908-09 was passed by the Government of India at Rs. 1,62,50,000. The actuals in 1907-08 amounted to Rs. 1,55,88,275. The actuals of the first ten months of 1908-09, exclusive of receipts on account of unified stamps used as receipt stamps, exceeded the figures for the corresponding period of the preceding year by Rs. 1,09,000 only. In view of these figures, the revised estimate for 1908-09 has been passed for Rs. 1,57,00,000. Allowing for a progressive increase of 8 lakhs, the estimate for 1909-10 has been placed at Rs. 1,65,00,000. The Provincial share is one half, and thus amounts to Rs. 78,50,000 for 1908-09 and Rs. 82,50,000 for 1909-10.

16. *Excise*.—The revenue from Excise for 1908-09 was estimated at Rs. 1,75,00,000. The actuals of 1907-08 amounted to Rs. 1,70,77,699, while the figures for the first ten months of 1908-09 show an increase of Rs. 1,10,000 only over the actuals of the corresponding period of the preceding year. The small increase in 1908-09 is due to the comparative failure of the *mahua* crop, and to the introduction of the Contract Distillery System in certain districts. It is apprehended that the result of the settlements now in progress will not be favourable. The revised estimate for the year has therefore been passed for Rs. 1,72,00,000; and allowing for a progressive increase of 7 lakhs, the estimate for 1909-10 has been placed at Rs. 1,79,00,000. The Provincial share (one-half) amounts to Rs. 86,00,000 and Rs. 89,50,000, respectively.

17. *Provincial Rates*.—The actual collections of the Public Works cess in 1907-08 amounted to Rs. 36,18,453. The revised estimate for 1908-09 has been placed at Rs. 35,93,000, as the receipts in the first ten months of the current year show a slight decrease. An increase is anticipated on the completion of the revaluation proceedings now in progress in the districts of Bankura, Khulna, Midnapore, Murshidabad, Bhagalpur and the Sonthal Parganas; and the estimate for 1909-10 has accordingly been passed for Rs. 36,53,000. Under "General Rates for the management of Private Estates" the estimate of receipts is Rs. 1,63,000, against Rs. 1,57,000, the revised estimate for 1908-09. The increase is due to the fact that certain new estates

have been brought under management. The total estimate for next year thus amounts to Rs. (36,53,000+1,63,000=) 38,16,000.

18. *Assessed Taxes.*—The receipts from Income-tax for 1908-09 were estimated at Rs. 52,25,000. The actual collections in 1907-08 amounted to Rs. 51,97,038, while those of the twelve months ending on the 31st January 1909 were Rs. 54,34,000. In view of this rise, which is mainly due to increased assessments on account of profits made from coal, the revised estimate for 1908-09 has been placed at Rs. 55,30,000. To this amount Rs. 2,70,000 has been added as the average annual normal increase of revenue, and the estimate for 1909-10 has been passed for Rs. 58,00,000. The Provincial share (one-half) is Rs. 29,00,000.

19. *Forests.*—The total receipts under this head for 1909-10 are estimated at Rs. 13,00,000, against Rs. 12,40,000 the revised estimate for 1908-09, and Rs. 11,97,650 the actuals of 1907-08. An increase is expected from the recovery in the timber trade in the Singhbhum and the Sundarlans Divisions. The Provincial share (one-half) is Rs. 6,50,000.

20. *Registration.*—The budget estimate under this head for 1908-09 was Rs. 14,20,000. The collections during the first ten months of the current year show an increase of Rs. 77,000 over those of the corresponding period of last year; and as the actuals of 1907-08 were Rs. 13,46,556, the revised estimate has been placed at Rs. 14,20,000. Allowing for a normal increase of Rs. 1,30,000 over the revised estimate for 1908-09, the estimate for 1909-10 has been passed for Rs. 15,50,000. The rise in receipts during the current year is attributed to an increase in the number of registrations due to the pinch of high prices. The receipts of this Department are wholly Provincial.

21. *Interest.*—The estimate of loans, as passed by the Government of India, provides for a return in the way of interest during 1909-10 of Rs. 10,90,000, as shown below:—

	Rs.
Interest on advances to cultivators, etc.	5,61,000
„ „ drainage and embankment advances	28,000
„ „ loans to land-holders	2,64,000
„ „ „ to Municipalities and District Boards, etc.	1,92,000
Miscellaneous accounts	45,000
Total	10,90,000

The large increase under “Interest on loans to land-holders” is due to the amount payable on the loan of 50 lakhs granted to Maharaja Sir Prodyot Kumar Tagore last year.

22. *Law and Justice. — Courts of Law.*—The actuals in 1907-08 amounted to Rs. 5,79,615, and the receipts in the first ten months of 1908-09 show an increase of Rs. 52,000 over those of the corresponding period of last year. The revised estimate for 1908-09 has accordingly been placed at Rs. 6,37,000. The increase in the current year, which accrued chiefly under sale-proceeds of unclaimed and oscheated property, was abnormal, and cannot be expected to recur. The estimate for 1909-10 has been passed for Rs. 6,00,000.

23. *Jails.*—The actuals for the ten months ending the 31st January 1909 show a decrease of Rs. 74,000 as compared with last year; and as the actuals of 1907-08 were Rs. 11,58,667, the estimate for 1908-09 has been reduced to Rs. 11,37,000, and the estimate for 1909-10 has been passed at Rs. 11,68,000.

24. *Police.*—The actuals of ten months ending the 31st January 1909 show a small increase of Rs. 2,000 over those of the corresponding period of last year; and as the actuals of 1907-08 were Rs. 1,41,084, the revised estimate for 1908-09 has been placed at Rs. 1,44,000. The estimate for 1909-10 is Rs. 1,45,000.

25. *Ports and Pilotage.*—The budget estimate for 1908-09 was Rs. 16,00,000. This has been reduced to Rs. 15,65,000 in the revised estimate, with reference to the actuals of the first ten months of the current year. The falling off has been due to depression in trade. The estimate for 1909-10 is Rs. 15,31,000.

26. *Education.*—The actuals in 1907-08 amounted to Rs. 5,65,590, and the estimate for 1908-09 was Rs. 5,73,000. The collections in the first ten months of the current year show an increase of Rs. 96,000, which is more than

accounted for by the sums refunded by the District Boards out of the grants made to them for Primary school buildings. As further refunds were expected before the close of the year, the revised estimate for 1908-09 has been placed at Rs. 7,00,000. As the District Boards are expected to make refunds of about two lakhs in 1909-10, the estimate of receipts for the year has been passed for Rs. 7,75,000.

27. *Medical*.—The budget estimate for 1908-09 was Rs. 2,54,000, against Rs. 2,38,934 the actuals of 1907-08. The actual collections during the twelve months ending January 1909 amounted to Rs. 2,85,000, and the revised estimate for 1908-09 has been placed at Rs. 2,82,000. The increase in the current year is chiefly under "Hospital receipts," which are expected to rise further on the opening of the paying-patients blocks for Indians at the Calcutta Medical College Hospital. The estimate for 1909-10 has accordingly been passed for Rs. 2,90,000.

28. *Scientific and other Minor Departments*.—The estimate under this head for 1909-10 is Rs. 3,31,000, against Rs. 3,11,000 the revised estimate for 1908-09, and Rs. 2,76,622 the actuals of 1907-08. The increase is partly under "Cinchona Plantation," as the Superintendent anticipates larger sales of sulphate of quinine, and partly under "Receipts on account of experimental cultivation," as the Director of Agriculture expects an increase in the receipts from experimental farms.

29. *Receipts in aid of Superannuation*.—The total receipts for 1909-10 are estimated at Rs. 55,000, against Rs. 54,000 the budget estimate for 1908-09, and Rs. 4,15,664 the actuals of 1907-08. The actuals of 1907-08 include Rs. 3,52,977, the sale-proceeds of the Calcutta Municipal debentures belonging to the Calcutta Police Superannuation Fund, in consequence of the abolition of the fund, the pensionary charges having been assumed by Government.

30. *Stationery and Printing*.—The estimate under this head for 1909-10 is Rs. 1,33,000, against Rs. 1,45,000 the revised estimate for 1908-09, and Rs. 1,32,763 the actuals of 1907-08.

31. *Miscellaneous*.—The receipts for 1909-10 are estimated at Rs. 5,83,000, against Rs. 5,35,000 the revised estimate for 1908-09. The figures for next year include Rs. 15,000 which it is estimated will be obtained by the sale of fish caught by the steam-trawler *Golden Crown*. The receipts under other heads are of a fluctuating character, and call for no remarks. The details are given in Appendix A.

32. *Irrigation—Major Works (Direct Receipts)*.—The budget estimate for 1908-09 was Rs. 24,18,000. The revised estimate has been placed at Rs. 26,00,000, owing to larger *rabi* irrigation from the Sone canals consequent upon the scanty rainfall of the year, and to the development of irrigation from the Dhaka canal. The estimate for 1909-10 has been passed for Rs. 24,36,000.

33. *Irrigation—Minor Works and Navigation in Charge of the Public Works Department*.—The budget estimate for 1908-09 was Rs. 6,22,000; but in view of the decrease in collections in the first nine months of the current year, amounting to Rs. 3,86,000, against Rs. 4,58,000 in the corresponding period of last year, the revised estimate has been reduced to Rs. 5,50,000. The decrease is chiefly in navigation receipts from the Orissa and Calcutta canals and the Nadia rivers. The estimate for 1909-10 has been placed at Rs. 6,33,000.

34. *Civil Works in Charge of the Public Works Department*.—The budget estimate for 1908-09 was Rs. 3,00,000. This has been raised to Rs. 3,55,000 in the revised estimate, in view of the actuals of the first eight months of the year. The same amount has been taken as the estimate for 1909-10.

EXPENDITURE.

35. *Refunds and Drawbacks*.—The total Provincial expenditure in 1909-10 is estimated at Rs. 1,34,000, against Rs. 1,32,000 the revised estimate for 1908-09, and Rs. 1,51,195, the actuals of 1907-08. The estimates under this head are based, as usual, on the average actuals of the previous three years, excluding special payments.

36. *Assignments and Compensation*.—The budget estimate for the current year was Rs. 70,000. The revised estimate has, however, been placed at Rs. 67,000, against Rs. 63,019, the actuals of 1907-08, in view of the actual

payments during the first ten months of the year. The estimate for next year has been placed at Rs. 70,000.

37. *Land Revenue*.—The total Provincial expenditure for 1909-10 is estimated at Rs. 40,00,000, against Rs. 37,20,000, the revised and Rs. 37,85,000, the budget estimate for 1908-09, as shown below:—

	1908-09.		1909-10, Budget.
	Budget. Rs.	Revised. Rs.	
(1) Charges of District Administration ...	29,67,000	27,62,000	30,00,000
(2) Charges on account of Land Revenue collections ...	1,500	1,000	4,000
(3) Management of Government estates ...	3,68,000	4,00,000	3,57,000
(4) Survey and Settlement ...	2,40,500	2,37,000	2,58,000
(5) Land Records and Agriculture ...	2,80,000	3,20,000	4,41,000
	38,57,000	...	40,30,000
Probable savings ...	72,000	...	60,000
Total ...	37,85,000	37,20,000	40,00,000

Under (1) further provision has been made for an increase in the number of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, so as to meet the demands of the Settlement Department. An increased grant has been made for the improvement of Collectorate record-rooms. A larger allotment has been made for the management of private estates, owing to new estates coming under Government management. The budget also includes Rs. 1,40,000 for increase of pay of ministerial officers in accordance with the recommendations of the Ministerial Officers' Salaries Committee. Under (5) Rs. 2,59,000 have been provided for initial expenditure in bringing the survey and settlement records in Orissa up to date, Rs. 59,000 for the revision of the record-of-rights in Orissa, Rs. 39,000 for reproduction of maps, and Rs. 36,000 for the maintenance of records in Sambalpur.

38. *Stamps*.—The estimate for 1909-10 amounts to Rs. 5,05,000, against Rs. 4,80,000, the revised estimate for 1908-09, and Rs. 4,09,954, the actuals of 1907-08. The increase is partly under "Stamp paper supplied from the Central Store," and partly under "District establishment," due to a portion of the establishment of the Calcutta Collectorate previously debited to Excise being now shown under this head. The Provincial share (one-half) is Rs. 2,52,000.

39. *Excise*.—The estimate for 1909-10 is Rs. 8,30,000, against Rs. 8,00,000 the budget grant for the current year. One-half of these charges falls on the Provincial revenues. The increase is due to larger provision for (a) establishment for the extension of the Contract Distillery System; (b) charges on account of travelling allowance, as first class rates have been sanctioned for Special Excise Deputy Collectors; (c) construction of spirit warehouses; and (d) increasing the pay of ministerial officers in accordance with the recommendations of the Salaries Committee.

40. *Provincial Rates*.—The estimate for 1909-10 is Rs. 50,000, against Rs. 49,000, the revised estimate for 1908-09, and Rs. 45,282, the actuals of 1907-08. The increase is under "Collection charges," which include a lump provision of Rs. 9,000 for the increase of pay of ministerial officers.

41. *Assessed Taxes*.—The total expenditure for 1909-10 is estimated at Rs. 1,64,000, against Rs. 1,57,000, the sanctioned estimate for 1908-09, and Rs. 1,53,061, the actuals of 1907-08. The increase is due to (a) a lump provision of Rs. 3,000 for revision of establishment of the Calcutta Collectorate, (b) a lump provision of Rs. 1,000 for raising the pay of Assessors' clerks, and (c) a provision of Rs. 2,316 for a temporary Assessor and his establishment in the Burdwan district. A moiety of the charges falls on Provincial Revenues.

42. *Forests*.—The budget grant for 1909-10 is Rs. 5,87,000, against Rs. 6,20,000, the sanctioned estimate for 1908-09, and Rs. 7,13,394, the actuals of 1907-08. The decrease is chiefly due to a smaller provision being made for surveys, and to the absence of any provision for new launches. The Provincial share (one-half) is Rs. 2,93,000.

43. *Registration*.—The estimate for 1909-10 is Rs. 8,24,000, against Rs. 8,32,000, the revised estimate for 1908-09, which, as already explained in paragraph 5 above, is abnormally high. The budget includes provision for a larger number of Sub-Registrars and their establishment.

44. *General Administration*.—The estimate for 1909-10 is Rs. 19,10,000, against Rs. 18,76,000, the grant for 1908-09. The budget includes (a) larger provision for rents, rates and taxes, owing to increase in the Municipal assessment on the Lieutenant-Governor's residence at Belvedere, in consequence of the extension of the building; (b) provision of Rs. 7,000 to meet the additional charges involved by the expansion of the Legislative Council of which Rs. 3,000 (for furniture, etc.) is non-recurring, and Rs. 4,000 (Travelling allowance and establishment) recurring; (c) a lump provision of Rs. 15,000 for revision of the establishment of the Civil Secretariat; (d) larger provision for establishment and contingencies under Commissioners owing to the creation of the new Commissionership of Tirhut; and (e) provision of Rs. 10,700 to cover the cost of audit of the accounts of the Calcutta Corporation, which has, at the request of the Corporation, been retransferred to the Local Audit Department of the Accountant-General's office.

45. *Law and Justice—Courts of Law*.—The total expenditure during 1908-09 was originally estimated at Rs. 76,75,000, but in the revised estimate the figure has been raised to Rs. 82,00,000. The increase is very large, and is due to heavy unforeseen law charges, consequent upon the outbreak of anarchical crime. The estimate for 1909-10 is Rs. 79,20,000. It includes provision for (a) the revision of establishment on the Appellate Side of the High Court, already sanctioned; (b) increase in the salary of the Advocate-General; (c) increased charges for conducting law-suits and on account of fees to pleaders both in Calcutta and the mufassal; (d) a larger grant for allowances to jurors and assessors, and remuneration to copyists in view of past actuals; (e) a larger grant for establishment and diet money to witnesses in Criminal Courts. A lump provision of Rs. 2,40,000 has also been kept for the increase of pay of ministerial establishments recommended by the Salaries Committee.

46. *Jails*.—The actuals of 1907-08 were Rs. 26,96,952, and the budget estimate for 1909-10 has been placed at Rs. 27,00,000. It includes provision for the reorganization of the jailors' and warders' services, which has recently been sanctioned.

47. *Police*.—The following table compares the figures under this head:—

HEADS.	1907-08, Actuals.	1908-09.		1909-10, Estimate.
		Budget.	Revised.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
(1) Presidency Police ...	11,12,959	12,19,000	11,84,000	12,33,000
(2) Municipal „ ...	65,793	90,000	8,000	.....
(3) Superintendence ...	2,29,127	2,12,000	2,76,000	2,28,000
(4) Criminal Investigation Department ...	1,20,918	1,40,000	1,36,000	1,92,000
(5) District Executive Force ...	55,09,002	57,22,000	59,18,000	63,34,000
(6) Village Police ...	41,454	43,000	46,000	47,000
(7) Special „ ...	69,942	68,000	67,000	70,000
(8) Railway „ ...	2,43,066	2,66,000	2,37,000	2,72,000
(9) Cattle-pounds ...	—161	1,000	1,000	1,000
(10) Refunds ...	1,246	1,000	1,000	1,000
(11) Contribution to Local Funds ...	.....	1,000	1,000	.....
Total ...	73,93,346	77,63,000	78,75,000	83,78,000

The actuals of the first ten months of the current year indicate that there will be considerable excess over the budget allotments in the expenditure under "Superintendence" and "District Executive Force." The revised estimate has therefore been placed at Rs. 78,75,000. The estimate for 1909-10 has been passed for Rs. 83,78,000. This includes larger grants under the

following heads :—(1) Presidency Police, in order to provide a larger number of constables for the local Courts, Government House and the Police lock-up, and consequently larger grants for grain allowances, rents, rates and taxes, etc.; (4) Criminal Investigation Department, for the strengthening and development of the Department necessitated by the outbreak of anarchical crime; (5) District Executive Force, to give effect to certain reforms postponed in 1908-09, and further reforms for which an additional assignment of 2½ lakhs has been made by the Government of India; and (8) Railway Police, to meet the cost of an increase in the force.

48. *Ports and Pilotage*.—The budget estimate under this head for 1908-09 stood originally at Rs. 17,77,000. A provision of 4 lakhs had been entered in the budget for 1907-08 for part payment of the cost of the new pilot vessel *Lady Fraser*. This sum was not, however, adjusted in the accounts for 1907-08 as expected, and it had therefore to be debited in the accounts for 1908-09. Besides this, the revised estimate has been further raised in view of a considerable increase in the actual charges of the first ten months of the year, as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year. The revised estimate now stands at Rs. 22,60,000. The estimate for 1909-10 has been placed at Rs. 12,44,000, and includes a provision of Rs. 52,000 for a new boiler, and of Rs. 8,000 for the construction of a steam-cutter, for the steamer *Guide*. It also includes provision for a Deputy Shipping Master and Deputy Port Officer, a new appointment which has been created, while the post of Second Assistant Shipping Master has been abolished. The office of the Agent for Government Consignments, Calcutta, will be provincialized from April 1909 and the necessary provision has been made under this head.

49. *Education*.—The total Provincial expenditure for the current year was originally estimated at Rs. 50,01,000, but in view of the actual charges in the first ten months of the current year, which show an increase of Rs. 11,36,000 over those of the corresponding period of last year, the revised estimate has been raised to Rs. 56,50,000, against Rs. 45,52,592, the actuals of 1907-08. The increase is due chiefly to grants for the construction of *Guru-training* school buildings, and increased expenditure under the head Grants-in-aid. The estimate of expenditure for 1909-10 is Rs. 55,57,000. The following table shows the charges under the principal heads since the year 1902-03:—

[The figures are in thousands.]

HEADS.	ACCOUNTS.						1908-09.		1909-10.
	1902-03.	1903-04.	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1907-08.	Budget.	Revised.	Budget.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Direction ...	68	90	90	98	1,21	1,23	1,00	1,12	1,12
University ...	...	...	2,00	87	81	93	80	93	4
Inspection ...	2,80	2,57	2,49	2,91	4,66	6,27	6,50	7,54	7,18
Government Colleges, General ...	4,82	4,75	5,32	5,27	5,89	6,35	6,17	6,92	6,45
Government Colleges, Professional ...	2,23	2,67	2,02	2,30	2,78	3,37	3,70	3,77	4,13
Government Schools, General ...	4,79	5,32	4,86	5,07	5,93	6,01	6,91	12,24*	12,89*
Government Schools, Special ...	2,17	2,72	3,11	3,45	3,97	5,47	7,15	8,32	10,01
Grants-in-aid ...	6,42	7,16	7,62	8,18	10,61	13,33	15,51*	18,44	11,00
Scholarships ...	1,66	1,65	1,59	1,49	1,55	1,71	1,70	1,78	1,85
Miscellaneous ...	66	1,09	75	95	1,07	83	75	1,01	1,04
Refunds ...	6	7	2	22	4	3	3	3	3
Technical Education ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	...	...
	...	...	...	...	...	...	50,57	...	55,74
Lump deduction for probable savings ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	56,	...	17
Total ...	26,09	28,90	30,68	31,69	38,51	45,53	50,01	56,50	55,57

* Includes contributions to District Funds to establish equilibrium, previously shown under the head (since abolished) "Contributions from Provincial to Local."

Provision has been made in the budget for the following new and special charges :—

	Rs.
Grant to Calcutta University for Law Classes	4,000
An Additional Assistant Director	8,600
For improvements in the Presidency College	10,000
Provision for house allowance of Professors in Calcutta	4,000
For strengthening the staff of Professors of several Colleges	45,000
For additional contract contingent grant of Arts Colleges	12,000
For improvement in the Sanskrit College	5,000
Ditto Calcutta Madrassa	9,000
For <i>Guru</i> -training school buildings	2,00,000
For new Law Classes at Bankipore	20,000
Additional grant for Boarding charges, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.	7,000
For a Joint Technical Examination Board	7,400
Training Colleges for teachers at Bankipore and Calcutta	53,000
Weaving School at Sambalpur	4,700
Training Schools for female teachers at Bankipore and Calcutta	22,000
Technical school, Bhagalpur	8,800
Grant for Hostels on the recommendation of the University	50,000
Training of Pleaders in Surveying	15,700
Empire Day celebration in Schools and Colleges	5,000
Grants to District Boards for equilibrium*	5,45,000
Total	10,36,200

* Until 1908-09, these grants were shown under "Contribution from Provincial to Local," a head that has been abolished with effect from that year.

50. *Medical*.—The budget estimate under this head for 1908-09 was Rs. 27,80,000. This has been reduced in the revised estimate to Rs. 22,85,000, owing to the transfer of the special provision of 4½ lakhs for works of sanitary improvement from this head to the head of Civil Works. The estimate for 1909-10 has been passed for Rs. 25,20,000. The estimate includes Rs. 10,000 for anti-malarial measures; Rs. 30,000 for improvement of the Sanitary Service; Rs. 50,000 for improvement of the pay and position of Civil Hospital Assistants; Rs. 23,000 for charges in connexion with the special inquiry being conducted, under the orders of the Government of India, by Major Sutherland, I.M.S., at the Medical College; Rs. 10,000 for an additional Probationary Chemical Examiner; Rs. 5,000 for increased scholarships for Uriyas at the Cuttack Medical School; Rs. 13,000 for additional Demonstrators, Professors, etc., in the Medical College; and larger grants for diet of patients, clothing, bedding, etc., in the several hospitals. The total grants under the latter subheads for 1909-10 are shown below :—

	Salaries.	Establishment.	Clothing.	Diet.	Other supplies.	Contingencies.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Medical College Hospital ...	41,670	38,434	7,000	70,000	65,376	48,530
General Hospital ...	63,413	27,238	3,000	65,000	42,000	41,012
Campbell Hospital ...	4,260	36,282	40,000		12,607	11,687
Albert Victor Loper Asylum ...	5,040	4,392	1,250	13,000	800	4,560

51. *Political*.—The estimate for 1909-10 is Rs. 56,000, against Rs. 55,000, the revised estimate for 1908-09, and Rs. 47,083, the actuals of 1907-08. The figures call for no special remarks.

52. *Scientific and other Minor Departments.*—The estimate for 1909-10 is Rs. 14,05,000, against Rs. 12,78,000, the budget grant for 1908-09, and Rs. 10,76,142, the actuals of 1907-08. Provision has been made in the budget for the following special charges :—

	Rs.
Additional grant to the Asiatic Society for research work ...	4,000
Fittings and appliances for the new Agricultural College at Sabaur ...	75,000
Purchase of Cinchona bark ...	50,000
Construction of a bungalow at Mansong ...	10,000
Certifying Surgeon and Additional Assistant Inspector of Factories and their establishment ...	14,000

53. *Superannuation.*—The charges under this head show a steady increase from year to year, owing to the increase in the claims to pension. The estimate for 1909-10 is Rs. 27,48,000, against Rs. 26,18,000, the revised estimate for 1908-09, and Rs. 25,91,642 the actuals of 1907-08.

54. *Stationery and Printing.*—The estimate for 1909-10 is Rs. 13,71,000, against Rs. 13,58,000, the revised estimate for 1908-09, and Rs. 14,67,251, the actuals of 1907-08. The budget includes a provision of Rs. 41,000 for type-casting machines which have been indented for from Europe, and for type-casting establishment, as it has been decided to have type cast in future under the direct supervision of the Superintendent.

55. *Miscellaneous.*—The revised estimate for 1908-09 is Rs. 4,75,000, against Rs. 3,93,000, the original budget estimate. The increase is chiefly due to a special grant of Rs. 30,000 to the Sailors' Home, Calcutta, which was not drawn in 1907-08, and to increased provision for the Fisheries inquiry. The estimate for 1909-10 is Rs. 5,27,000, and includes Rs. 1,65,000 for the Fisheries inquiry. The budget under this head also provides for the office of the Controller of Office Systems, which was formerly included under "Board of Revenue" in the General Administration Budget.

56. *Famine Relief.*—The total expenditure on relief measures will amount to about Rs. 11,50,000 in 1908-09; and the estimate for next year is Rs. 18,27,000. The figures are shown district by district below :—

	Revised estimate, 1908-09.	Estimate, 1909-10.
	Rs.	Rs.
Burdwan ...	700	.....
Bankura ...	52,000	.....
Nadia ...	1,50,000	1,00,000
Jessore ...	35,300	...
Shahabad ...	.....	50,000
Purnea ...	.....	25,000
Muzaffarpur ...	.....	5,95,000
Darbhanga ...	2,31,000	8,00,000
Monghyr ...	30,000	20,000
Bhagalpur ...	42,000	1,25,000
Sonthal Parganas ...	.....	50,000
Cuttack ...	1,25,000	.....
Balasore ...	1,22,000	17,000
Angul ...	35,000	.....
Puri ...	84,000	15,000
Hazaribagh ...	41,000	.....
Ranchi ...	2,00,000	.....
Palamau ...	.....	30,000
Singhbhum ...	2,000	.....
Total ...	11,50,000	18,27,000

The annual credit to Bengal on account of Famine Relief is Rs. 2,60,000, but the expenditure in the first five years from 1907-08 will be treated

as Imperial up to a limit equal to five years assumed credit, or Rs. $2,60,000 \times 5 = 13,00,000$. When this credit is exhausted, the expenditure is divided equally between Imperial and Provincial. The actual expenditure in 1907-08 was Rs. 6,74,000, and the charges for the current year, as now estimated, amount to Rs. 11,50,000, making a total of Rs. 18,24,000, against the assumed credit of Rs. 13,00,000. The excess over credit is thus Rs. 5,24,000, and one-half of this, or Rs. 2,62,000, will be charged to Provincial. The expenditure in 1909-10 is estimated at Rs. 18,27,000, and one-half of this, or Rs. 9,14,000, will be Provincial.

57. *Irrigation—Major Works (Working Expenses).*—The actual charges in 1907-08 were Rs. 14,25,201. The budget estimate for 1908-09 was Rs. 12,75,000, which has been raised to Rs. 14,73,000 in the revised, partly by transfer from the head “43—Minor Works and Navigation,” but chiefly in consequence of additional charges incurred on establishment and flood damage repairs in Orissa and on the Sone Canals. The estimate for 1909-10 has been placed at Rs. 13,44,000 in view of actual requirements.

58. *Irrigation—Minor Works and Navigation in charge of the Public Works Department.*—The actual expenditure during 1907-08 was Rs. 18,77,214. The budget estimate for 1908-09 was Rs. 20,26,000, but in the revised estimate this has been reduced to Rs. 19,93,000, chiefly in consequence of the transfer of Rs. 40,000 to “42—Major Works”, against an additional grant of Rs. 20,624 for the Ghora Katora Irrigation Scheme, and of Rs. 3,250 for the clearance of silt in Harikhally and Chunamara khals, in the district of Midnapore. The estimate for 1909-10 has been placed at Rs. 21,31,000. It includes Rs. 3,36,000 for the Ultadanga-Bamanghatta canal, and Rs. 3,45,000 for the Madaripur Bhil scheme, as well as provision for enlarging the cross-section of the first reach of the Taldanda canal, and for raising the flood bank of the Pattamundi canal.

59. *Civil Works.*—The estimate of expenditure for 1909-10 has been placed at Rs. 45,10,000, against Rs. 61,76,000, the revised estimate for 1908-09, and Rs. 72,53,933, the actuals of 1907-08. The following figures show the distribution of the allotment as compared with the two preceding years:—

		Actuals. 1907-08. Rs.	Revised Estimate. 1908-09. Rs.	Estimate. 1909-10. Rs.
Original Works	...	46,30,111	35,66,000	17,13,000
Repairs	...	15,03,481	14,48,000	16,00,000
Establishment	...	9,59,300	10,20,000	11,46,406
Tools and Plant	...	64,906	68,000	50,594
Stock and Suspense	...	96,135	74,000	.....
Total	...	72,53,933	61,76,000	45,10,000

The statement below shows the actual expenditure during 1907-08, the estimated expenditure during 1908-09 and the allotments for 1909-10 in respect of the principal original works in progress during the past two years. It will be observed that the list contains no new projects. The funds at our disposal have only been sufficient to provide for the continuation or completion of works already in hand.

	1907-08. Rs.	1908-09. Rs.	1909-10. Rs.
Extension of the High Court buildings	2,12,740		
Construction of record-racks, provision for furniture, sanitary fittings, drainage and water-supply and electric lights and fans in the High Court	82,005	60,250	.....
New hostel for Veterinary College, Belgachia	59,298	.....	.....
New Presidency Jail	1,92,934	95,000	1,25,000
Construction and fitting of new Darbar Hall, Belvedere	1,78,575	19,500	.....

	1907-08.	1908-09	1909 10.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Paying Patients' Block (Woodburn Ward) in the Presidency General Hospital	1,10,069	50,300	.....
Acquisition of land for Government brick-field, Bally	2,78,993	27,000	.....
New two-storied ward in Campbell Hospital ...	1,00,175	1,08,000	.....
Acquisition of land for improvement of the Haritola basti for the extension of the Campbell Hospital ...	1,41,946	...	.....
Additional accommodation for Civil Courts, Jessore	15	10,000	50,000
Acquisition of Ross Distillery for Reserve Police Barrack, Howrah	1,25,000	1,30,286	.....
Filling up the low ground to the east of the land acquired for official residences, Howrah ...	24,871	10,000	.....
New Surgical Block at the Medical College Hospital	1,78,473	1,72,900	1,52,000
Isolation Block at ditto ...	28,649	44,700	.....
Wards for Indian paying patients at the Medical College Hospital (acquisition of land) ...	1,40,451	.....	.....
Fourth Block, Medical College	1,473	22,400	1,25,000
Purchase of Campbell Cottage, Darjeeling ...	50,040	.....	.....
Civil Officers' quarters at Burdwan ... ..	.....	1,13,810	.....
Temporary sheds at the Presidency College ...	.....	22,000	.....
Land Acquisition for the extension of the Presidency College ... ..	.....	2,50,000	.....
Police Training School, Doranda	1,23,988	54,700	.....
New double-storied Judge's Court, Arrah ...	21,427	35,000	90,000
Civil Court buildings and record-room, Darbhanga	26,916	60,000	60,000
Extension of Khulna Jail	8,409	37,700	47,000
Improvements to the sleeping wards in the Central Jail, Midnapore	68,404	43,000	20,000
New Sub-Jail at Madhubani ... ..	.....	5,000	22,000
Deputy Commissioner's Court, Halursingha (Angul)	5,812	21,000	20,000
Ditto residence, Sambalpur ... ..	.....	3,000	20,000
New Circuit House, Arrah ... ..	.....	2,770	27,000
New Zilla School building, Chaibassa	2,604	20,000	27,000
Agricultural College, and quarters for Principal and Professors, Sabaur ... ..	.....	1,00,000	1,50,000
New High Level Tista Valley Road, Section I ...	1,23,797	63,700	13,000
Ditto ditto, Section II ...	1,69,098		
Constructing Outtaek-Sambalpur Road, Khalsa Section	33,113	49,000	33,000
Daltonganj-Ranchi Road ... ..	.....	2,500	20,000
Sambalpur-Sonpur Road	18,592	21,500	27,000
Acquisition of land for projected improvements, Ranchi	1,74,011	4,574	.....
Patna College Scheme	35,196	25,300	19,000

60. *Civil Works in charge of the Civil Department.*—The estimate for 1909-10 is Rs. 24,86,000. This includes a provision of Rs. 13,81,000 for grants to District Funds and District Road Funds, of which 2 lakhs are for feeder roads and Rs. 9,13,000 for grants to District Boards for augmenting their resources. It

also provides Rs. 10,60,000 for grants to Municipalities and other Excluded Local Funds, of which the principal items are:—

	1908-09.	1909-10.
	Revised Estimate.	Estimate.
	Rs.	Rs.
Grant-in-aid to the Calcutta Municipality for the removal of the refuse platform near the Campbell Hospital	45,000	.....
Grant-in-aid to the Calcutta Municipality towards the cost of the drainage of the Fringe Area ... ..	.....	50,000
Realignment of drains in the Presidency Jail	25,000	95,000
Monghyr Municipality, for water-supply ...	78,203	.....
Puri ditto ditto ...	1,00,000	.....
Burdwan ditto ditto ...	10,000	... ..
Berhampore ditto for drainage ...	25,750	.....
Gaya Municipality, for water-works ...	75,000	25,000
Hooghly-Chinsura Municipality, for water-supply	30,000	70,000
Serampore Municipality, for water-supply ...	20,000	20,000
Shahabad Municipality, for drainage scheme	25,000	25,000
Burdwan Municipality, for drainage ...	.....	50,000
Ditto for the new central hospital and dispensary ... ..	.....	40,000
Bhatpara Municipality, for drainage ...	.....	25,000
Patna Municipality, for third pumping station for flushing drains, and for Dom shed	60,000	.. ..
Darjeeling Municipality, for sanitary improvements	50,000	.....
Howrah Municipality, for land acquisition for roads	12,200	9,986
Grants placed at the disposal of the Divisional Commissioners	60,500	60,500

BENGAL PROVINCIAL REVENUE.

RECEIPTS.	ACTUALS.				1908-09.		1909-10.
	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1907-08.	Sanctioned estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Opening balance ...			1,12,61,898	98,84,443	71,32,000	71,28,000	58,77,000
Principal Heads of Revenue—							
I.—Land Revenue—	73,61,982	75,27,997	1,62,06,515	1,57,44,049	1,61,89,000	1,60,89,000	1,62,84,000
{ Proper ...							
{ Adjustment ...	49,48,794	+95,62,984	+12,14,548	21,01,634	31,21,000	49,23,000	32,73,000
IV.—Stamps ...	67,51,941	71,60,123	78,53,349	77,94,138	81,25,000	78,50,000	82,50,000
V.—Excise ...	61,55,260	66,75,605	80,40,696	85,88,849	87,50,000	86,00,000	89,50,000
VI.—Provincial Rates ...	36,48,992	36,48,342	36,18,246	37,78,438	37,72,000	37,50,000	38,16,000
VIII.—Assessed Taxes ...	10,88,470	11,60,853	24,33,631	25,98,514	26,13,000	27,65,000	29,00,000
IX.—Forests ...	2,20,226	2,48,209	5,32,929	5,98,825	6,10,000	6,20,000	6,50,000
X.—Registration ...	10,18,261	10,82,248	12,25,432	13,46,566	14,20,000	14,20,000	15,50,000
Total ...	3,11,88,936	3,70,66,261	4,06,25,346	4,25,01,003	4,46,00,000	4,60,17,000	4,56,23,000
XII.—Interest ...	2,62,720	2,52,986	2,62,016	3,49,920	5,67,000	5,34,000	10,90,000
Receipts by Civil Department—							
XVI.—Law and Justice—							
Courts of Law ...	5,61,378	5,61,310	5,73,507	5,79,615	5,97,000	6,37,000	6,00,000
Jails ...	12,31,117	12,19,629	12,07,552	11,58,667	12,50,000	11,87,000	11,68,000
XVII.—Police ...	1,68,016	1,27,406	1,38,985	1,41,084	1,40,000	1,44,000	1,45,000
XVIII.—Ports and Pilotage ...	14,96,663	15,04,678	15,39,308	14,80,708	16,00,000	15,65,000	15,31,000
XIX.—Education ...	5,78,646	6,80,881	5,60,354	5,65,590	5,73,000	7,01,000	7,75,000
XX.—Medical ...	2,46,387	4,54,165	2,43,355	2,38,934	2,54,000	2,82,000	2,90,000
XXI.—Scientific and other Minor Departments ...	2,74,454	2,71,968	2,82,319	2,76,622	3,12,000	3,11,000	3,31,000
Total ...	45,56,651	47,20,037	45,45,360	44,51,220	47,26,000	47,76,000	48,40,000
Miscellaneous—							
XXII.—Receipts in aid of Superannuation ...	59,370	86,029	62,729	4,15,664	54,000	55,000	55,000
XXIII.—Stationery and Printing ...	1,31,834	1,23,228	1,34,920	1,32,763	1,37,000	1,45,000	1,33,000
XXV.—Miscellaneous ...	5,95,684	5,04,662	6,50,180	5,86,455	5,40,000	5,35,000	5,83,000
Total ...	7,86,888	7,13,919	8,47,829	11,34,882	7,31,000	7,35,000	7,71,000
Irrigation—							
XXIX.—Major Works (direct receipts) ...	20,46,167	21,39,054	22,97,528	23,80,950	24,18,000	26,00,000	24,36,000
XXX.—Minor works and navigation—							
By Public Works Department ...	7,01,154	6,67,845	6,60,499	6,52,852	6,22,000	5,50,000	6,33,000
By Civil Department ...	1,42,833	1,22,160	1,18,688	1,07,147	1,07,000	1,04,000	1,07,000
Total ...	28,90,154	29,29,059	30,76,715	31,40,949	31,47,000	32,54,000	31,76,000
Buildings and Roads—							
XXXII.—Civil Works—							
By Public Works Department ...	3,89,393	2,25,868	3,19,625	3,41,459	2,00,000	3,55,000	3,55,000
By Civil Department ...	1,83,777	1,91,890	1,81,234	1,76,872	1,85,000	1,84,000	1,80,000
Total ...	5,73,170	4,17,758	5,00,859	5,18,331	4,85,000	5,39,000	5,35,000
Contributions ...	47,000	43,520	4,95,937	55,349	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	4,03,06,519	4,61,42,940	5,03,57,082	5,21,51,721	5,42,56,000	5,58,55,000	5,60,35,000
GRAND TOTAL ...			6,16,18,980	6,15,36,167	6,13,88,000	6,29,83,000	6,19,12,000

EXPENDITURE.	ACTUALS.				1908-09.		1909-10.
	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1907-08.	Sanctioned estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Direct demand on the revenues—							
1. Refunds and drawbacks ...	99,093	1,18,549	1,16,578	1,51,195	1,27,000	1,32,000	1,34,000
2. Assignments and Compensations ...	1,14,854	38,792	69,324	63,019	70,000	67,000	70,000
3. Land Revenue ...	80,70,836	82,27,998	83,26,901	87,18,322	87,85,000	87,20,000	40,00,000
6. Stamps ...	2,10,272	2,19,273	2,04,010	2,04,977	2,41,000	2,40,000	2,62,000
7. Excise ...	2,98,323	3,01,793	3,71,560	3,86,624	4,00,000	4,00,000	4,15,000
8. Provincial Rates ...	53,380	56,968	55,784	45,282	52,000	49,000	50,000
10. Assessed Taxes ...	32,169	35,976	75,116	76,531	79,000	80,000	82,000
11. Forests ...	1,95,586	1,29,162	3,16,214	3,56,697	3,10,000	3,11,000	2,93,000
12. Registration ...	5,87,161	6,08,240	6,42,687	7,52,153	7,70,000	8,32,000	8,24,000
Total ...	45,91,624	47,31,650	53,78,203	57,54,700	58,34,000	58,31,000	61,20,000
Interest on ordinary debt ...	1,82,758	2,10,291	2,36,226	3,02,281	3,90,000	5,02,000	6,92,000
Post Office	1,905
Salaries and Expenses of Civil Department—							
18. General Administration ...	17,27,196	19,28,698	18,41,137	18,73,543	18,76,000	18,63,000	19,10,000
19. Law and Justice { Courts of Law ...	69,78,626	71,28,328	74,09,956	75,61,307	76,75,000	82,00,000	79,20,000
{ Jails ...	19,02,245	24,50,224	26,63,436	26,96,952	26,59,000	27,42,000	27,00,000
20. Police ...	51,67,102	58,92,674	69,05,442	73,93,346	77,63,000	78,75,000	83,78,000
21. Ports and Pilotage ...	18,90,673	12,70,369	11,74,533	11,95,783	17,77,000	22,80,000	12,44,000
22. Education ...	30,67,891	31,68,646	38,50,750	45,52,592	50,01,000	56,50,000	55,67,000
24. Medical ...	19,91,050	21,74,075	21,96,753	22,41,779	27,80,000	22,85,000	25,20,000
25. Political ...	12,595	12,627	41,248	47,083	50,000	55,000	58,000
26. Scientific and other Minor Departments.	6,91,514	9,72,543	9,73,964	10,76,142	12,78,000	12,78,000	14,05,000
Total ...	2,33,52,062	2,40,98,192	2,70,56,739	2,86,38,617	3,08,50,000	3,22,08,000	3,16,90,000
Miscellaneous—							
29. Superannuation, &c. ...	22,93,065	23,92,560	24,86,437	25,91,642	26,81,000	26,18,000	27,48,000
30. Stationery and Printing ...	9,71,423	10,78,997	12,85,202	14,67,251	12,92,000	13,58,000	13,71,000
32. Miscellaneous ...	3,05,897	3,46,929	3,46,620	3,91,254	3,93,000	4,75,000	5,27,000
Total ...	35,70,385	38,18,486	41,18,289	44,50,147	43,66,000	44,51,000	46,46,000
Famine Relief and Insurance—							
33. Famine Relief	7,11,138	1,56,000	2,62,000	9,14,000
Avoidance of Debt...	2,60,000	2,60,000	2,60,000	2,60,000
Railways (Revenue Accounts)—							
40. Subsidised Companies—Land, etc.	3,965	21	3,413	1,000
Total ...	3,965	21	7,11,138	2,63,413	4,16,000	5,22,000	11,75,000
Irrigation—							
42. Major Works—							
Working expenses ...	9,88,005	10,18,139	11,88,907	14,25,201	12,75,000	14,73,000	13,44,000
Interest on debt ...	24,51,988	24,51,959	21,21,310	21,06,966	21,24,000	21,08,000	21,09,000
43. Minor Works and Navigation—							
By Public Works Department...	16,86,998	21,67,993	19,06,731	18,77,214	20,26,000	19,93,000	21,31,000

APPENDIX A.

Bengal Provincial Receipts, in detail of minor heads.

[Figures in columns (7) and (8) are those accepted by the Government of India.]

The remarks in column 9, except where specially explained, up to differences between columns 6 and 8.

I.—Land Revenue—

Hsads.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.	Actuals.	Actuals.	Actuals.	Actuals.	Actuals.	Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.	Budget estimate.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Gross Land Revenue	Rs. 2,87,82,526	Rs. 2,92,18,689	Rs. 2,89,04,871	Rs. 2,92,06,729	Rs. 2,99,50,000	Rs. 2,93,03,000	Rs. 2,99,11,000						
Deduct collections from Govern- ment estates which are wholly Provincial from 1906-07	3,51,089	3,91,096	34,12,948	30,36,761	33,70,000	33,70,000	34,20,000						
Deduct recoveries of Survey and Settlement charges which are Imperial	3,87,826	2,79,890	—95,211	7,54,384	9,42,000	4,95,000	8,65,000						
Total Deduction	7,38,915	6,70,986	33,17,797	37,91,145	43,12,000	38,65,000	42,85,000						
Net amount divisible between Imperial and Provincial	2,80,43,611	2,85,47,603	2,55,87,134	2,54,14,575	2,56,38,000	2,54,38,000	2,56,29,000						
Provincial share of above	70,10,903	71,36,901	1,27,83,667	1,27,07,288	1,28,19,000	1,27,19,000	1,28,14,000						
Add collections from Govern- ment estates	3,51,089	3,91,096	34,12,948	30,36,761	33,70,000	33,70,000	34,20,000						
Total Provincial	73,61,992	75,27,997	1,62,06,615	1,57,44,049	1,61,89,000	1,60,89,000	1,62,34,000						
Add on account of adjustments as shown in next page	49,48,794	95,83,984	12,14,548	21,01,634	31,21,000	40,23,000	32,73,000						
Grand Total (Provincial share)	1,23,10,786	1,70,90,981	1,74,21,063	1,78,45,683	1,93,10,000	2,10,12,000	1,95,07,000						
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For University and Collegiate education ...	2,00,000	1,10,000	1,60,000	1,60,000	1,60,000	1,60,000	1,60,000
On account of the abolition of the Patwari Cess in Sambalpur ...	.....	.....	36,000	26,000	26,000	26,000	26,000	26,000
For continuous maintenance of Records in Orissa ...	.....	.....	.....	29,000	69,000	69,000	69,000	88,000
Assignment in connection with the surplus of the Eastern Bengal districts for 1906-08 ...	.....	7,56,747	2,22,022	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
For excess of expenditure over receipts in the transferred areas in Sambalpur from 18th October 1905 to 31st March 1908 ...	.....	91,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
For occupation of 2, Bankshall Street, by Commerce and Industry Department ...	.....	16,000	16,000	16,000	16,000	16,000	16,000	20,000
On account of Eastern Bengal and Assam Government's contribution to the Belgachia Veterinary College ...	.....	.....	28,000	28,000	28,000	28,000	28,000	28,000
For the development of Agricultural and Veterinary Departments ...	.....	3,50,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
For charges in connection with Major Sutherland's enquiry in the Medical College ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,000	12,000	12,000	23,000
Contribution for the preservation of ancient manuscripts ...	6,000	6,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Contribution for monuments and antiquities ...	15,000	15,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grant for special bonus to low-paid Government servants ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Transfer of buildings occupied by Superintendent, Post Office, Cuttack, to Imperial Government of India, Commerce and Industry Department ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Letter No. 11149-254, dated 9th December 1908, to the Director-General of Post Office of India ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,52,000	1,52,000	1,52,000	.....
Charges in connection with Captain McCay's deputation to conduct the enquiry regarding jail dietaries ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,000	6,000	6,000	.....
	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,000	7,000	7,000	.....

Includes Rs. 1,43,000 for Civil Department and Rs. 9,000 for Public Works Department.

Expenditure on cemeteries ...	.....	.....	.....	4,000	.....	4,000	4,000
On account of the remission of Audit fees hitherto charged to local bodies ...	..	.....	.....	65,000	65,000	65,000	65,000
Assignment for the development of the Sanitation Department	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,50,000	4,50,000	4,50,000
Audit of Calcutta Municipal Accounts ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,000
Improvement of Dalhousie Square ...	.....	1,98,237	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Deduct Contribution from Provincial to Imperial.							
Contribution for the transfer of the Stamp and Stationery Office from Provincial administration	1,36,900	1,68,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Redistribution of charges under Assignments and Compensations ...	.....	1,15,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Contribution from Provincial in connection with the transfer of the maintenance of the Siliguri-Tista Bridge Road to the Military Department	50,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Adjustment of the cost of Mr. N. G. Mukherjee's deputization to the Central Provinces to enquire into the tussler silk industry	2,286	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Contribution towards Rajkumar College ...	2,000	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Transfer of the balance of the District Dak Funds to Imperial	.....	2,17,780	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
On account of the abolition of Superannuation Fund ...	..	21,000	.....	21,000	21,000	21,000	21,000
For savings under Interest—Capital outlay on Irrigation works	.....	3,45,000	.....	3,45,000	3,45,000	3,45,000	3,45,000
For excess of receipts over charges for the office of the Agent, Government Consignments, Calcutta, provincialized ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,000
Net sum to be transferred from Imperial ...	49,48,794	95,52,984	12,14,542	21,01,834	31,21,000	49,23,000	32,73,000

HEADS.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.	Rs.	Actuals.	Rs.	Actuals.	Rs.	Actuals.	Rs.	Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Sale of general stamps ...	85,97,882	Rs.	38,42,429	Rs.	46,14,954	Rs.	47,91,000	Rs.	47,91,000	47,20,000	48,50,000	} Revised based on ten months' actuals. Budget allows for full normal growth.	
Do. of Court-fee stamps ...	95,00,000		1,01,10,891		1,04,36,237		1,10,50,000		1,10,50,000	1,06,70,000	1,12,00,000		
Do. of plain-paper to be used with Court-fee stamps ...	1,78,000		1,84,191		1,93,781		2,00,000		2,00,000	1,91,000	1,94,000		
Duty on impressing documents ...	1,80,000		1,61,443		1,71,939		1,72,000		1,72,000	1,78,000	1,70,000		
Fines and penalties ...	18,000		20,602		20,092		20,000		20,000	28,000	25,000		
Miscellaneous ...	80,000		761		6,859		17,000		17,000	18,000	51,000		
Total ...	1,35,08,882		1,43,30,246		1,47,06,698		1,62,50,000		1,62,50,000	1,57,00,000	1,65,00,000		
Provincial share ...	67,51,941		71,60,123		73,53,949		81,25,000		81,25,000	78,50,000	82,50,000		
V—Excise—													
Licence and distillery fees for the sale of liquors and drugs—													
Foreign liquors ...	2,52,352		2,85,901		2,99,985		2,70,106		3,30,000	2,80,000	3,00,000		
Indian-made liquors excised at tariff rates ...	8,12,222		7,88,548		7,73,193		9,03,683		8,50,000	7,90,000	8,50,000		
Country spirits—													
Licence fees—													
Distillery ...	12,86,958		16,76,693		16,76,693		92,98,836		96,64,000	93,38,000	98,97,000		
Outstills ...	36,00,769		39,92,236		39,92,236								
Still-head duty ...	28,42,816		79,92,694		29,31,323								
Miscellaneous ...	1,03,907				86,465								
Toddy revenue ...	1,69,499		11,10,702		11,95,078		11,63,292		11,85,000	11,90,000	12,00,000		
Opium and its preparation ...	6,55,463		5,88,298		6,20,681		6,36,483		6,80,000	6,50,000	6,80,000		
Other drugs, ganja, bhang, etc.	12,08,243		12,77,810		15,40,024		13,16,544		13,50,000	13,62,000	13,70,000		
Total ...	1,12,32,698		1,20,43,463		1,28,55,678		1,35,96,943		1,39,69,000	1,36,50,000	1,42,37,000		
Gain on sale-proceeds of Excise opium ...	15,28,741		16,26,543		17,31,399		19,96,606		20,00,000	20,80,000	21,20,000		
Duty on ganja ...	12,90,095		15,70,589		14,71,197		14,60,889		15,15,000	15,50,000	16,20,000		
Fines, confiscations and miscellaneous ...	17,632		17,753		23,118		23,361		26,000	20,000	23,000		
Grand Total ...	1,40,69,166		1,62,68,297		1,60,81,892		1,70,77,699		1,76,00,000	1,72,00,000	1,72,00,000		
Provincial share ...	61,55,280		66,75,505		80,40,696		85,36,949		87,50,000	86,00,000	89,50,000		

Reduction in the revised is owing to the apprehended unfavourable result of the settlements in the closing months of the year.
Budget allows for full normal growth.

VI.—Provincial Rates—

Public Works Cess	36,90,337	35,84,948	34,91,470	36,18,453	36,16,000	35,93,000	36,53,000	Budget provides for larger receipts on account of revaluations.
General rates for the management of private estates	1,33,655	1,13,394	1,26,776	1,59,985	1,57,000	1,57,000	1,63,000	Increase due to inclusion of new estates under management.
Total	36,43,992	36,48,342	36,18,246	37,78,438	37,73,000	37,50,000	38,16,000	

VIII.—Assessed Taxes—

Deductions by Government from salaries and pensions, etc.	3,96,353	4,06,743	4,20,983	4,27,142	4,30,000	4,40,000	4,45,000	
Deductions by Government from interest on Government securities	10,692	12,355	21,801	23,830	22,000	25,000	25,000	
Deductions from salaries, etc., paid by local authority or company	54,087	55,239	58,387	58,699	55,000	60,000	60,000	
Deductions from profits of Railway companies	3,452	
Income-tax on securities of local authority or company	98,716	98,568	1,02,747	1,11,088	1,09,000	1,15,000	1,15,000	
Ordinary collections	37,79,695	40,49,555	42,44,128	45,55,107	45,93,000	48,69,000	51,34,000	
Penalties	9,481	12,193	11,114	11,786	11,000	12,000	12,000	
Miscellaneous	74,95	8,312	8,103	9,376	8,000	9,000	9,000	
Total	43,63,880	46,43,415	48,67,263	51,57,028	52,25,000	56,30,000	58,00,000	Revised based on ten months' actuals.
Provincial share	10,89,470	11,67,863	24,93,631	26,98,514	26,13,000	27,66,000	29,00,000	

IX.—Forests—

Timber and other produce removed from the forests by Government agency	1,35,439	79,723	46,155	50,638	23,800	31,000	17,000	The increase in the revised is due to larger sale of all sleepers at Siliguri depot in Kurseong Division.
Timber and other produce removed from the forests by consumers or purchasers	7,17,616	8,60,419	9,92,885	11,01,553	11,55,200	11,63,000	12,42,000	Increase expected from the recovery of timber trade in Singhbhum and Sundarbans Divisions.
Confiscated drift and waif wood	1,328	5,629	4,085	6,506	4,100	4,000	3,800	
Miscellaneous	36,623	47,086	32,734	39,964	36,100	42,000	37,200	The increase in the revised is due to the sale of the steam-launches of the Sundarbans Division.
Total	8,80,905	9,92,836	10,65,859	11,97,650	12,20,000	12,40,000	13,00,000	
Provincial share	2,20,226	2,48,209	5,32,929	5,98,825	6,10,000	6,20,000	6,30,000	

HEADS.	1904-05.		1906-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Fees for registering documents...	Rs. 9,49,940	Rs. 10,04,516	Rs. 11,37,637	Rs. 12,47,672	Rs. 13,18,000	Rs. 13,24,000	Rs. 14,50,000						
Fees for copies of registered documents ...	26,310	27,549	32,005	37,703	40,000	36,000	38,000						
Miscellaneous ...	48,011	50,184	55,730	61,131	63,000	60,000	63,000						
Total	10,19,261	10,82,245	12,25,432	13,46,566	14,20,000	14,30,000	15,50,000	Budget provides for normal increase.					
XII.—Interest—													
Class I.—Interest on advances to cultivators—													
On advances to cultivators under Land Improvement Loans Act ...	15,314	23,307	25,138	1,06,552	2,77,000	2,22,000	5,60,000	Increase due to increased advances on account of scarcity.					
On advances to cultivators under Agriculturists' Loans Act, XXII of 1884	19,510	22,641	27,094										
On loans to Co-operative Credit Societies ...	...	50	76		400	215	569						
Class II.—Interest on advances under Special Laws—													
On drainage and embankment advances ...	36,732	8,191	—13,304	33,016	33,000	28,000	28,000						
Class III.—Interest on loans to land-holders, etc. ...	1,689	5,913	10,841	7,454	17,000	68,000	2,64,000	Budget includes Rs. 2,60,000 for interest payable on the loan of 50 lakhs granted to Maharaja Sir Prodyot Kumar Tagore, while the revised includes Rs. 60,000 on the same account.					
Class IV.—Interest on loans to Municipal and other public Corporations (excluding Presidency Corporations) ...	1,39,126	1,41,779	1,52,612	1,61,766	1,89,000	1,75,000	1,92,000	Revised based on the outstanding arrear balance, excluding the advances on account of the Magra Hat Drainage scheme. Budget based on the amount of interest due next year on the existing loans and on the probable amount of advances estimated to be made in that year, excluding the advances on account of Magra Hat Drainage.					
Interest on Government securities	6,421	6,714	7,046	7,084	7,000	7,000	7,000						
Miscellaneous—													
Interest on arrears of Public Works Cess ...	37,566	33,766	33,493	31,864	36,000	30,000	32,500						
Capital cost of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor's house	143	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other items ...	3,087	4,551	17,720	1,264	6,000	3,000	4,000						
Interest on zamindari embankment recoveries, etc. ...	2,632	2,574	1,320	981	2,000	1,000	1,600	The actuals of 1908-07 included interest on debentures of the Calcutta Police Superannuation Fund which were sold off in 1907-08.					
Total Miscellaneous	43,428	40,891	52,533	34,109	44,000	34,000	38,000						
Deduct for rounding	...	...	...	...	—400	—215	+431						
Total	9,63,730	9,53,326	2,62,036	3,49,200	5,67,000	5,34,000	10,90,000						

	22,253	24,408	28,611	26,046	25,000	75,000	26,000	The increase in the revised is due to special receipts in the district of Bhagalpur.
Sale-proceeds of unclaimed and escheated property ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Court-fees realised in cash ...	24,328	19,538	18,359	21,710	20,000	24,000	22,000	...
General Fees, Fines and Forfeitures ...	4,76,552	4,77,279	4,86,840	4,86,593	5,08,000	4,96,000	5,07,000	...
Pledership Examination Fees...	23,255	33,600	25,504	26,492	27,000	28,000	27,000	Estimates based on actuals.
Miscellaneous Fees and Fines...	1,008	1,396	2,297	2,285	2,000	1,000	2,000	...
Miscellaneous ...	16,082	16,099	11,896	17,490	16,000	13,000	17,000	...
Total ...	6,61,378	6,61,310	5,73,607	5,78,615	6,97,000	6,97,000	6,00,000	Revised based on the actuals of first ten months.

XVIB.—Jails—

Jails ...	19,680	21,363	14,037	16,287	15,000	17,000	16,000	...
Jail Manufactures ...	12,11,487	11,98,366	11,93,515	11,42,380	12,35,000	11,20,000	11,62,000	...
Total ...	12,31,117	12,19,639	12,07,552	11,68,667	12,60,000	11,97,000	11,68,000	Revised based on the actuals of first ten months.

XVII.—Police—

Police supplied to Municipal and Town Funds ...	10,268	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Police supplied to Public Departments, Private Companies and persons ...	26,946	29,386	30,792	18,386	30,000	29,000	30,000	...
Presidency Police ...	1,00,780	61,536	76,232	76,107	77,000	77,000	77,000	...
Recoveries on account of Village Police ...	443	448	492	589	1,000	1,000	1,000	...
Fees, Fines and Forfeitures ...	25,950	27,889	25,359	27,104	26,000	27,000	27,000	...
Superannuation receipts ...	...	12	1	.....	....	.....	.....	...
Miscellaneous ...	4,640	6,136	6,089	19,899	6,000	10,000	10,000	The actuals of 1907-08 include sale-proceeds of Government Promissory Notes held in deposit on account of a building for the use of the Superintendent of Police, Chitpur.
Total ...	1,68,016	1,27,406	1,38,985	1,41,084	1,40,000	1,44,000	1,45,000	Revised based on the actuals of first ten months.

XVIII.—Ports and Pilotage—

HEADS.	1904-06.		1906-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1908-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Sale-proceeds of vessels and stores ...	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. 1,580	Rs. 31,000	Rs. 22,000	Rs. 1,000	Revised includes the sale-proceeds of the pilot-vessel <i>Yama</i> .					
Registration and other fees ...	76,171	73,376	73,963	70,848	73,900	74,000	72,900						
Calcutta ...	19,38,990	13,41,016	13,73,690	13,33,777	13,99,000	13,88,000	13,70,000						
Pilotage receipts ...	55	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	100						
Balasore ...	16,170	21,771	16,697	15,376	18,000	16,000	16,000						
Lead-money for Volunteers ...													
Miscellaneous—													
Deductions for mess-money ...	12,955	13,591	12,987	12,526	14,000	13,000	13,000						
Marine Survey ...	24,119	36,763	44,545	39,674	45,000	38,400	40,000						
Overtime fees ...	6,896	7,856	8,192	8,176	8,500	8,400	8,400						
Miscellaneous receipts of the Shipping Office ...	5,848	5,227	5,926	4,725	6,000	4,600	6,000						
Other items ...	5,670	5,029	3,537	3,898	4,500	5,500	4,500						
Fees for certificates of inland vessels under Act VI of 1884 ...	10,779	60	472	70	.....	100	100						
Total Miscellaneous ...	66,267	68,516	76,359	69,128	78,000	70,000	71,000						
GRAND TOTAL ...	14,96,653	15,04,678	15,39,306	14,90,708	16,00,000	16,86,000	16,31,000	Revised based on the actuals of the first ten months.					

XIX.—Education—

	1907-8	1908-9	1909-10	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	Total
Fees, Government Colleges—									
General	1,81,946	1,79,984	1,77,418	1,90,152	1,80,000	1,86,000	1,85,000		
Professional	46,863	46,495	47,152	50,290	48,000	32,000	20,000		
Fees, Government Schools—									
General	2,61,924	2,53,898	2,58,023	2,62,832	2,59,000	2,70,000	2,59,000		
Special	8,818	10,365	12,963	12,289	13,000	19,000	17,000		
Contributions from Native States, private persons and Muni- cipalities	14,963	11,868	10,973	8,864	11,000	12,000	11,200		
Income from endowments ..	1,018	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous	63,715	78,281	• 53,835	41,273	63,000	2,01,000	2,82,800		
Total ...	5,78,646	5,80,881	5,80,354	5,65,590	5,73,000	7,00,000	7,75,000		

XX.—Medical—

	69,867	47,723	51,294	50,601	54,000	63,000	63,000
Medical School and College fees							
Hospital receipts (receipts from paying patients) ...	1,10,099	1,12,985	1,11,387	1,15,101	1,17,000	1,40,000	1,60,000
Lunatic Asylum receipts ...	20,718	26,486	17,386	18,060	20,000	18,000	19,000
Contributions (from Municipalities and private persons) ...	48,554	2,47,903	47,729	48,914	48,000	50,000	48,000
Medicines sold to Civil Surgeons ...	.....	6	29	14	....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous ...	13,399	20,062	16,060	6,244	16,000	11,600	10,000
Total	2,46,357	4,54,165	2,43,355	2,38,934	2,54,000	2,82,000	2,90,000

XXI.—Scientific and other Minor Departments—

Botanical and other public garden receipts ...	2,733	2,106	2,076	1,812	3,000	2,000	2,000
Veterinary and stallion receipts ...	24,143	26,768	28,317	33,339	32,000	37,000	36,000
Cinchona plantation ...	2,24,298	2,12,919	2,06,978	2,06,367	2,20,000	2,03,000	2,23,000
Receipts on account of experimental cultivation ...	737	1,487	2,206	9,817	16,000	18,000	31,000
Public exhibition and fairs ...	....	....	....	280	....	....	....
Emigration fees ...	21,618	27,988	41,684	25,336	30,000	29,000	30,000
Island Labour fees ...	..	....	....	....	10,000	19,000	10,000
Examination fees ...	923	719	1,956	770	1,000	3,000	1,000
Miscellaneous ...	2	1	103	1	....	....	....
Total	2,74,454	2,71,968	2,92,319	2,76,622	3,12,000	3,11,000	3,31,000

Estimate of the Superintendent, Royal Botanic Garden adopted.
Increase for the opening of a new farm at Chinsura.

XXII.—Receipts in aid of Superannuation—

HEADS.	1904-05.	1906-06.	1906-07.	1907-08.	1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.	Actuals.	Actuals.	Actuals.	Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.	Budget estimate.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Family subscriptions of Native members of the Covenanted Civil Service ...	Rs. 1,618	Rs. 1,280	Rs. 1,622	Rs. 1,608	Rs. 2,000	Rs. 2,000	Rs. 2,000		
Contributions for pensions and gratuities—									
Contributions of officers lent to Foreign service of the first and second kinds ...	35,216	34,216	38,826		38,000	36,000	36,000		
Contributions of persons employed in the establishment for the management of private estates under Act X of 1892 ...	10,988	7,754	7,992	49,928	2,000	3,000	3,000		
Contribution of Assistant Surgeons, etc., lent to Municipalities ...	.....	-2,220	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Annuity deductions of Covenanted Civilians lent to Native States, etc., for short terms ...	.....	980	1,680		.....	3,000	2,400		
Refund of Gratuities ...	383	189	40	.....	.....	.....	.....
Deductions for Marine Pension Fund ...	11,576	12,114	12,563	11,751	12,000	12,000	12,000		
Miscellaneous * ...	.....	31,706	66	3,52,977	.....	.....	.....
Deduct—For rounding ...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	66,400		
Total ...	59,730	88,029	62,729	4,15,664	54,000	55,000	55,000		
									The actuals of 1907-08 represent sale-proceeds of the Calcutta Municipal Debentures belonging to the Police Superannuation Fund.

XXIII.—Stationery and Printing—

Stationery receipts ...	807	618	2,243	2,249	2,000	2,000	2,000	
Sales of Gazettes and other publications ...	94,458	94,119	1,00,614	83,561	1,01,930	1,07,000	96,950	
Other Press receipts ...	36,569	28,591	32,063	36,953	32,070	36,000	35,050	
Total ...	1,31,894	1,33,228	1,34,920	1,32,763	1,37,000	1,45,000	1,33,000	Revised based on the actuals of first ten months.

XXV.—Miscellaneous—

Unclaimed deposits...	3,95,044	3,06,363	4,35,132	4,06,717	4,00,000	3,86,000	4,00,000	Revised based on the amount likely to lapse to Government at the close of the year. Budget based on past actuals.
Treasure-trove	118	141	4	1,016	.....	.....	.....
Sale-proceeds of Darbar presents	2,598	1,074	2,120	15,519	3,000	7,000	3,000	Revised based on the actuals of ten months.
Sale of old stores and materials	6,128	1,893	1,278	3,013	2,000	3,000	2,000	
Sale of lands and houses, etc.	2,589	218	6,987	1,919	.....	2,000	.....	Decrease since 1907-08 due to abolition of fees for audit of Municipal and other Excluded Local Funds accounts. Revised and budget based on actual demands.
Fees for Government audits	44,667	48,734	49,984	15,759	15,000	21,000	21,000	
Rents	18,466	18,908	17,066	22,421	20,000	19,000	20,000	
Miscellaneous fees, fines and forfeitures	4,882	2,739	3,155	2,570	3,500	3,000	3,000	
Contributions	23,952	26,870	27,191	.....	.....	.....	.....	Levy of banking fees abolished since 1907-08.
Miscellaneous—								
Fees and fines of Revenue Courts	55,596	55,382	60,196		60,000		66,000	
Recoveries of Law charges other than those in pauper suits	26,875	14,123	16,074		16,000		21,000	
Value of mathematical stores returned	243	1,341	.....		.....		.....
Sundry receipts—Circuit-house	518	182	795		500		500	
Miscellaneous receipts on account of Public Works Cess under Act IX (B.C.) of 1880	33	14	1,643		1,000		1,000	
Miscellaneous receipts on account of Government management of 'Wards' estates	.....	15	404		.....		.....
Sale-proceeds of trees on tea-lands	.....	748	205		.....		.....	A new item anticipated by the Commissioner of Fisheries. The receipts in 1908-09 have been taken as a set off against expenditure.
Sale of fish	.....	.....	.....		.....		16,000	
Sale of elephants	.....	39	12,900		.....		11,000	
Other items	19,164	25,943	13,966		19,000		19,500	
Total Miscellaneous	1,02,429	97,757	1,06,183	1,17,521	96,500	94,000	1,84,000	Revised based on the actuals of first ten months.
GRAND TOTAL	5,95,634	5,04,662	6,50,180	5,86,455	5,40,000	5,35,000	6,83,000	

A.A.I.A.—MAJOR WORKS—(DIRECT RECEIPTS)—

HEADS.	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1907-08.	1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.	Actuals.	Actuals.	Actuals.	Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1.	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Orissa Canals ...	Rs. 3,88,900	Rs. 4,61,355	Rs. 5,01,729	Rs. 4,87,689	Rs. 5,10,000	Rs. 5,15,000	Rs. 5,10,000		
Midnapore Canal ...	2,06,215	2,10,823	1,56,521	1,53,330	1,68,000	1,68,000	1,70,000		
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	46,243	70,448	71,515	68,703	66,000	63,000	62,000		
Sone Canals ...	14,05,810	13,95,528	15,64,819	16,63,380	16,63,000	18,43,000	16,75,000		The increase in the revised is due to more extended <i>rabi</i> irrigation.
Dhaka Canal ...	...	...	2,944	17,868	11,000	22,000	19,000		The increase in the revised is due to the development of irrigation.
Total ...	20,46,167	21,39,054	22,97,528	23,80,950	24,18,000	26,00,000	24,36,000		

XXX.—Minor Works and Navigation—

IN CHARGE OF THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.	1,28,316	1,19,391	1,14,382	1,07,147	1,07,000	1,04,000	1,07,000	Budget based on actual demand.
	14,517	2,769	4,306	.....	.....	.....	.....
Recoveries on account of lands benefited by embankments ...								
Recoveries on account of capitalised charges of the Rajapur drainage ...								
Total in charge of the Civil Department ...	1,42,833	1,22,160	1,18,688	1,07,147	1,07,000	1,04,000	1,07,000	
IN CHARGE OF THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT. (Irrigation and Navigation Works.)								
Works for which Capital and Revenue accounts are kept—								
Orissa Coast Canal ...	32,239	30,600	37,738	25,049	27,000	18,000	27,000	
Saran Canals ...	685	777	797	717	700	1,000	800	
Calcutta and Eastern Canals		4,83,745	5,03,968	5,23,510	5,00,000	4,11,900	4,50,000	
Madariapur Bhul scheme ...						36,000	61,000	
Total ...	5,61,080	5,16,123	5,42,503	5,49,276	5,27,700	4,86,000	5,28,800	The decrease in the revised is due chiefly to the falling off in navigation receipts.

Works for which only Revenue accounts are kept—	88,412	1,02,694	45,515	35,235	40,200	25,000	40,000
Nadia Rivers ...	6,700	4,500	3,000	2,500	3,000	4,500	4,500
Gaighatta and Buxi Kham ...							
Total ...	95,112	1,07,184	48,515	37,735	43,200	29,500	44,500
Works for which neither Capital nor Revenue accounts are kept—							
Eden Canal ...	24,638	22,164	29,131	18,968	20,500	17,500	20,500
Tour " ...	276	920	1,636	5,523	3,700	5,000	5,200
Sugarcane irrigation in Bihar ...			2,000				
Dumodiar project ...		1,200					
Total ...	24,914	23,684	32,766	24,751	24,100	22,500	25,700
Total Irrigation and Navigation Works ...	6,31,056	6,45,990	6,23,784	6,11,792	6,95,000	6,18,000	5,99,000
(Agricultural Works.)							
Works for which only Revenue accounts are kept—							
Maara Hat Drainage Project...			93	938			
Works for which neither Capital nor Revenue accounts are kept—							
Government embankments	15,619	17,429	31,917	13,791	11,000	11,000	12,000
Takari embankments under contract ...	4,449	4,426	4,706	26,331	16,000	21,000	22,000
Total Agricultural Works...	20,068	21,855	36,715	41,080	27,000	32,000	34,000
Total in charge of the Public Works Department ...	7,01,154	6,67,845	6,60,499	6,52,852	6,92,000	5,50,000	6,33,000
GRAND TOTAL ...	8,43,987	7,90,005	7,79,187	7,59,999	7,29,000	6,54,000	7,40,000

XXXII.—Civil Works—

HEADS.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
IN CHARGE OF THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.													
Tolls on ferries ...	1,75,312	1,80,903	1,72,842	1,67,800	1,76,000	1,74,000	1,70,000						
Cemetery receipts ...	1,350	2,054	1,935	1,421	2,000	2,000	2,000						
Receipts from staging bungalows ...	7,115	8,693	6,457	7,651	7,000	8,000	8,000						
and encamping grounds ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total in charge of the Civil Department ...	1,83,777	1,91,890	1,81,234	1,76,872	1,85,000	1,84,000	1,80,000						
IN CHARGE OF THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.													
Total gross receipts ...	3,89,393	2,25,868	3,19,695	3,41,459	3,00,000	3,55,000	3,55,000						
GRAND TOTAL ...	5,73,170	4,17,758	5,00,929	5,18,331	4,85,000	5,39,000	5,35,000						

Contributions—

Contribution from Incorporated Local Funds ...	47,000	49,520	4,98,937	55,349
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APPENDIX B.

Bengal Provincial Expenditure, in detail by minor heads.

[Figures in columns (7) and (8) are those accepted by the Government of India.]

The remarks in column 9, except where otherwise specially explained, refer to difference between columns 6 and 8.

1.—Refunds and Drawbacks—

HEADS.	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.	REMARKS.
	Actuals.	Actuals.	Actuals.	Actuals.	Budget estimate.	Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Land Revenue ...	Rs. 8,747	Rs. 10,302	Rs. 17,666	Rs. 28,397	Rs. 29,000	Rs. 20,000	Rs. 23,000		
Stamps...	65,163	76,502	72,478	75,809	75,000	81,000	77,000		
Excise ...	7,660	13,234	5,015	19,125	10,000	11,000	10,000		
Assessed Taxes	6,524	4,039	9,013	10,460	10,000	8,000	10,000		
Forest ...	257	292	723	1,021	1,000	1,000	1,000		
Provincial Rates	8,187	6,690	9,433	12,566	8,000	8,000	10,000		
Registration	2,166	2,490	2,852	3,717	3,000	3,000	3,000		
Total	99,093	1,13,549	1,15,578	1,51,195	1,27,000	1,32,000	1,34,000		Revised based on the actuals of the first ten months.

2.—Assignments and Compensations—

Pension in lieu of resumed lands	.....	270	1,411	1,465	2,500	1,000	2,000		
Malikana	1,14,854	38,522	67,568	61,354	67,500	68,000	68,000		
Excise Compensation	.....	.....	345	200	150	.....	400		Budget includes compensation payable to the Maharaja of Morbhani.
For rounding	.....	.....	.....	.....	—150	.....	—400		
Total	1,14,854	38,792	69,324	63,019	70,000	67,000	70,000		Revised based on the actuals of the first ten months.

B.—Land Revenue—

HEADS.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.	2	Actuals.	3	Actuals.	4	Actuals.	5	Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.	8	
1													.9
Charges of District Administration—													
General Establishment ...	20,43,740		20,89,860		22,21,444		23,76,163		25,40,000	24,67,000	26,23,000		Increase in budget for 1908-09 is due to increased provision for increase in cadre of Deputy Collectors and Sub-Deputy Collectors. Budget 1909-10 includes Rs. 80,000 for additional Deputy Collectors for Settlement duty, of which a moiety is included under this head and a moiety under "Courts of Law."
Subdivisional Establishment	92,066		95,980		1,08,262		1,13,627		1,13,600	1,17,000	1,16,000		
Partition Establishment ...	—23,444		—2,624		27,024		—31,478		—2,000	—47,000	—2,000		
Process-serving Establishment	1,20,913		1,25,436		1,49,341		1,51,671		1,55,000	1,53,000	1,59,000		
Record-room (or copy-making) Establishment ...	11,614		34,934		46,180		37,438		31,000	39,000	39,000		
Survey of Waste Lands ...	—33,996		10,053		2,557		149		...	.....	6,000		
Management of Private Estates under Act X of 1862 ...	23,664		22,619		25,528		29,606		35,500	33,000	39,000		Increase due to establishments for new estates coming under Government management.
Lamp provision for increase of pay of Ministerial Establishment ...	.....		.....		.....		...		1,40,000	.....	1,40,000		
Deduct—Probable savings	.....		.....		.....		.....		30,17,000	.....	30,20,000		
Total ...	22,39,957		23,76,368		25,80,326		26,77,176		29,67,000	27,62,000	30,00,000		
Charges on account of Land Revenue Collections ...	1,107		1,162		1,432		1,542		1,600	1,000	4,000		
Management of Government Estates—													
Collection of Revenue ...	241,870		2,04,168		2,29,981		2,62,610		2,28,000		2,51,000		
Outlay on improvements ...	1,64,686		2,71,616		2,27,480		2,76,922		1,09,000		74,000		Decrease in 1908-09 and 1909-10 due to smaller provision for Fraserganj reclamation work.
Grants to District Road Fund, Sonthal Parganas, for improvements in Government Estates ...	.....		.....		.....		.....		31,000		32,000		Provision made under this head, owing to abolition of the adjusting head "Contribution."
Total	4,06,456		4,76,084		4,57,461		5,39,532		3,85,000	4,00,000	3,57,000		

3.—Land Revenue—concluded

Survey and Settlement— Controlling Office (survey) ...	11,118	7,360	6,638	6,772	....	....	....
Other survey operations— Bengal Drawing Office ...	78,740	53,840	63,975	26,425	46,911	35,451	...
Other operations ...	1,02,810	44,378	72,121	17,283	63,798	79,430	...
Minor settlement operations ...	79,696	65,631	1,16,571	1,03,719	30,000	30,000	...
Other ditto ...	70,643	1,20,331	1,43,772	75,760	1,03,847	1,06,736	...
Refund to Imperial on account of survey and settlement of Government and temporary estates ...	...	...	...	...	6,000	6,000	...
For rounding ...	...	...	...	...	2,40,656	2,57,620	...
Total ...	3,42,403	2,91,430	4,03,067	2,28,948	2,40,640	2,58,600	Estimate based on actual requirements.
Land Records— Superintendence ...	56,006	63,360	36,872	36,918	28,000	26,000	...
District charges ...	24,904	19,604	47,743	2,34,207	2,52,000	2,90,000	Increase in 1908-09 and 1909-10 due to increased provision for bringing Survey and Settlement records up to date.
Total ...	80,910	82,964	84,615	2,71,125	2,80,000	3,20,000	...
Lump deduction as probable savings ...	...	...	...	...	38,57,000	40,60,000	...
Grand Total ...	30,70,836	32,27,988	36,26,901	37,18,922	37,86,000	40,09,000	Revised based on the actuals of the first ten months.

6 — Stamps—

HEADS.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Superintendence— Presidency Executive Estab- lishment District Establishment Total	Rs. 19,993 6,489 25,882	Rs. 7,084 7,084	Rs. 10,473 11,473	Rs. 9,101 9,101	Rs. 9,000 9,000	Rs. 25,000 25,000	Rs. 30,000 30,000						A portion of the establishment of the Calcutta Collectorate previously debited to Excise is now shown under this head. Budget includes Rs 4,000 for the purchase of a stamping machine for the Calcutta Collectorate.
Charges for the sale of general stamps— Discount on sale of one anna stamps Discount on sale of unified stamps Discount on sale of bills-of-exchange or hundies Discount on sale of other general stamps Total	Rs. 24,380 5,493 81,978 1,11,791	Rs. 19,727 2,825 4,507 90,629 1,11,388	Rs. 216 5,182 1,12,734 1,18,112	Rs. 5,350 1,15,116 1,30,466	Rs. 5,000 1,21,000 1,26,000	Rs. 5,000 1,18,000 1,23,000	Rs. 5,000 1,21,000 1,26,000						No discount is now allowed.
Charges on sale of Court-fee stamps— Discount on sale of adhesive stamps Discount on sale of stamps for copies Establishment for sale of stamps For rounding Total	Rs. 62,341 5,424 1,226 68,991	Rs. 66,474 5,132 1,288 74,894	Rs. 66,879 7,123 1,611 75,613	Rs. 67,855 6,211 2,662 76,726	Rs. 72,000 7,000 1,464 80,000	Rs. 70,000 6,000 1,000 77,000	Rs. 76,000 6,000 1,464 82,000						Increase in view of the increase in receipts.
Discount on plain paper Stamp paper supplied from Central Stores GRAND TOTAL Provincial share	Rs. 11,083 2,02,797 4,20,544 2,10,273	Rs. 11,441 2,34,438 4,35,545 2,19,272	Rs. 11,832 1,91,990 4,08,020 2,04,010	Rs. 11,829 1,91,830 4,09,954 2,04,977	Rs. 12,000 2,56,000 4,83,000 2,41,000	Rs. 12,000 2,43,000 4,80,000 2,40,000	Rs. 12,000 2,56,000 5,06,000 2,52,000						The estimates furnished by the Controller of Printing, Stationery and Stamps have been adopted. Revised based on the actuals of the first ten months.

7—Excise—

Superintendence ...	83,197	73,032	86,184	83,833	89,000	89,000	90,000
Presidency Establishment— Calcutta Collectorate (office)	61,656	61,947	68,118	61,108	61,812	42,000	40,988
Inspection and Prevention ...	16,902	26,899	22,782	25,280	29,112	23,000	20,718
Allowances and Contingencies	28,103	23,929	21,145	22,288	29,944	23,000	25,872
For rounding					1,14,888 + 132		87,553 — 652
Total ..	1,06,690	1,12,715	1,07,045	1,08,731	1,15,000	88,000	87,000
District Executive Establish- ment—							
Sadar Establishment	1,04,699	1,07,269	1,10,267	1,10,466	1,56,865	1,12,000	1,37,580
Inspection and Prevention	1,27,460	1,79,303	1,90,302	1,93,236	2,09,820	2,03,000	2,31,592
Allowances ...	1,00,479	1,06,191	1,22,691	1,42,246	1,41,500	1,52,000	1,58,673
Probable savings					6,08,185 — 36,185		5,27,846 28,846
	9,82,628	3,91,763	4,33,160	4,45,947	4,72,000	4,67,000	4,99,000
Distilleries—							
Presidency Establishment	8,623	9,026	10,650	11,560	12,000	12,500	14,000
District Establishment	1,00,843	1,09,209	1,16,781	1,22,988	1,12,000	1,43,600	1,40,000
Grand Total	6,81,881	6,89,745	7,43,120	7,73,049	8,00,000	8,00,000	8,30,000
Provincial share ...	2,98,923	3,01,763	3,71,660	3,86,524	4,00,000	4,00,000	4,15,000

Decrease in budget is due to a portion of the Calcutta Collectorate establishment being now debited to "Land Revenue" and "Stamps," instead of wholly to "Excise."

Decrease in revised is for savings under "Rewards." Budget also provides smaller grant for the same.

The decrease in the revised is for non-utilization of the lump grant of Rs. 50,000 for revision of establishment. Budget includes Rs. 25,000 for the purpose.

Budget includes provision for temporary establishment in connexion with the extension of the Contract Distillery System in different districts.

Larger provision has been made for travelling allowance, as first class rates have been sanctioned for Special Deputy Collectors, and for larger grant for grain allowance.

The increase in the revised is under "Supplies and Services." Budget includes Rs. 12,000 for increase of pay of ministerial officers, and Rs. 15,000 to meet the cost of urgent petty works in Distillery buildings.

8.—Provincial Rates—

HEADS.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget Estimate	Revised Estimate	Budget Estimate		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Collection of Rates and Cesses... Valuation and Revaluation ...	2,38,227 67,744	2,39,435 79,646	1,56,311 91,198	1,19,062 80,323	1,29,000 64,600	1,25,000 44,000	1,35,000 36,000	Budget includes provision for increase of pay of ministerial officers. Estimate based on actual requirements.					
Total ...	3,06,971	3,06,981	2,47,447	1,99,375	1,89,000	1,69,000	1,71,000						
Deduct—Proportion debitable to Local for cost of road- cess collection ...	2,06,514	2,08,342	1,65,468	1,16,504	86,000	1,13,000	90,000						
" —Proportion debitable to Local for revaluation ...					36,400		24,000						
" —One-third share of re- coveries on account of collection of arrear cesses ...	40,830	39,616	19,231	1,002	3,400	1,400	1,000						
" —Contribution for pension of the cess-collecting establishment ...	6,297	7,066	6,874	6,487	7,400	7,000	7,000						
Add—Grant to District Road Funds as Government share of the cost of collecting Public Works cess and revaluation charges ...	.....	.. ..	.....	.....	1,000	1,000	1,000						
Total ...	53,390	56,968	55,764	46,282	52,000	46,000	50,000						

10.—Assessed Taxes—

Calcutta Establishment ...	69,432	79,381	86,907	85,060	89,400	90,000	93,000	Budget includes Rs. 3,000 for revision of establishment.
District ditto ...	59,246	64,522	63,323	68,011	68,400	70,000	71,000	Ditto " 1,000 for raising the pay of assessors' clerks, and Rs. 2,000 for a temporary assessor and his establishment in Burdwan.
Total ...	1,28,678	1,43,903	1,50,230	1,53,061	1,57,800	1,60,000	1,64,000	
Provincial share ...	32,169	36,976	75,115	76,531	79,000	80,000	82,000	

11.—Forests—

<i>A.—Conservancy and Works.</i>									
I.—Timber and other produce removed from the forests by Government agency ...	47,856	47,393	28,569	16,672	10,800	10,000	7,700		
II.—Timber and other produce removed from the forests by consumers and purchasers	78,771	87,286	91,956	96,646	97,700	97,000	98,500		
III.—Confiscated drift and wail-wood	316	2,237	620	1,742	1,300	1,600	1,300		
V.—Rent of leased forests and payment to shareholders in forests managed by Government ...	.....	.....	27,030	5,300	.....	.....	6,000		Budget represents provision for payment of the share of profits to the Raja of Porahat.
VI.—Live-stock, stores, tools and plant	9,108	4,212	14,329	26,079	40,500	41,300	9,300		No provision made for any new launches.
VII.—Communications and buildings	69,807	71,862	75,116	70,735	79,000	65,000	77,900		
VIII.—Demarcation, improvement and extension of forests	50,143	40,010	52,644	1,74,109	81,779	82,700	44,900		Variations are chiefly for expenditure on survey operations.
IX.—Miscellaneous	4,042	3,538	7,326	4,322	7,400	7,400	5,400		
<i>Deduct—Probable savings</i> ...					2,18,479				
Total A.—Conservancy and Works	2,50,043	2,56,538	3,27,339	3,95,605	2,94,000	3,05,000	2,51,000		
<i>B.—Establishment.</i>									
I.—Salaries	2,07,766	2,12,502	2,43,211	2,46,749	2,92,000	2,40,000	2,01,500		Provision made in budget for the full sanctioned scale. The decrease in the revised is due to change of officers and savings under establishment.
II.—Allowances	34,892	36,095	49,837	60,709	61,000	65,000	62,800		
III.—Contingencies	9,644	10,973	12,472	10,331	13,000	14,000	11,700		The increase is for larger payments of grain allowance.
Total B.—Establishment	2,52,302	2,59,570	3,04,560	3,17,789	3,26,000	3,17,000	3,30,000		
Total A and B	5,02,345	5,16,408	6,32,489	7,13,394	6,20,000	6,22,000	5,87,000		
Provincial share	1,25,586	1,29,102	3,16,244	3,56,697	3,10,000	3,11,000	2,98,000		

18.—Registration—

HEADS.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Superintendence ..	Rs. 55,228	Rs. 51,215	Rs. 48,863	Rs. 47,180	Rs. 47,000	Rs. 50,000	Rs. 51,000						
District Charges—													
Calcutta ..	23,292	25,260	30,644	30,923	31,000	31,000	32,000						
District Sub-Registrars ..	1,49,643	1,51,399	1,60,306	2,50,937	1,80,000	2,15,500	1,83,000						The increase in the revised is under "Allowances and Contingencies," owing to debit of certain charges of Sub-Registrars to this head.
Sub-Registrars ..	3,57,088	3,79,307	4,01,003	4,21,880	6,40,500	6,32,500	5,56,000						Budget includes provision for larger number of Sub-Registrars and their establishment, and as well as larger temporary establishment in reference to probable requirements.
Ex-officio Sub-Registrars ..	1,910	1,269	1,872	1,233	1,500	3,000	2,000						
Total District charges ..	5,31,933	5,57,055	5,93,824	7,04,973	7,53,000	7,82,000	7,73,000						Increase since 1907-08 due to reorganization of the Department.
Lamp deduction as probable savings ..					8,00,000								
					30,000								
TOTAL ..	5,87,161	6,08,240	6,42,637	7,52,163	7,70,000	8,32,000	8,24,100						Revised based on the actuals of first ten months.

19.—Interest on Ordinary Debt—

HEADS.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
Interest on Provincial Advance and Loan Account ..	1,82,758	2,10,391	2,30,536	3,02,231	2,90,000	6,02,000	6,92,000						Based on the estimated mean outstanding balances of loans.

18.—General Administration—

Salary of Lieutenant-Governor	96,000	96,000	1,04,841	96,116	96,000	96,000	96,000
Salary of officers belonging to other provinces last paid in Bengal	13,073	7,768	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Staff and household of Lieutenant-Governor	87,835	1,37,971	1,19,844	1,29,591	94,000	1,21,000	1,05,000
Expenditure from contract allowance	35,176	61,146	50,000	59,182	50,000	50,000	50,000
Tour expenses	2,981	1,857	1,927	4,128	2,000	2,000	3,000
Legislative Department	60,970	88,298	76,693	80,273	91,000	94,000	1,07,000
Civil Secretariat	6,40,180	6,40,186	6,13,470	6,38,366	6,41,000	6,28,000	6,58,000
Board of Revenue	3,09,496	3,15,046	3,13,983	3,08,648	3,16,000	3,04,000	3,04,000
Commissioners	4,37,700	5,22,401	5,13,084	4,73,721	4,88,000	4,79,000	6,08,000
Civil Officers of Account and Audit	43,785	49,004	47,845	89,618	98,000	91,000	1,01,000
Lump Deduction	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19,32,000
Total	17,27,196	19,28,688	18,41,137	18,73,549	18,76,000	18,69,000	19,10,000

Revised based on the actuals of the first ten months.

19A.—Courts of Law—

GRADE.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
High Court — Judges	Rs. 7,48,261	Rs. 7,51,139	Rs. 7,15,120	Rs. 7,17,422	Rs. 7,52,000	Rs. 7,46,000	Rs. 7,53,000						
Original Side	2,59,722	2,63,932	2,73,431	2,73,333	2,78,000	2,75,000	2,78,000						
Appellate Side	2,46,389	2,88,915	2,78,963	2,91,115	2,98,000	2,94,000	3,08,000						Increase due to revision of establishment.
Copyists' Establishment	69,717	42,937	51,768	43,414	44,000	42,000	44,000						
Reporters	24,864	24,864	24,972	23,186	25,000	25,000	25,000						
Total	13,48,753	13,71,787	13,44,254	13,51,469	13,97,000	13,82,000	14,08,000						
Law Officers— English Law Officers	98,833	1,08,499	93,658	1,41,765	1,23,500	1,37,000	1,38,000						Budget includes provision for increase in the salary of the Advocate-General and larger grant for charges for conducting law suits.
Legal Remembrancer and High Court Pleaders	99,117	92,400	89,777	1,28,541	1,16,000	2,16,000	1,30,000						Budget includes a lump provision of Rs. 6,000 for raising the salary of the Public Prosecutor in Calcutta and for larger grant for fees to pleaders.
Mufassal Establishment	1,39,612	1,38,371	2,21,200	1,85,115	1,86,500	5,64,000	2,00,000						Budget includes larger grant for fees to Counsels and pleaders.
Total	8,87,562	3,39,270	4,04,635	4,55,421	4,26,000	9,07,000	4,68,000						Revised includes special prosecution charges.
Coroner's Court	8,421	7,562	7,839	7,665	8,000	8,000	8,000						
Presidency Magistrates— Calcutta Police Court	81,041	98,952	1,07,908	1,18,015	1,18,000	1,05,000	1,09,000						The decrease is due to change of officers.
Municipal Magistrates	.....	3,427	647	6,513	7,000	7,000	8,000						

Civil and Sessions Courts— District and Sessions Judges ...	8,56,167	9,66,073	8,66,128	8,81,121	8,98,638	8,87,000	8,80,622	Increase in budget is due to provision for the appointment of an Additional District Judge and his establishment.
Subordinate Judge ...	4,04,773	4,35,096	4,41,962	4,39,972	4,47,140	4,31,000	4,23,892	
Muzaffar Small Cause Court	16,843	17,560	18,184	17,938	18,376	16,000	13,128	
Munsifs ...	9,94,429	9,96,016	10,28,165	10,26,466	10,38,937	10,37,000	10,19,106	Budget includes salaries of existing Munsifs, with Rs. 15,000 for regrading and temporary officers.
Allowances ...	20,492	24,166	23,965	1,23,722	1,13,000	1,01,000	1,10,000	
Supplies and Services ...	2,44,963	2,51,929	2,76,985	2,99,791	2,80,800	3,00,000	3,09,292	Budget includes larger grant for allowances to Jurors and Assessors and for remuneration to copyists.
Contingencies ...	84,419	86,916	91,775	98,765	98,412	1,15,000	1,06,315	Budget includes larger grant for new Judges.
Process-serving Establishment	4,24,754	4,14,573	4,54,541	4,73,500	4,83,768	5,06,000	5,09,262	Budget includes larger grant for grain allowance in view of the actuals of 1908-09.
Deduct—Probable savings ...	.....	... ..	.....	.....	(—)60,871	.....	(—)18,617	
Total ...	90,46,239	90,70,728	93,70,705	93,28,565	93,63,000	93,72,000	93,53,000	
Presidency Court of Small Causes	1,63,781	1,63,296	1,71,625	1,58,623	1,73,000	1,73,000	1,72,000	
Orignal Courts— General Establishment ...	17,39,523	18,14,610	18,26,436	18,50,339	19,00,000	19,60,000	19,50,000	Both revised and budget include larger grants for establishment, diet money for witnesses and remuneration to copyists.
Subdivisional Establishment...	92,066	1,01,445	1,08,252	1,19,627	1,13,500	1,17,000	1,16,000	
Process-serving Establishment	84,460	90,099	99,560	1,01,114	1,03,000	1,02,000	1,06,000	
Tributary Mahals, Orissa ...	1,350	1,992	1,472	1,816	.....	1,000	.....
Deduct—Probable savings ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	(—)500	.....	.....
Total ...	19,17,369	20,07,546	20,96,720	20,66,395	21,16,000	21,80,000	21,72,000	
Pleaderhip Examination charges	12,013	12,556	13,338	13,098	14,000	14,000	14,000	
Refunds ...	63,517	56,303	53,285	55,233	53,000	52,000	55,000	
Lump provision for increase of pay of Ministerial Establishment ...	.....	... ..	.....	.....	2,17,000	.....	2,40,000	
Lump deduction for probable savings ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	77,82,000	.....	80,07,000	
Total ...	69,79,696	71,28,326	74,09,966	75,61,397	76,75,000	82,00,000	79,30,000	

19B.—Jails—

HEADS.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Superintendence ...	Rs. 51,742	Rs. 57,429	Rs. 57,840	Rs. 69,887	Rs. 57,000	Rs. 62,000	Rs. 57,000	Rs. 57,000					The increase in the revised is under establishment for revision of the Jail Code.
Establishments—													Increase due to reorganization of Jailors' service.
Superintendent's and Jailors ...	1,92,797	1,98,374	1,89,553	1,86,628	1,97,000	2,00,000	1,86,628	2,00,000					
Medical Establishment ...	28,570	26,523	30,522	30,760	30,000	31,000	30,760	31,000					
Clerical, Educational and Mechanical Establishments	799	902	220	456	400	400	456	400					
Warder Establishment	1,56,329	1,60,757	1,64,290	1,58,366	1,69,000	1,77,000	1,58,366	1,77,000					Increase due to reorganization of warder establishment.
Menial and other Establishments	9,190	9,669	10,322	10,479	10,000	10,600	10,479	10,600					
Bonus to low-paid servants of Government ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dietary Charges ...	4,19,040	5,11,565	7,56,490	7,82,701	6,68,000	8,21,000	7,82,701	8,21,000					Increased provision made in view of past actuals.
Hospital Charges ...	66,618	66,070	67,698	72,444	69,480	70,000	72,444	70,000					
Clothing and Bedding of Prisoners	62,136	83,971	54,991	76,455	60,000	76,000	76,455	76,000					Ditto
Sanitation Charges ...	28,634	83,103	28,280	36,529	32,000	40,000	36,529	40,000					
Charges for moving Prisoners ...	42,290	46,449	44,386	38,814	43,000	45,000	38,814	45,000					
Miscellaneous Services and Supplies	89,828	82,854	1,06,194	87,186	1,40,820	93,000	87,186	93,000					Budget for 1908-09 included Rs. 32,000 for improvement of warders' service which has been debited to the proper head.
Allowances	7,831	9,380	27,606	37,876	38,000	35,000	37,876	35,000					
Contingent Charges	31,978	31,798	34,091	36,394	35,260	37,000	36,394	37,000					
Extraordinary Charges for Live-stock and Tools and Plant	25,641	21,175	41,780	23,156	26,785	31,000	23,156	31,000					
Charges for Police Custody	11,354	11,198	13,397	14,905	13,295	19,000	14,905	19,000					
For rounding ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Jails ...	12,29,768	13,47,537	16,27,400	16,63,066	16,90,000	17,52,000	16,63,066	17,52,000					Decrease in the revised is due to smaller expenditure on raw materials and European stores. The budget has been placed at a low figure in view of the decrease in receipts.
Jail Manufactures ...	6,78,305	11,02,683	10,36,024	10,33,786	10,60,000	9,90,000	10,33,786	9,90,000					
Refunds ...	172	14	12	100	...	...	100	...					
Total ...	19,02,245	24,50,234	26,63,436	26,96,952	26,50,000	27,42,000	26,96,952	27,42,000					

90.—Police.

Presidency Police— Police Commissioner (Super- intendence) ...		72,685	60,037	68,330	66,995	64,000	76,000	73,000	The increase in the revised is under Salaries. Budget includes increased provision for the revised scale of establishment sanctioned, and for a short-hand writer. Budget includes provision for a larger number of constables for Courts, Government House, lock-up and reserve, and increased grants for grain allowances and tents, rates and taxes. The increase in the revised is under Salaries.
Calcutta Police ...		7,75,896	8,72,201	9,74,220	9,91,251	10,20,834	10,11,000	10,65,000	
Hospital Charges	22,038	32,970	28,300	• 41,000	30,000	The charges are now adjusted under District Police Force. Larger payments for secret service and contingencies in the office of the Inspector-General have led to the increase in the revised. Secret service payments have been provided for under Criminal Investigation Department in budget for next year. Budget includes larger provision for establishment and contingencies. Increase in budget due to reorganization. Budget includes provision of 24 bandmen transferred from District Force and additional instructing staff. Provision of Rs. 50,000 made in the budget for revision of establishment. Budget includes larger Government contribution towards cost of diet of patients. Grain-compensation allowance has raised the expenditure under this head. Budget includes larger provision for horse and conveyance allowances and larger grant for travelling allowances due to increase in staff.
Special Police	...	.....	.....	• 51,032	16,007	41,866	37,000	40,000
Cattle pounds	...	.....	.....	2,330	1,426	2,600	2,000	2,000
River Police	...	.....	.....	14,334	2,615	20,000	16,000	22,000
Salt Police	...	9,777	20,749	449	.....	.....	.....	.....
Police Dead-house	...	3,310	3,336	1,362	1,695	1,500	1,000	1,500	
Lump provision for Police reform	...	648	1,076	.....	.....	40,000	.....	.....
For rounding	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	...	8,62,315	9,57,399	11,34,375	11,12,959	12,19,000	11,84,000	12,33,000	
Municipal Police	...	42,700	48,565	54,605	55,793	90,000	8,000	The charges are now adjusted under District Police Force. Larger payments for secret service and contingencies in the office of the Inspector-General have led to the increase in the revised. Secret service payments have been provided for under Criminal Investigation Department in budget for next year. Budget includes larger provision for establishment and contingencies. Increase in budget due to reorganization. Budget includes provision of 24 bandmen transferred from District Force and additional instructing staff. Provision of Rs. 50,000 made in the budget for revision of establishment. Budget includes larger Government contribution towards cost of diet of patients. Grain-compensation allowance has raised the expenditure under this head. Budget includes larger provision for horse and conveyance allowances and larger grant for travelling allowances due to increase in staff.
Superintendence	...	1,85,253	1,98,102	2,28,773	2,29,127	2,12,000	2,75,000	2,28,000	
District Police Force—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salaries	...	3,60,565	3,60,375	4,61,750	4,78,864	5,50,000	5,22,000	5,80,000	
Police Force	...	23,14,569	27,84,398	30,27,830	31,93,949	31,00,000	33,51,000	34,95,000	
Training Schools	...	27,594	1,12,299	1,47,147	1,27,233	1,25,000	1,31,000	1,40,000	
Establishment	...	1,02,754	1,03,952	1,08,372	1,09,399	1,20,000	1,11,000	1,52,000	
Hospital Charges	...	32,975	37,054	42,451	45,632	40,000	45,000	48,000	
Allowances	...	2,95,580	3,34,203	5,27,688	8,24,968	6,60,000	9,04,000	9,00,000	
Supplies and Services	...	4,46,997	4,69,356	6,81,444	6,23,948	4,85,000	5,68,000	4,87,000	
Contingencies	...	1,43,252	1,33,204	1,72,131	1,78,897	2,46,000	2,57,000	2,55,000	Budget includes the special assignment of 2½ lakhs to be distributed between Presidency and District Police.
Other Police	...	23,781	30,689	28,380	26,602	16,000	25,000	12,000	
Lump provision for Reorganization	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,60,000	.....	2,65,000
Total	...	37,47,168	43,65,540	50,57,193	55,08,002	57,22,000	59,18,000	63,34,000	

Hrads.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1908-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Village Police ...	Rs. 52,883	Rs. 48,411	Rs. 40,949	Rs. 41,454	Rs. 43,000	Rs. 46,030	Rs. 47,000	Budget includes larger grant for rewards.					
Criminal Investigation Department ...	.....	.....	73,849	1,30,918	1,40,000	1,36,000	1,32,000	Budget includes Rs. 20,000 for secret service money, and lump provision of Rs. 25,000 for additional force, &c.					
Special Police—													
Bengal Military Police ...	61,774	62,107	66,760	60,955	62,500	61,000	64,000	Increase due to the conversion of the Ranchi Special Reserve into a Gurkha Company.					
Sikkim State Police ...	5,081	2,919	1,800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Upper Burma Police Depot ...	4,825	4,863	4,841	8,987	5,500	6,000	6,000	.....				
Frontier Police, Chittagong ...	287	2,849	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ditto, Angul ...	32,834	28,485	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	94,801	91,222	62,401	69,942	68,000	67,000	70,000						
Railway Police—													
East Indian Railway Police ...	55,882	59,324	62,542	74,496	92,000	89,000	99,000	Budget includes larger provision for police force.					
Eastern System Railway Police ...	70,337	89,836	1,18,672	1,39,675	1,24,000	1,06,000	1,18,000	The saving in the revised is under police force.					
Assam-Bengal Railway Police ...	263	1,040	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bengal and North-Western and Tirhut State Railway Police ...	10,525	11,490	13,933	17,353	22,000	17,000	25,000						
Bengal-Nagpur Railway ...	12,025	14,694	17,001	21,539	28,000	26,000	30,000						
Cooch Behar Police ...	.....	.....	-578	.....	600	.....	.....				
Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway Police ...	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	.....			
Bengal Central Railway Police For rounding ...	4,408	1,773	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Total ...	1,53,428	1,76,167	2,11,570	2,48,086	2,66,000	2,37,000	2,72,000						
Cattle-pounds ...	1,767	433	1,189	-161	1,000	1,000	1,000						
Refunds ...	16,786	4,845	638	1,246	1,000	1,000	1,000						
Contributions to Local Funds ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	1,000	.....					
GRAND TOTAL ...	51,57,102	58,92,674	69,05,442	79,93,346	77,63,000	78,75,000	83,75,000	Revised includes Rs. 48,000 for bonus paid to low-paid officers					

22.—Education—

HEADS.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
University	Rs. 2,00,000	Rs. 87,149	Rs. 80,754	Rs. 83,103	Rs. 80,000	Rs. 93,000	Rs. Nil	Budget omits provision, as no grant has been sanctioned by the Government of India.					
Ditto for Law College	88,657	97,515	1,20,621	1,23,210	1,00,000	1,12,000	4,000	Budget includes provision for an Additional Assistant Director already employed. The increase in the revised is also due to the same cause.					
Direction													
Inspection—													
Inspectors of European Schools	13,461	19,808	23,141	31,978	27,000	32,000	25,100	The increase in the revised is under Salaries.					
Inspectors of other schools	2,35,526	2,70,980	4,41,561	6,95,280	6,60,600	7,21,000	6,91,000	The increase in 1908-07 and succeeding years is due to the retransfer of Subordinate Inspecting Agencies from the control of the District Boards and to reorganisation of the department. The increase in the revised is for larger expenditure under Allowances.					
Lump provision for house allowance of Inspecting Officers in Calcutta	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,500	
Inspector of Hostels and Students' Messes	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	1,000	400		
Deduct—Probable savings					6,88,000								
Total	2,48,587	2,90,783	4,64,702	6,27,258	6,60,000	7,54,000	7,18,000						
Government Colleges, General—													
English Colleges—													
Arts Colleges for boys	2,32,452	3,37,169	3,77,382	4,65,902	4,24,000	4,50,900	4,44,000	Budget includes provision for improvements at the Presidency College.					
Ditto for girls	36,946	39,381	47,788	52,042	24,000	47,000	27,000	Reduction is nominal, and is due to the transfer of the School Department to "Schools, General."					
Eden Hindu Hostel	33,482	34,123	33,169	33,938	38,000	31,000	35,000						
Provision for house allowance of Professors in Calcutta	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,000	
For strengthening the staff of several Colleges	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,000	.....	45,000	Lump provision for giving gradual effect to new University Regulations.
Oriental Colleges—													
Sanskrit College	37,794	38,853	48,263	45,926	28,300	47,000	33,000	Budget includes Rs. 5,000 for improvements.					
Calcutta Madrasah	55,432	54,433	53,074	52,891	39,100	52,000	51,000	Ditto " 9,000 ditto.					
Elliot Madrasah Hostel	8,051	4,102	4,112	4,682	5,100	5,100	5,000						

Expenditure on petty construction and repairs ...	300	1,486	1,860	.....	.....	Charges distributed to different colleges.
Expenditure on furniture and apparatus ...	40,993	17,406	23,646	.....	.....	.....
Deduct—Probable savings...	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	.....
Total	5,31,360	5,27,038	5,88,652	6,35,352	6,17,000	6,45,000
Government Colleges, Professions—						
Law Colleges ...	5,217	4,517	3,840	3,433	4,100	20,000
Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Howrah ...	1,98,183	2,26,911	2,71,514	3,28,113	3,68,300	3,40,000
						Budget provides for a new law college at Bankipore.
						The saving in the revised is under salaries and establishment. Budget includes Rs. 21,000 for Industrial Chemistry, Rs. 7,000 for larger boarding charges owing to rise in prices, and Rs. 7,000 for a Joint Technical Examination Board.
Training Colleges for teachers	.....	.....	3,188	4,464	15,600	53,000
Deduct—Probable savings ...	.....	...	.....		3,88,000	
Total	2,03,400	2,29,828	2,78,542	3,36,010	3,70,000	4,13,000
Government Schools, General.						
District School Committees ...				1,324	1,900	1,900
Secondary Schools—						
For Boys—						
High schools ...						
Middle English Schools ...				4,01,116	442,400	4,91,500
Middle Vernacular Schools				93,162	95,400	96,000
				23,040	11,000	12,800
Anticipated expenditure from interest and surplus funds of the Uttarpara Net-grant School						2,973
For Girls—						
High Schools ...					25,000	29,000
Middle English Schools ...				61,632	64,000	67,000
Primary Schools—						
For Boys—						
Upper Primary Schools ...				6,506	2,100	2,900

REMARKS.

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Calcutta School of Art	22,296	34,000	21,000	38,000	Budget includes Rs. 35,000 for Weaving School, Serampore, and Rs. 4,732 for Weaving School, Sambalpur, and Rs. 8,800 for Bhagalpur Technical School.
Government Art Gallery	5,385	9,000	10,000	10,700	
Engineering and Survey Schools	33,944	43,000	36,000	43,800	
Technical and Industrial Schools	17,926	12,000	20,000	60,800	
Commercial Schools	1,278	97,600	2,000	31,000	
Madrasas	20,406	20,000	25,000	6,300	
Reformatory School	91,529	88,992	97,000	1,08,000	
Other miscellaneous schools	...	14,220	4,000	14,316	
Agricultural classes and Agricultural gardens	4,159	9,000	...	9,000	
Grant for Muhammadan Female Education in Patna	...	1,200	...	2,000	
Grant for petty construction and repairs	...	2,400	Grants to District Boards provided in budget for 1908-09 under this head. They are now charged to the head Government Schools, General. Budget for 1909-10 does not include special grant of Rs. 80,000 given by the Government of India for three years in aid of private colleges, but it includes Rs. 50,000 for grants for hostels.
Grant for furniture	...	3,000	...	...
Athletic Club	...	500	...	500	
Deduct—Probable savings	...	8,27,520	...	10,77,116	
Total	...	1,12,520	...	76,116	
	...	7,15,000	8,32,000	10,01,000	
Grants-in-aid	...	15,51,000	13,44,000	11,00,000	
Scholarships	...	1,71,211	1,78,000	1,86,000	
Miscellaneous	...	58,234	1,91,000	1,94,000	
Refunds	...	3,081	3,000	3,000	
Lump provision for Technical Education	...	35,000	Included under Government Schools, Special, both in the revised and budget.
Lump deduction as probable savings	...	60,57,000	...	55,74,000	
Total	...	50,01,000	56,50,000	55,57,000	

24.—Medical—

Medical Establishment—	Budget includes Rs. 4,600 for regrant of savings in Contract Contingent grant. Budget includes provision of Rs. 50,000 for improvement of pay of Civil Hospital Assistants. The saving in the revised is under "Salaries," due to the non-utilization of the lump provision for improvement of pay of Civil Hospital Assistants.
Superintendence	77,930	80,018	71,002	69,416	
District Medical Establishment	4,72,976	5,24,396	4,97,071	4,95,683	
Reserve Medical Officers and Subordinates	16,257	20,009	17,427	11,809	
Total	5,67,193	6,24,423	5,85,500	5,76,908	

24.—Medical—concluded.

HEADS.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Hospitals and Dispensaries— Presidency Hospitals and Dis- pensaries— Medical College Hospital ...	Rs. 1,60,232	Rs. 1,67,624	Rs. 2,11,519	Rs. 2,41,498	Rs. 2,50,000	Rs. 2,49,000	Rs. 2,70,000	Budget includes larger provision for establishment, clothing, diet of patients, maintenance of electric plant and European stores. Budget includes larger grant for diet of patients and maintenance of electric plant.					
General Hospital ...	2,19,013	2,18,555	2,25,131	2,16,924	2,33,000	2,13,000	2,45,000	Budget includes larger grant for diet, clothing, bedding, and maintenance of electric current and gas, etc.					
Campbell Hospital ...	82,354	79,112	92,900	93,221	1,04,000	1,08,000	1,13,000	Budget includes larger grant for diet.					
Albert Victor Asylum for Lepers ...	18,236	20,101	22,027	23,813	23,000	27,000	30,000	Budget includes provision for larger number of Civil Hospital Assistants, and larger grant for allowances for attending Hostels and Schools.					
Mufassal Hospitals and Dispensaries ...	20,714	18,797	56,132	68,380	76,000	77,000	86,000	Budget includes provision for larger grants to Leper Asylums and Dispensaries.					
Grants to Mufassal Hospitals and Dispensaries ...	2,15,760	2,27,078	1,62,578	1,41,792	1,45,500	1,48,000	1,55,500						
Medical charges in connection with the Inland Labour Transport Fund ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,500	1,000	1,500		
Total ...	7,16,308	7,31,267	7,70,887	7,86,637	8,33,000	8,30,000	9,01,000						
Sanitation and Vaccination ...	1,57,600	1,80,464	2,32,063	2,32,797	7,08,000	2,39,000	2,80,000	The budget for 1908-09 includes Rs. 4,50,000 for sanitary improvements which is now shown under "Civil Works in charge of Civil officers." The budget for 1908-10 includes Rs. 30,000 for the improvement of the Sanitary service.					
Grants for Medical purposes— Expenses during the preva- lence of plague ...	81,064	1,00,003	81,724		90,000		90,000						
Establishment for working Clayton apparatus in the Port of Calcutta ...	.....	.....	.....		.....		.....
Expenses in connection with cholera inoculation ...	5,163	128	.....		.....		.....	
Expenses during the preva- lence of epidemics ...	1,976	5,081	2,206		3,000		1,000						
Value of medical stores ...	10,519	25,560	330		1,000		500						
Grants to Local Funds ...	.....	.....	.....		24,000		9,000			
Khojange compensation allow- ances ...	187	315	204		.....		.....			
Total Grants for Medical purposes ...	98,914	1,31,037	84,464	89,368	1,08,000	80,000	1,00,500						

Medical College ...	1,74,937	2,30,947	2,22,111	2,21,304	2,02,300	2,32,000	2,55,000	Budget includes provision for seasonal Assistant Professors and Demonstrators, and for larger grant under Scholarship. It also includes Rs. 23,000 for charges in connection with Major Sutherland's inquiry.
Medical Schools ...	1,10,068	1,21,708	1,18,376	1,39,144	1,23,300	1,21,000	1,33,000	Budget includes provision for additional Teachers and Demonstrators, and larger grant for Scholarships.
Total ...	2,84,930	3,52,650	3,41,086	3,61,048	3,76,000	3,53,000	4,21,000	
Lanette Asylum ...	1,09,000	1,06,180	1,31,771	1,47,751	1,64,000	1,55,000	1,56,000	
Special Hospital ...	10,073	9,825	11,148	11,671	13,500	10,000	12,500	
Chemical Examiner ...	46,021	36,917	38,312	46,303	56,500	56,000	66,000	Budget includes provision for an additional Probationary Examiner.
Refunds ...	2,311	1,263	3,037	1,296	2,000	2,000	1,000	
Lump deduction for probable savings ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	28,80,000	.....	25,84,000	
Total ...	19,91,050	21,74,075	21,96,753	22,41,779	27,50,000	22,85,000	25,20,000	

95.—Political.

Political Agents ...	.....	.....	29,970	35,265	39,000	36,000	43,000	The decrease in the revised is chiefly under "Supplies and Services." Budget includes larger provision for travelling allowance, owing to increase in rate sanctioned by the Government of India.
Entertainment of Envoys and Chiefs ...	1,979	2,476	.....	.....	100	.....	100	
Durbar presents and allowances to Vakils, etc. ...	8,641	4,724	6,519	4,585	5,900	17,000	12,900	The increase in the revised is for larger expenditure on account of Durbar presents.
Miscellaneous ...	2,075	5,437	4,759	7,233	5,000	2,000	.....
Total ...	12,695	12,637	41,248	47,083	50,000	55,000	56,000	

96.—Scientific and other Minor Departments.

Veterinary and Stallion charges	78,706	99,545	1,16,412	1,65,760	1,53,000	1,80,000	1,80,000	Increase due to gradual expansion of the Department.
Donations to Scientific Societies	8,000	8,000	36,000	10,870	8,000	8,000	12,000	Budget includes additional grant of Rs. 4,000 to the Asiatic Society for research work.
Experimental cultivation ...	1,04,408	3,54,162	3,24,682	3,38,173	5,07,000	4,00,000	5,00,000	Budget includes Rs. 75,000 for fittings and appliances of Agricultural College, which could not be utilized in 1908-09, as the buildings are under construction still.
Cinchona plantation	1,97,958	2,40,109	2,21,964	2,07,976	2,69,000	2,53,000	2,80,000	Budget includes Rs. 50,000 for purchase of bark, and Rs. 10,000 for the construction of a bungalow at Mansong.
Public exhibitions and fairs	3,007	3,635	14,992	.....	3,500	1,000	3,500	
Botanical and other public gardens	1,71,453	1,36,512	1,19,502	1,51,426	1,98,500	1,93,000	2,07,000	Management charges of Calcutta gardens transferred from Public Works Department to this head in the latter part of 1907-08.

26.—Scientific and other Minor Departments—concl'd.

HEADS.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Emigration	23,985	Rs.	25,524	Rs.	22,107	Rs.	20,467	Rs.	22,300	21,000	22,000		Budget includes salary of an Additional Assistant Inspector and a Certifying Surgeon and establishment.
Inspector of Factories	24,327		21,367		24,802		25,479		31,900	27,000	60,000		
Census	1,120		1,235		1,468		1,492		1,600	1,500	1,600		
Gazetteer and Statistical Memoirs	21,533		16,444		17,812		26,798		30,000	34,000	35,700		Budget includes larger subsidies to Railway Companies.
Registration of Railway traffic	8,872		7,732		7,065		7,877		11,600	9,000	17,000		
Ditto of River-borne traffic	4,731		4,555		3,132		6,352		6,000	2,000	4,700		
Provincial Statistics	18,687		21,097		28,563		39,378		38,300	41,000	44,000		Included under this head, owing to abolition of the Inland Labour Transport Fund.
Preservation and translation of ancient manuscripts	6,200		6,200		6,920		8,400		10,000	10,000	10,000		
Examinations	3,912		1,061		1,356		1,026		1,600	1,000	1,600		
Inspector of Mines	2,800		488		608		413		400	600	500		
Bacteriology	8,895		10,155		9,771		13,077		10,000	10,500	12,600		
Registrar of Co-operative Credit Societies	5,996		19,383		16,285		32,241		35,500	33,000	36,800		
Inland Labour Transport Fund									19,300	24,000	20,000		
Miscellaneous (Smoke Nuisance Charges)	21		350				17,898		18,000	19,000	19,000		
Refunds	150		20		633		1,104		700	1,000	900		
Grants to District Funds for part pay of Veterinary Assistants									9,000	9,000	12,000		
Add—For rounding											200		
Lump deduction as probable savings									13,78,000		14,71,000		
Total	6,94,514		9,72,543		9,73,964		10,76,142		12,78,000	12,78,000	14,05,000		

29.—Superannuation.

HEADS.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Superannuation and Retired allowances	22,38,128		23,41,223		24,34,509		25,55,208		26,35,000	25,75,000	27,05,000		Provision has been made for the annual growth of expenditure.
Compassionate allowances	15,856		13,647		13,608		13,512		15,000	13,000	14,000		
Gratuities	9,819		7,373		9,963		10,048		10,000	10,000	9,000		
Marine Department pensions	22,191		20,269		23,303		12,554		21,000	20,000	20,000		Revised based on the actuals of the first ten months.
Refunds	71		42		86		320						
Total	22,93,065		22,92,560		24,36,467		25,91,642		26,81,000	26,18,000	27,48,000		

30.—Stationery and Printing.

Forms Department at the Presidency ..	86,166	56,107	63,563	60,811	69,000	57,000	65,000	Increase due to the adoption of the Government of India rates, and revision of establishment of the Secretariat Press. Budget includes Rs. 41,000 for type-casting machinery indentified for through the India Office, and for type-casting establishment.
Stationery purchased in the country ..	37,367	37,293	33,384	33,140	37,000	33,000	35,000	
Government Presses ..	3,62,659	3,74,198	4,83,453	5,59,219	6,14,200	5,63,000	6,19,000	
Printing at Private Presses ..	933	1,079	2,715	660	3,000	1,000	1,500	Revised raised as advised by the Controller of Printing and Stationery.
Stationery supplied from Central Stores ..	4,83,420	0,09,890	7,01,191	8,12,939	6,88,000	7,13,000	6,50,000	
Refunds ..	868	440	696	452	800	1,000	500	Revised based on the actuals of the first ten months.
Total ..	9,71,423	10,78,997	12,85,202	14,67,251	12,92,000	13,55,000	13,71,000	

32.—Miscellaneous.

Khedda charges	17,076	13,853	11,166	16,000	14,000	16,000	Revised includes a special grant of Rs. 30,000 to the Sailors Home, Calcutta.
Travelling allowances to officers attending examinations ..	4,673	5,532	6,440	7,328	7,000	6,000	7,000	
Reward for proficiency in Oriental languages, and allowance to Language Examination Committee ..	14,799	9,960	12,953	19,580	17,000	12,000	14,000	
Cost of books and publications ..	8,740	1,100	600	697	1,000	...	1,000	Budget includes cost of the office of the Controller of Office System. Budget includes Rs. 1,65,000 for fisheries enquiry.
Donations for charitable purposes ..	140,317	1,61,977	1,51,675	1,34,806	1,40,000	1,70,000	1,70,000	
Charges on account of European vastranis ..	5,298	9,939	4,963	6,637	9,000	6,900	9,000	
Rewards for destruction of wild animals ..	4,551	6,671	5,764	7,555	7,000	5,000	8,000	Budget includes Rs. 1,65,000 for fisheries enquiry.
Petty establishments ..	35,097	91,374	2,814	14,413	17,000	16,000	45,000	
Special Commissions of Enquiry ..	3,097	31,570	86,981	1,38,116	1,20,000	1,45,000	1,85,000	
Irrecoverable temporary loans ..	6,100	5,218	350	2,763	8,000	8,000	8,000	Budget includes Rs. 1,65,000 for fisheries enquiry.
Rent, Rate, and Taxes ..	28,740	29,932	34,790	32,631	37,000	33,000	35,000	
Contributions ..	4,321	23,269	942	4,013	23,000	37,000	27,000	
Miscellaneous and unforeseen charges ..	41,590	19,163	5,367	3,069	7,000	6,000	7,000	Budget includes Rs. 1,65,000 for fisheries enquiry.
Miscellaneous Refunds ..	9,626	4,192	16,776	12,934	9,000	13,000	9,000	
Extraordinary items ..	...	47	950	766	.....	...	...
Lamp deduction as probable savings	4,18,000	...	5,42,000	Budget includes Rs. 1,65,000 for fisheries enquiry.
Total ..	3,06,597	3,46,929	3,46,620	3,91,254	3,93,000	4,75,000	5,27,000	

* 40.—Railway Revenue Account—Subsidized Company's land.

HEADS.	1904-06.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Land charges of the Bengal Provincial Railway ...	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
	3,955	21				3,413					1,000		

41.—Irrigation—Major Works—(Working Expenses)—

Productive Works—													
Orissa Canals ...	3,18,398	3,53,817	3,99,092	4,30,069	3,95,000	4,82,000	4,07,000						
Midnapore Canal ...	1,31,362	1,42,981	1,61,123	1,84,291	2,36,000	2,36,000	1,88,000						
Hijili Tidal Canals ...	47,052	45,518	61,493	40,783	48,000	48,000	50,000						
Sone Canals ...	4,90,595	4,75,823	5,73,896	7,51,710	6,86,000	6,86,000	6,70,000						
Protective Works—													
Dhaka Canal ...			3,304	18,268	10,000	15,000	29,000						
Total ...	9,85,005	10,18,139	11,38,977	14,25,201	12,75,000	14,73,000	13,44,000	Estimate based on actual requirements.					

42.—Irrigation—Major Works—(Interest on Debt)—

Interest ...	24,51,988	24,51,959	21,21,310	21,06,966	21,24,000	21,08,000	21,08,000						
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43.—Minor Works and Navigation—

IN CHARGE OF THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.													
Embankments under the contract system—													
Establishments ...	1,474	4,599	5,121	5,094	5,894		5,939	Local estimates based on probable requirements.					
Continuance	27	962	559	1,549	802		222						

+ 1. — Minor Works and Navigation—concluded.

HEADS.	1904-05.		1905-06.		1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Actuals.		Budget estimate.	Revised estimate.	Budget estimate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Works for which only Revenue Accounts are kept.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.					
WORKS IN PROGRESS.													
Nadia Rivers ...	1,24,238	1,25,352	1,46,046	1,13,269	1,16,000	1,15,587	1,11,000						
Gaighatta and Buzi Khals ...	10,174	1,057	100	9,706	2,200	6,200	500						
Total Works for which only Revenue accounts are kept ...	1,34,412	1,26,409	1,46,146	1,22,975	1,17,200	1,21,787	1,11,500						
Works for which neither Capital nor Revenue Accounts are kept.													
WORKS IN PROGRESS.													
Eden Canal ...	34,780	34,397	31,869	31,113	27,000	22,800	29,400						
Madhuban (Teur) Canal ...	11,654	2,233	3,295	8,465	4,800	6,830	9,100						
Improvement of Navigable channels—Ganges river ...	65,132	47,973	4,730	168	.....	.....	.....			
Sagarcanal irrigation by pumping in Bihar ...	10,393	23,003	13,672	—48	.....	.....	.....			
Surveys of protective irrigation works in the districts of Darbhanga and Hazaribagh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,930	.....					
Total Works for which neither Capital nor Revenue accounts are kept ...	1,21,964	1,07,506	53,566	39,698	31,800	33,560	38,500						
Total Irrigation and Navigation Works ...	9,42,274	12,65,928	12,82,689	10,58,034	12,09,000	11,50,120	14,57,000						

AGRICULTURAL AND DRAINAGE
WORKS.

Works for which neither
Capital nor Revenue Accounts
are kept.

WORKS IN PROGRESS.

Government embankments ...	4,67,048	6,43,165	7,19,569	7,67,300	8,33,914	6,24,000
Midnapore Takavi embankments	64,358	26,170	29,256			
under contract ...						
Giridih Takavi embankments	84,163	44,983	62,234			
under contract ...	14,453	10,724	18,132			
Rajpur and Howrah drainage ...	1,14,503	.. ..	.....	
Magra Hat drainage project ...						
Total Agricultural ...	7,44,724	8,92,665	8,19,180	7,67,300	8,33,914	6,24,000
Reserve ...	.....	.....	.....	49,700	.....	60,000
Deduct for rounding ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	(—) 34	.....
Total in charge of the Public Works Department ...	16,83,998	21,57,993	18,77,214	20,26,000	19,93,060	21,31,000

Revised includes Rs. 20,624 for expenditure on Ghora Katara
Irrigation Scheme in the district of Patna, and Rs. 3,260 for
silt clearance of Harikhal and Chumamara Khals in the
district of Midnapur.

45.—Civil Works—

IN CHARGE OF THE CIVIL DE-
PARTMENT.

Ferry charges ...	7	4,831	3,832	2,179	6,309	4,000	6,626
" refunds ...	29,546	26,305	28,696	25,376	28,000	23,000	27,000
Staging bungalows ...	6,994	6,394	6,227	6,755	8,504	7,000	8,620
Encamping grounds ...	133	635	1,169	624	1,332	1,000	1,316
Contributions in aid of Excluded Local Funds and Muni- cipalities ...	1,45,660	1,32,459	1,47,135	3,69,359	7,19,900	6,70,000	10,60,000
Other charges ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000	2,000	2,000
Reserve for buildings, etc. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	64,000	.....	.....
Contribution to District Funds and District Road Funds ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,76,000	11,24,000	13,81,000
For rounding ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	—47	.....	—362
Total in charge of the Civil De- partment ...	1,52,340	1,70,524	1,87,069	4,04,393	21,36,000	18,31,000	24,56,000

Estimate based on the average of the last three years.

Budget includes 4½ lakhs for works of sanitary improvement
sanctioned by the Government of India.

Budget includes 2 lakhs for feeder roads, and Rs. 2,13,000 for grants
to District Boards to augment their resources.

IN CHARGE OF THE PUBLIC
WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Original Works.

Civil Buildings { In progress ...	29,06,173	28,47,864	27,14,370	38,29,364	17,36,400	32,14,000	11,31,070
Not commenced ...					8,48,100		4,09,000
Communications { In progress ...	3,10,265	3,00,623	2,43,216	5,11,329	2,01,800	2,82,000	1,40,000
Not commenced ...					60,300		20,000
Miscellaneous { In progress ...	1,15,293	4,01,394	1,22,236	2,90,623	33,900	70,000	30,000
Not commenced ...					7,500		8,070
Total ...	33,30,811	40,19,810	43,33,822	46,30,111	50,87,400	55,66,000	17,19,000

HEADS.	1904-05.		1-05-14.		1908-07.		19-7-08.		1909-09.		1909-10.		REMARKS.
	Actuals.	2	Actuals.	3	Actuals.	4	Actuals.	5	Budget estimate.	7	Budget estimate.	8	
1													9
IN CHARGE OF THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT— <i>concl'd.</i>													
<i>Repairs.</i>													
Civil Buildings	6,37,351		4,52,569		5,03,567		5,46,128		5,08,609		5,08,609	6,50,000	
Communications	8,67,747		7,53,246		9,17,326		9,00,619		9,80,000		10,00,000	10,00,000	
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	69,700		69,160		67,629		66,739		1,09,000		60,000	60,000	
Total	14,74,798		12,65,274		14,88,522		15,09,481		15,98,609		16,00,000	16,00,000	
Establishment	9,11,378		9,21,616		8,46,362		9,69,300		10,01,849		10,21,000	11,46,406	
Tools and Plant	64,622		66,407		1,31,337		64,903		74,151		68,000	60,596	
Stock and Suspense	38,909		—18,480		—11,615		9,136		.....		74,000	.....
Total in charge of Public Works Department	68,37,918		62,78,627		68,93,428		72,53,933		55,71,000		61,76,000	45,10,000	
GRAND TOTAL	60,20,258		64,49,161		68,80,487		76,58,226		77,56,000		80,07,000	69,96,000	

Contribution from Provincial to Local—

Land Revenue	32,000	33,000	69,000										
Provincial Rates	.....	.....	.....							
Police	.....	.....	2,000										
Education	.....	.....	5,000										
Medical	.....	.....	10,000										
Scientific and other	.....	.....	.....							
Minor	.....	.....	.....							
Departmental	.....	.....	.....							
Miscellaneous	.....	.....	.....							
Covering Deficit	.....	.....	.....							
Civil Works	.....	.....	.....							
Famine Relief	.....	.....	.....							
Reserve	.....	.....	.....							
Total	10,68,000	22,77,000	26,26,000		19,19,000								

Grants now included under service heads.

APPENDIX C.

Receipts and Expenditure of District Boards and District Road Funds
(The figures in column 4 are those passed by the Commissioners of Divisions).

RECEIPTS.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Actuals, 1907-08	Revised estimate, 1908-09.	Budget estimate, 1909-10.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5
I.—Land Revenue (Proper) ...	Rs.	Rs. 30,543	Rs. 27,140	Represents contribution from Provincial Revenue for improvements in Government estates in the Southal Parganas hitherto shown under contributions
VI.—Provincial Rates ...	36,40,658	35,57,749	36,03,563	Represents collections from Road Cess.
XII.—Interest ...	33,932	38,217	34,204	Represents interest on arrear collections of Road Cess and on Government securities belonging to Education, Medical and other departments.
XVII.—Police ...	3,43,488	3,21,579	3,36,888	Represents receipts from Pounds.
XIX.—Education ...	44,318	6,51,434	5,73,748	Represents fees and other receipts from schools. Revised and Budget include grants of Rs. 5,73,000 and Rs. 5,45,000, respectively, from Provincial Revenues in addition to net receipts from Ferries, Pounds, etc., which were localized on the introduction of the Local Self-Government Act. These contributions were formerly shown under Contributions.
XX.—Medical ...	50,857	93,349	90,313	Both Revised and Budget include grants from Provincial Revenues in the districts of Puri, Sambalpur, etc., formerly shown under Contributions.
XXI.—Scientific and other Minor Departments ...	14,710	27,349	27,540	Both Revised and Budget include grants from Provincial Revenues towards Veterinary establishment formerly shown under Contributions.
III.—Stationery and Printing ...	1,298	2,621	2,699	This is a very fluctuating head of receipts.
XV.—Miscellaneous ...	1,29,312	4,59,245	2,65,214	
XX.—Irrigation-Minor Works and Navigation in charge of Civil Department ...	5,659	7,321	5,100	Both Revised and Budget include grants for augmenting the resources of District Boards and for Feeder-roads, etc.
XXI.—Civil Works in charge of the Civil Department ...	5,49,243	13,78,796	11,43,687	
Total Revenue ...	48,13,475	65,68,203	61,10,096	
Contributions from Provincial to Local Board ...	19,18,815	...	...
Surplus Balance ...	30,56,925	11,49,011	7,64,929	
...	29,96,120	30,67,475	14,09,717	
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,27,85,335	1,07,84,689	82,84,742	

EXPENDITURE.

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE.				Actuals, 1907-08.	Revised estimate, 1908-09.	Budget estimate, 1909-10.	REMARKS.
1				2	3	4	5
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Refunds and Drawbacks	...	...	...	8,003	632	35	
Land Revenue	...	...	...	29,235	28,597	34,549	
Provincial Rates	...	...	...	1,89,111	1,49,588	1,50,741	Revised and Budget include Rs 1,46,000 and Rs 1,48,000, respectively, on account of proportional cost of collection of Road Cess, Valuation and revaluation work and Certificate and Tax establishments.
4 Interest on other Obligations	...	...	...	7,334	12,126	11,778	
8 General Administration	...	...	...	2,04,144	2,33,403	2,14,988	
0 Police	...	...	...	30,672	41,373	37,091	
1 Ports and Pilotage	...	...	...	...	1,500	1,500	
2 Education	...	...	...	11,70,393	13,92,717	11,79,319	
4 Medical	...	...	...	4,06,419	4,78,826	4,49,975	
6 Scientific and other Minor Departments	...	...	...	62,635	74,280	70,782	
9 Superannuation Allowances and Pensions	...	...	...	32,707	39,345	39,553	
9 Stationery and Printing	...	...	...	47,143	44,898	38,449	
0 Miscellaneous	...	...	...	40,466	43,339	45,174	
32 Famine Relief	...	...	...	49,719	3,15,291	27,250	
33 { Irrigation-Minor Works and Navigation in charge of Civil Department	...	...	...	...	4,36,634	3,50,000	This is for the Major Hat Drainage Scheme. Estimate based on local requirements.
43 { Irrigation-Minor Works and Navigation Public Works Department	...	...	...	3,76,955	...	...
45 Civil Works (Civil)	...	...	...	46,74,688	51,02,055	40,24,848	
Total Expenditure				73,29,629	86,95,204	66,76,032	
Contributions from Local to Provincial				55,349	...	...
Debt Head	...	...	...	23,32,882	6,79,768	4,63,661	
Closing Balance	...	...	...	30,67,475	14,09,717	11,45,049	
GRAND TOTAL				1,27,85,335	1,07,84,689	82,84,742	

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT said:—"Gentlemen of the Council,—The Hon'ble Mr. Oldham has just told you that the Council will meet on Monday, the 5th April, to discuss the Financial Statement which he has just laid before you. In view of this, I have taken the opportunity to look over the proceedings of the last budget debate, and also to make certain inquiries. As a result of these inquiries, three facts have emerged, to which I shall make a very brief allusion just now.

"In the first place, I notice that the proceedings of the last debate ran to a most inordinate length. They occupied almost exactly 100 pages of small print. No less than 85 pages of these stand to the credit of one Hon'ble Member, and more modest contributions of 7 or 8 pages are quite common.

"Secondly, I notice that Sir Andrew Fraser had occasion to comment on the irrelevance of many of the subjects which were discussed by the various speakers. Some of them were not merely entirely foreign to the budget itself, but lay entirely outside the province of this Council altogether.

"Thirdly, rule 10 of the Rules of Business, which permits an Hon'ble Member to refer to notes for the purpose of refreshing his memory, but which forbids him from reading his speech, appears to have dropped out of sight, and I have reason to believe that some Hon'ble Members are not even aware of its existence at all. Indeed, as regards this last point, I am aware that there has been a good deal of license allowed in the past, and although that was not always the case—it certainly was not when I was a Member of this Council—and though I do not altogether like it, I am not going to interpret the rule very strictly unless I think the privilege is being abused. But the other two points mentioned appear to call for somewhat careful attention. The lengthy speeches of last year seem to me—well, I won't say an abuse, but they seem to be a misuse of the privilege of speech; and, so far from fulfilling any useful purpose, I think they merely serve to darken counsel. I am not going to dwell on this subject at great length now, because I may be laying myself open to the charge of committing the very offence of which I have been complaining; but it will be obvious to you that when this Council is doubled in size and when it holds greater powers of discussing matters, any such procedure would become absolutely impossible: it would bring the whole administration of the Province to a deadlock.

"I think it would have an excellent salutary effect if we endeavoured to anticipate, to some extent, the probable arrangements that will come into force when the Council Reform Scheme is introduced. It is certain that, under these conditions, the rules of relevance will have to be strictly enforced, and it may even be necessary to impose a time-limit on speakers.

"We need not pass any self-denying ordinance, or lay down any definite or arbitrary rule, but I venture to ask all Hon'ble Members who propose to speak on Monday, the 5th, to endeavour to make their speeches as brief as they can; and also to try to avoid wandering from the subject before the Council any more than they can possibly help."

The Council was then adjourned until Monday, the 5th April, 1909, at 10-30 A.M.

CALCUTTA;
The 30th March, 1909.

F. G. WIGLEY,
Secretary to the Bengal Council.

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PART V.

Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 22nd March 1909, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT NO. IV OF 1909.

An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to the punishment of whipping.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to the punishment of whipping; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

I. (1) This Act may be called the Whipping Act, 1909; and Short title and extent.

(2) It extends to the whole of British India, inclusive of British Baluchistan and the Santhal Parganas.

2. In addition to the punishments described in section 53 of the Indian Penal Code, offenders are also liable to the punishment of whipping.

Offences punishable with whipping in lieu of other punishment. 3. Whoever commits any of the following offences, namely:—

(a) theft, as defined in section 378 of the Indian Penal Code other than theft by a clerk or servant of property in possession of his master;

(b) theft in a building, tent or vessel, as defined in section 380 of the said Code;

(c) theft after preparation for causing death or hurt, as defined in section 382 of the said Code;

(d) lurking house-trespass, or house-breaking, as defined in sections 443 and 445 of the said Code, in order to the committing of any offence punishable with whipping under this section;

(e) lurking house-trespass by night, or house-breaking by night, as defined in sections 444 and 446 of the said Code, in order to the committing of any offence punishable with whipping under this section;

may be punished with whipping in lieu of any punishment to which he may for such offence be liable under the said Code.

Offences punishable with whipping in lieu of or in addition to other punishment.

4. Whoever—

(a) abets, commits or attempts to commit, rape, as defined in section 375 of the Indian Penal Code; XLV c 1860.

(b) compels, or induces any person by fear of bodily injury, to submit to an unnatural offence as defined in section 377 of the said Code;

(c) voluntarily causes hurt in committing or attempting to commit robbery, as defined in section 390 of the said Code;

(d) commits dacoity as defined in section 391 of the said Code; may be punished with whipping in lieu of or in addition to any other punishment to which he may for such offence, abetment or attempt be liable under the said Code.

5. Any juvenile offender who abets, commits Juvenile offenders or attempts to commit—when punishable with whipping.

(a) any offence punishable under the Indian Penal Code, except offences specified in Chapter VI and in sections 153A and 505 of that Code and offences punishable with death, or

(b) any offence punishable under any other law with imprisonment, which the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, specify in this behalf,

may be punished with whipping in lieu of any other punishment to which he may for such offence, abetment or attempt be liable.

Explanation.—In this section the expression “juvenile offender” means an offender whom the Court, after making such enquiry (if any) as may be deemed necessary, shall find to be under sixteen years of age, the finding of the Court in all cases being final and conclusive.

6. Whenever any Local Government has, by notification in the official Gazette, declared the provisions of this section to be in force in any frontier district or any wild tract of country within the jurisdiction of such Local Government, any person who in such district or tract of country after such notification as aforesaid commits any offence punishable under the Indian Penal Code with imprisonment for three years or upwards, may be punished with whipping in lieu of any other punishment to which he may be liable under the said Code.

7. To section 392, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the words “and, in the case of a person under sixteen years of age, it shall not exceed fifteen stripes” shall be added.

8. The enactments mentioned in the Schedule are hereby repealed to the extent specified in the fourth column thereof.

THE SCHEDULE.

(See section 8.)

ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

1	2	3	4
Year.	No.	Subject or short title.	Extent of repeal.
<i>Acts of the Governor General in Council.</i>			
1864	VI	The Whipping Act, 1864.	So much as is unrepealed.
1895	III	The Indian Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1895.	Section 5.
1898	V	The Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.	The words “whipping (if specially empowered)” in sub-section (1) and sub-section (3) of section 32. The words and figures “(1) Power to pass sentences of whipping, section 32” under the heading “Powers with which a Magistrate of the second class may be invested” in Schedule IV.
1898	XIII	The Burma Laws Act, 1898.	Section 4, sub-section (3), clause (b), and the Second Schedule.
1900	V	The Whipping Act, 1900.	The whole Act.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 22nd March 1909, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT NO. V OF 1909.

An Act to amend certain enactments relating to the Army.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend certain enactments relating to the Army in manner hereinafter appearing; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. This Act may be called the Amending (Army) Act, 1909.
Short title.
2. The enactments specified in the Schedule are hereby amended to the extent and in the manner mentioned in the fourth column thereof.

Amendment of enactments in Schedule.

THE SCHEDULE.

1	2	3	4
Year	No.	Short title.	Amendments.
<i>Acts of the Governor General in Council.</i>			
1869	XX	The Indian Volunteers' Act, 1869.	After section 7 insert the following:— "7-A. (1) The Commanding Officer of a Volunteer Corps may strike off the rolls in certain circumstances."

1	2	3	4
Year.	No.	Short title.	Amendments.

Acts of the Governor General in Council
— contd.

1869	XX— contd.	.....	off the rolls any volunteer not being an officer of the Corps under his command, who has been absent without leave for not less than six months, or has quitted the Corps otherwise than in accordance with section 13, or has been classed as non-efficient for two consecutive years.
			(2) Every volunteer so struck off the rolls shall be deemed to have been removed from the Corps."
			In section 15, insert the words "removal or" before the words "dismissal therefrom".
1877	XI	The Military Lunatics Act, 1877.	For section 3 substitute the following:— "3. Whenever a European officer, warrant officer or soldier, non-commissioned officer, soldier or other person subject to the provisions of the Army Act has been declared a lunatic in accordance with the provisions of the military regulations in force for the time being, and it appears to any administrative medical officer that it is inexpedient to keep him in the service, he may be removed from the service and confined in a lunatic asylum."

1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
Year.	No.	Short title.	Amendments.	Year.	No.	Short title.	Amendments.
<i>Acts of the Governor General in Council—contd.</i>				<i>Acts of the Governor General in Council—concl.</i>			
1877	XI— <i>contd.</i>	...	<p>dient that he should be removed to England or that he should be detained in military custody until he can be conveniently sent to England, such administrative medical officer may, if he thinks fit, make an order under his hand for the reception of the said lunatic into any lunatic asylum which has been duly authorized for the purpose by the Governor General in Council ;</p> <p>and the officer in charge of such asylum shall receive the lunatic into the asylum and detain him therein until he is discharged therefrom, in accordance with the military regulations in force for the time being or until such administrative medical officer applies for his transfer to the military authorities in view to his removal to England."</p> <p>In section 7, for the words "general officer commanding the district or force" substitute the words "general or other officer commanding the division, district, brigade or force," and omit the word "other" before the words "officer authorized".</p>	1902	II— <i>contd.</i>	...	<p>In section 10, sub-section (1), for the words "General Officer of the Command" substitute the words "Officer Commanding the Division."</p> <p>In section 11, clause (d), for the words "General Officer of the Command" substitute the words "Officer Commanding the Division."</p> <p>In section 15, sub-section (1), for the word "District" substitute the word "Division."</p> <p>In section 35, sub-section (1), for the words "General Officer of the Command" substitute the words "Officer Commanding the Division."</p> <p>In section 36, sub-sections (2) and (3), for the words "General Officer of the Command", wherever they occur, substitute the words "Officer Commanding the Division."</p> <p>In section 37, for the words "General Officer of the Command" substitute the words "Officer Commanding the Division."</p> <p>In section 39, sub-sections (2), (3) and (4), for the word "District" substitute the word "Division."</p>
1889	XIII	The Cantonments Act, 1889.	<p>In section 13, for the words "European soldier, or to or for the use of any European or Eurasian being a follower or a soldier's wife" substitute the words "soldier, or follower, or soldier's wife".</p> <p>In section 15, sub-section (1), after the words "police-officer" insert the words "or excise-officer".</p>	1903	VII	The Indian Works of Defence Act, 1903.	<p>In section 2, for clauses (c) and (d) substitute the following :—</p> <p>"(c) the expression 'Division' means one of the Divisions into which the Army in India is, for the time being, divided, and includes the Bannu, Derajat and Kohat Independent Brigades ;</p> <p>(d) the expression 'General Officer Commanding the Division' means the General Officer Commanding a Division, and includes the General Officers Commanding the Bannu, Derajat and Kohat Brigades."</p> <p>In section 7—</p> <p>(1) in clause (a), sub-clauses (i) and (iv), and clause (b), sub-clauses (i) and (ii), for the words "General Officer of the Command" substitute the words "General Officer Commanding the Division";</p> <p>(2) in clause (a), sub-clause (ii), and clause (b), sub-clause (i), for the word "District" substitute the words "Division, District or Brigade."</p>
1902	II	The Cantonments (House Accommodation) Act, 1902.	<p>In section 2, sub-section (1),—</p> <p>for clauses (b) and (c) substitute the following :—</p> <p>"(b) 'Division' means one of the Divisions into which the Army in India is, for the time being, divided, and includes the Bannu, Derajat and Kohat Independent Brigades ;</p> <p>(c) "Officer Commanding the Division means the Officer Commanding a Division, and includes the Officers Commanding the Bannu, Derajat and Kohat Brigades";</p> <p>in clause (e), for the words "General Officer of the Command" substitute the words "Officer Commanding the Division."</p>				

J. M. MACPIERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.



APPENDIX TO The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 1909.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

CALCUTTA, the 26th March 1909.

T. BUTLER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Zallatoung island light—Discontinuance of.

No. 142 (first publication).—

Subject.—The light exhibited from the west end of Zallatoung island off the mouth of the Sandoway river, will be discontinued after the 31st May 1909.

Position.—Lat. $18^{\circ} 32\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $94^{\circ} 13\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Character.—Fixed red (unattended).

Charts affected.—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 822, Cheduba strait to Koronge island.

„ 832, Cheduba strait and Ramree harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 363a.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, pages 272, 273.

Notice to Mariners No. 381 of 21st September 1908.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Rangoon, Notice of 4th March 1909.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—GULF OF ADEN.

Aden harbour—Dredging operations.

No. 143 (first publication).—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, has given notice No. 13 of 1909, that during the dredging operations which are now proceeding at this port, it may be necessary at any time to remove channel or mooring buoys without notice. As the dredging proceeds and the channel is widened, such channel buoys as are moved will be relaid marking the widened channel. The space available for the accommodation of vessels in the harbour will in no way be affected, and as the dredging proceeds and opportunity offers, berths to a depth of 30 feet mean Indian springs will be provided.

JAPAN—GULF OF TOKYO.

Yokohama bay—Position of experimental light-buoy.

No. 144 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 309 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—The position of the experimental light-buoy (exhibiting an *occulting white* light), recently established in Yokohama bay, has been altered, and is now as undermentioned.

New Position.—Moved about $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles in a southerly direction, from its former position, and now situated in a depth of 6 fathoms, at a distance of 20 yards S. 45° W., from Honmoku light-buoy.

Lat. $35^{\circ} 26\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $139^{\circ} 41\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Variation.— 4° W.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 3109, Yokohama bay.

„ 2657, Gulf of Tokyo.

„ 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.

Publications.—Sailing Directions for Japan, etc., 1904, page 369.

Notice to Mariners No. 2043 of 1908. (*This office No. 50 of 28th January 1909.*)

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1289 of 1908.

JAPAN—KII CHANNEL.

Tsubakitomari ura—Rock.

No. 145 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 314 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A rock, not hitherto shown on the charts, exists in Tsubakitomari ura.

Position.—Near southern shore of bay, with Tsubakitomari Δ bearing N. 50° E. distance $7\frac{3}{10}$ cables, and Shirekui yama Δ , S. 20° E.

Lat. $33^{\circ} 50'$ N., long. $134^{\circ} 41\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Depth.—Awash at low water.

Remarks.—There is no passage between the rock and the shore even for small boats; northward of the rock, the depth increases suddenly to 5 fathoms.

Variation.— 5° W.

Chart affected.—No. 1748, Tachibana ura.

Publication.—Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 408.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice, No. 1287 of 1908.

JAPAN—NIPON, SOUTH COAST.

Nojima saki light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 146 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 325 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—At about the end of March 1909, the fixed white light shown from Nojima saki lighthouse, south coast of Nipon, will be replaced by a light of the undermentioned character.

Position.—Lat. $34^{\circ} 54\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $139^{\circ} 52\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Character.—Occulting white light every twenty seconds, thus :—

Light,	eclipse,
$\frac{15 \text{ secs.}}{15 \text{ secs.}}$	$\frac{5 \text{ secs.}}{5 \text{ secs.}}$

Power.—26,000 candles.

Remarks.—Further information will be published when received.

Charts affected.—No. 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
 „ 3334, Tokyo to Sendai bay.
 „ 996, Kii channel to Tokyo.
 „ 2317, Nipon, Kiusiu, Shikoku, &c.
 „ 2459, North-west Pacific ocean, &c.
 „ 781, Pacific ocean, north-west sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1909, No. 1075.

Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 376.

Authority.—Tokyo, Department of Communications, Notice No. 11 of 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, LUZON—ALBAY GULF.

Katubeg reef.—Buoy disappeared

No. 147 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 327 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The black conical buoy marking the northern edge of Katubeg reef, Albay gulf, has disappeared.

Position.—Lat. $13^{\circ} 11\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $123^{\circ} 48\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Remarks.—It is intended to replace this buoy, if practicable, by a concrete beacon.

Chart affected.—No. 3368, Batan island to San Bernardino island.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part. I, 1902, page 383, Supplement 1906.

Authority.—United States Hydrographic Office, Notice No. 254 of 1909.

INDIAN OCEAN, SOUTH—COMORO ISLANDS—MAYOTTA ISLAND.

Bandéli passage.—Beacons and buoys.

No. 148 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 329 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The following information has been received with regard to the beacons and buoys marking Bandéli passage, Mayotta island.

Position.—White rock beacon, lat. $12^{\circ} 52\frac{3}{4}'$ S., long. $45^{\circ} 14\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

1. Leading beacons;

(a) Front beacon.

Position.—On north-eastern extremity of Amoro point, at a distance of $9\frac{1}{2}$ cables, N. 25° E., from white rock beacon.

Description.—White beacon constructed of planks.

(b) Rear beacon.

Position.—At a distance of $18\frac{3}{4}$ cables, N. 50° W., from the front beacon.

Description.—Wooden pyramidal beacon, 49 feet in height, surmounted by a flag and having the side facing the passage covered with battens.

Remarks.—These beacons in line, bearing N. 50° W., lead through the outer part of Bandéli passage over the shallow ridge which extends across it. They are difficult to distinguish in the afternoon.

2. Beacons on reefs;

(a) *Position.*—Near southern edge of Ajangua reef, at a distance of 2 miles and $6\frac{1}{2}$ cables, S. 78° E., from white rock beacon.

Description.—Red pole beacon with cross topmark.

(b) *Position.*—On south-western edge of Ajangua reef, at a distance of $19\frac{1}{2}$ cables, S. 80° E., from White rock beacon.

Description.—Red pole beacon with diamond-shape topmark.

(c) *Position.*—On northern edge of Bandéli reef, at a distance of 2 miles, S. 68° E., from White rock beacon.

Description.—Black pole beacon with rectangular topmark surmounted by a globe,

3. Buoys ;

Remarks.—The outer red buoy, No. 1, has been moved to the south westward, and now marks the 17-foot shoal recently discovered. The outer black buoys, Nos. 2 and 4, have been withdrawn. The inner black buoy, No. 6, and the inner red buoys, Nos. 3 and 5, remain in the positions shown on the chart.

Variation.—8° W.

Chart affected.—No. 2741, Mayotta island.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1905, page 561.

Authority.—Paris Notice No. 258 of 1909.

INDIAN OCEAN, SOUTH-WEST—MADAGASCAR, EAST COAST—ST. MARY ISLAND.

Baleine rock—Light established ; Buoy.

No. 149 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 334 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A light of the undermentioned character has been established on Baleine rock, in the approach to Port St. Mary.

Position.—Lat. 17° 0½' S., long. 49° 53½' E.

Character.—Fixed white with a green sector.

Sectors.—White from N. 33° E., through east and south, to S. 33° W.

Green from S. 33° W., through west, to N. 57° W.

Remarks.—The elevation and visibility of this light are not stated.

Buoy.—A spherical buoy, painted in black and red horizontal bands, is moored on the 3½-fathom patch, situated at a distance of 2 cables, N. 34° W., from Madame island light, Port St. Mary. A red light is shown from this buoy when mail-steamers are entering or leaving the port.

Variation.—8° W.

Charts affected.—No. 683, Island of St. Mary, with plan.

„ 759b, Antongil bay to Ambatosoa.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1909, page 19.

Islands in the Southern Indian Ocean, 1904, page 92.

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 305 of 1909.

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Drinkwater point light-vessel—Replaced on station.

No. 150 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 340 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—The Drinkwater point light-vessel, which had been temporarily removed for repairs, has been replaced on her station, and the temporary light-vessel has been withdrawn.

Position.—At a distance of 3½ miles, S. 23° E., from Drinkwater point beacon.

Lat. 31° 24½' N., long. 121° 50½' E.

Remarks.—The characteristics of this light-vessel are as described in the Admiralty List of Lights.

Note.—The correct position of the light-vessel is as given above and not as shown in the List of Lights.

Variation.—3° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 1199, Kueshan islands to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki, &c.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1909, No. 814.

China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1904, page 402 ; Supplement, 1907.

Notice to Mariners No. 287 of 1909. (*This office No. 122 of 13th March 1909.*)

Authority.—Shanghai Notice (Special), No. 326, dated 18th January 1909.

COCHIN CHINA.

Caution—Kin hon harbour—Buoys established.

No. 151 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 341 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—The undermentioned buoys have been established in the entrance to Kin hon harbour.

Position.—South point flagstaff, lat. $13^{\circ} 45\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $109^{\circ} 13\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

(a) *Position.*—In a depth of 2 fathoms, at a distance of $3\frac{2}{10}$ cables, S. 42° W., from South point flagstaff.

Description.—Black spar buoy, No. 1, with cylindrical topmark.

(b) *Position.*—In a depth of 2 fathoms, at a distance of $1\frac{2}{10}$ cables, S. 21° W., from South point flagstaff.

Description.—Red spar buoy, No. 2, with conical topmark.

(c) *Position.*—In a depth of $3\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms, at a distance of $2\frac{2}{10}$ cables, N. 32° W. from South point flagstaff.

Description.—Black spar buoy, No. 3, with cylindrical topmark.

(d) *Position.*—In a depth of $3\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms, at a distance of $5\frac{4}{10}$ cables, N. 28° E., from South point flagstaff.

Description.—Red spar buoy, No. 4, with conical topmark.

(e) *Position.*—In a depth of $2\frac{3}{4}$ fathoms, at a distance of $9\frac{2}{10}$ cables, N. 14° W. from South point flagstaff.

Description.—Black spar buoy, No. 5, with cylindrical topmark.

Caution.—The buoys are placed to mark the channel which has evidently altered since the date of the last survey.

Variation.— 2° E.

Chart affected.—No. 264, Plan of Kin hon harbour.

Publication.—China Sea Directory, Vol. II, 1906, page 441.

Authority.—Paris Notice No. 97 of 1909.

The 17th March 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL—ORISSA COAST.

Dhamrá river—Extension of Chandipal flat.

No. 129 (second publication).—

Subject.—Masters of vessels plying to Chandballi are recommended to pass 100 yards south of the "A" buoy, Dhamrá river, as the Chandipal flat is liable to extend to the southward during the dry season.

Charts affected.—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 814, The Sandheads.

„ 754, Dhamrá river.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 204.

Authority.—Port Officer of Cuttack and Balasore Ports, Notice dated the 12th March 1909.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST.

Muttum point light—Alteration in character.

No. 130 (second publication).—

Subject.—The present dioptric first order white fixed light shewn at Muttum Point will be extinguished on or after the 1st July next and that in its place another light of the undermentioned description will be exhibited from the 1st September next.

Position (approx.).—Lat. $8^{\circ} 7\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $77^{\circ} 18'$ E.

Character.—White light showing one flash every five seconds.

Visibility.—18 miles.

Order.—2nd (dioptric).

Power.—200,000 candles.

Height.—141 feet above H. W. L.

Remarks.—During the interval, a temporary fixed white light of less intensity than the present one will be shown from the existing lantern.

The dates given are only approximate and further notice will be issued later on giving the exact dates of extinguishing and re-lighting.

Charts affected.—No. 2738, Cochin to Cape Comorin, &c.

„ 827, Vengurla to Cape Comorin.

„ 751, Anjengo to Cape Comorin.

Publications.—Admiralty List of Lights, part VI, 1907, No. 280.

Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 120.

Authority.—Presidency Port Officer, Madras, Notice No. 7 of 17th February 1909.

ARABIAN SEA—MEKRAN COAST.

Gwatar bay—Shoals.

No. 131 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay (No. 10 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject	...	Two patches of very discoloured water which looked like shoals are reported in the following positions:—
(a) Position	...	Lat. 25° 0' N., long. 61° 24' E.
(b) Position	...	Lat. 24° 59' N., long. 61° 30' E.
		} Approximate.
Chart affected	...	No. 38, Maskat to Karachi.
Publication	...	Persian Gulf Pilot, 1908, page 134.
Authority	...	Master, S.S. <i>Mozaffari</i> .

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—GULF OF ADEN.

Aden harbour—Dredging operations.

No. 132 (second publication).—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, has given notice (No. 11 of 1909) that during the dredging operations in the Inner Harbour and the channel leading into it, all dredgers at work will exhibit from the 8th instant, by day from a small yard at a height of at least 20 feet above the water and in a conspicuous position 2 horizontal black discs 5 feet apart on their clear side, and one black disc on the other, from sunset to sunrise. The disc referred to above will be replaced on the clear side of the dredger by 2 horizontal white lights 5 feet apart showing all round the horizon and on the other side by one white light.

JAPAN SEA—RUSSIAN TARTARY, AMERICA BAY.

Cape Povorotni—Fog-signal re-established.

No. 133 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 273 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The fog-signal at Cape Povorotni lighthouse is again working. The period has been altered and the signal is now of the undermentioned description.

Position.—Lat. 42° 40½' N., long. 133° 2¾' E.

Description of Fog-signal.—Siren, worked by compressed air, giving one blast of five seconds' duration every ninety seconds, thus:—

Blast,	silent interval,
5 secs.	85 secs.

Remarks.—A gun fired in answer to vessel's fog-signals as formerly.

Charts affected.—No. 3198, Askold island to Cape Povorotui.

„ 2511, Strelak bay to Mosolova point.

„ 2405, Kuril islands.

Publications.—List of lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 1157.

Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 198.

Notice to Mariners, No. 764 of 1908. (*This office No. 254 dated 19th June 1908.*)

Authority.—St. Petersburg Notice No. 17 of 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH.—NEW HEBRIDES.

Espiritu Santo island—Depth on shoal westward of.

No. 134 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 276 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The depth on the 7-fathom shoal (P.D.) shown on the charts westward of Espiritu Santo island should be amended as undermentioned.

Position.—Lat. $15^{\circ} 23\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $166^{\circ} 34'$ E.

Amended depth.—3 fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 179, Espiritu Santo island.

„ 3033, New Hebrides and New Caledonia.

„ 780, Pacific ocean, south-west sheet.

Authority.—Pacific Islands, Vol. II, 1908, page 393.

RED SEA, WESTERN SHORE.—PORT SUDAN APPROACH.

Wingate reefs—Beacons established.

No. 135 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 279 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—Two beacons have been erected on Wingate reefs, in the approach to Port Sudan.

(a) *Position.*—On eastern extremity of reefs.

Lat. $19^{\circ} 38\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $37^{\circ} 19'$ E.

Description.—Iron pole surmounted by a brown cage.

(b) *Position.*—On southern extremity of reefs.

Lat. $19^{\circ} 37'$ N., long. $37^{\circ} 16\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Description.—Iron pole surmounted by a brown diamond-shape.

Remarks.—The exact positions of these beacons are not stated. It is presumed that the southern beacon is on the small detached patch to the southward of the main reef.

Charts affected.—No. 81, Mersa Darúr to Trinkitat.

„ 8c, Red sea, sheet III.

„ 2523, Red sea.

Publication.—Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1900, page 155.

Authority.—Foreign Office, 27th January 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH.—SOLOMON ISLANDS.—BOUGAINVILLE STRAIT.

Shortland harbour—Shoal.

No. 136 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 284 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal, not hitherto shown on the chart, exists in Shortland harbour, Solomon islands.

Position.—Eastern extreme of Faisi island, bearing N. 11° E., distant about 6 cables, and the northern extreme of Orlofe island nearly in line with the northern extreme of Onua island, N. 68° E.

Lat. $7^{\circ} 5\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $155^{\circ} 51\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Depth.— $3\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Remarks.—Two 4-fathom rocks are situated close to the above position and 5 fathoms is the general depth around.

Variation.— 7° E.

Chart affected.—No. 829, Bougainville strait, with plan.

Publication.—Pacific islands, Vol. I, 1908, page 337.

Authority.—H. M. S. *Cambrian*, Hydrographical Note No. 4 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA—NORTH-WEST COAST.

Mermaid reef—Rocks north-westward of.

No. 137 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 298 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A patch of rocks is reported to exist to the north-westward of Mermaid reef, north-west coast of Australia.

Position.—Lat. $16^{\circ} 55'$ S., long. $119^{\circ} 19'$ E.

Depth.—Awash at low-water.

Remarks.—"Position approximate" has been placed on the chart against this reported danger.

Charts affected.—No. 1048, Buccaneer archipelago to Bedout island.

„ 475, North-west coast of Australia.

„ 2759a, Australia, northern portion.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. III, 1905, page 225.

Authority.—Fremantle Notice, dated 18th December 1908.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Caution—Amended positions of certain reefs.

No. 138 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 301 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A recent survey has ascertained the positions of certain reefs off the west coast of Sumatra to be as given below:—

(a) Reef situated between Sikarbau and Dua reefs:

Amended position.—About one mile north-westward from position now shown on chart, as undermentioned—

Lat. $0^{\circ} 6'$ N., long. $99^{\circ} 25'$ E., on chart No. 2760.

Remarks.—This reef, consisting of 2 rocks with a least depth of 6 feet over them, is not marked by surf.

(b) Haai reefs:

Amended positions.—About one mile south-westward from positions now shown on chart, as undermentioned—

Northern reef, lat. $0^{\circ} 30'$ S., long. $99^{\circ} 46'$ E., on chart No. 709.

Southern reef, lat. $0^{\circ} 31\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $99^{\circ} 46\frac{1}{2}'$ E., on chart No. 709.

Remarks.—These reefs are about half a cable and one cable in extent, respectively.

(c) Ingaris reef:

Amended position.—About three-quarters of a mile north-westward from position now shown on chart, as undermentioned—

Lat. $0^{\circ} 29'$ S., long. $99^{\circ} 51\frac{1}{2}'$ E., on chart No. 709.

Remarks.—This reef is about two-thirds of a cable in extent, and has a least depth of $1\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms over it.

Caution.—Between the Haai reefs and the reef recently discovered in lat. $0^{\circ} 28\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $99^{\circ} 31\frac{1}{2}'$ E., several reefs exist, the positions of which will be published in a further Notice. "Foul ground" should be marked on the chart temporarily.

Charts affected.—No. 709, Ujong Masang to Ujong Indrapura.
 „ 2760, Sumatra, west coast.

Publications.—China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1906, pages 324, 326, 327.

Notice to Mariners, No. 57 of 1909. (*This office No. 76 of 3rd February 1909.*)

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 285 of 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN—NEW GUINEA, NORTH COAST.

Geelvink strait—Shoal.

Mokmer road—Decreased depth on shoal.

No. 159 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 302 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The undermentioned information has been received with regard to Geelvink strait and Mokmer road, north coast of New Guinea.

1. Shoal in Geelvink strait:

Position.—Lat. $1^{\circ} 24'$ S., long. $136^{\circ} 28\frac{1}{2}'$ E., on chart No. 942b.

Depth.—About 5 fathoms (estimated); bottom, sand and stones.

Remarks.—This shoal cannot be distinguished by discolouration of the water.

2. Decreased depth on shoal in Mokmer road, Wiak island:

Position.—At a distance of about $3\frac{1}{2}$ cables, E. by S., from Sapor point
 Lat. $1^{\circ} 12\frac{3}{4}'$ S., long. $136^{\circ} 9'$ E.

Amended Depth.—Barely 6 feet in the place of 3 fathoms as at present shown on the chart.

Variation.— 3° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2467, Plan of Mokmer (2).

„ 942b, Eastern archipelago, eastern portion (1).

„ 780, Pacific ocean, south-west sheet (1).

„ 2759a, Australia, northern portion (1).

Publication.—Pacific Islands, Vol. I, 1908, pages 230, 231.

Authority.—Hague Notice, No. 287 of 1909.

AFRICA, EAST COAST.

Formosa bay—Shoal.

No. 140 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 304 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A shoal, not hitherto shown on the chart, on which H.M.S. *Hermione* touched, exists in the eastern part of Formosa bay,

Position.—Centre of southern rock ("dries 9 feet") of Mwamba Zewoyu, bearing N. 49° E., distant $7\frac{3}{4}$ cables, and the south-westernmost rock ("dries 9 feet") of the same reef, N. 25° W.

Lat. $2^{\circ} 39'$ S., long. $40^{\circ} 35'$ E.

Depth.—2½ fathoms, sand and coral bottom.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1747, Plan of Ozi anchorage.

„ 848, Malindi to Juba.

„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1905, page 489.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Hermione*, Hydrographical Note No. 1 of 1909.

AFRICA, EAST COAST.

Kilifi river approach—Beacon erected.

No. 141 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 305 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A beacon of the undermentioned description has been erected to form the rear leading mark for Takaungu pass, Kilifi river approach.

Position.—On summit of Quoin (Mbogolo) hill.

Lat. 3° 41½' S., long. 39° 49½' E.

Description.—White cone surmounted by black inverted cone. This beacon is very conspicuous.

Remarks.—The Custom house and flagstaff, shown on the chart, on the north side of the entrance to Kilifi river, no longer exist. On page 480 of the Pilot, lines 17 and 18, for “Custom house point” read “point south-west of Kioni village.”

Charts affected.—No. 238, Kilifi river and approaches.

„ 664, Zanzibar to Malindi.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1905, pages 478, 480.

Authority.—H.M.S. *Hermione*, Hydrographical Note No. 3 of 1909.

The 13th March 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL.—BURMA COAST.

Krishna shoal light-vessel—Temporarily relieved.

No. 119 (third publication).—

Subject.—On or about the 25th March 1909 the present light-vessel on Krishna shoal will be temporarily relieved by *Martaban* as undermentioned.

Position.—Lat. 15° 57½' N., long. 95° 36½' E.

Character.—White flashing of five seconds' duration, eclipse forty seconds.

Chart affected.—No. 823, Koronge island to white point.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, No. 366.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 3rd edition, 1901, page 345.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Burma, Telegram dated 12th March 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL.—COCO ISLANDS.

Table island light—Discontinuance of; Provisional light exhibited.

No. 120 (third publication).—

Subject.—On or about the 20th of May 1909, Table island light (white fixed) will be discontinued for the purpose of installing a white double flashing second order light. The character of the new light, when exhibited, will be two flashes every 10 seconds. During the period of alteration of the existing light, 20th May to 9th June 1909, a temporary light of the undermentioned description will be exhibited from the lantern of the light-house. A blue flare will also be shown from the balcony of the light-house every half hour during the above period.

Position (approximate).—Lat. $14^{\circ} 11' N.$, long. $93^{\circ} 21' E.$

Character.—White fixed.

Power.—1,300 candles.

Charts affected.—No. 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang, etc.

„ 825, Andaman islands.

„ 3103, North Andaman islands, with adjacent channels.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, No. 384.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 334.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Burma, Notice dated 15th February 1909.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Dusky sound—Rock.

No. 121 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 236 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—A rock exists in Dusky sound.

Positions.—South-west extreme of Parrot island, bearing $N. 71^{\circ} W.$, distant $12\frac{1}{2}$ cables, and the eastern extreme of Pigeon island, $N. 23^{\circ} E.$

Lat. $45^{\circ} 43\frac{1}{2}' S.$, long. $166^{\circ} 33\frac{1}{2}' E.$

Depth.—Dries at low water.

Remarks.—The rock appears to be a continuation of the reef extending from the islet situated $2\frac{1}{2}$ cables to the south-westward of it.

Variation.— $18^{\circ} E.$

Charts affected.—No. 719, Dusky and Breaksea sounds.

„ 2589, Foveaux strait to River Awarua.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 300.

Authority.—H. M. S. *Pioneer*, Hydrographical Note No. 4 of 1908.

CHINA, EAST COAST—YANG TSE KIANG.

Drinkwater point light-vessel—Temporarily replaced.

No. 122 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 237 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—On or about the 2nd January 1909, Drinkwater point light-vessel, as would be temporarily replaced by a reserve light-vessel, as undermentioned.

Position.—Lat. $31^{\circ} 24\frac{1}{2}' N.$, long. $121^{\circ} 50\frac{1}{2}' E.$

Character of lights.—Two fixed white lights, placed vertically, 15 feet apart, from each yardarm of yard on mainmast.

Elevation.—Upper lights, 50 feet.

Visibility.—10 miles.

Description of Vessel.—Steam lighter *Wai Tung*, painted dark colour, black funnels, one derrick and two masts. Black ball on mainmast.

Fog signal.—A gong sounded at intervals of one minute.

Remarks.—A white riding light is carried on the foremast station, the usual lights should the light-vessel be driven from the station, the usual lights will not be exhibited, but a small red light will be shown at each end of the vessel; also, the ball will be struck as soon as possible, and until struck will be surmounted by a red flag.

Caution.—It may possibly happen that one of the vertical lights on one yardarm may be obscured by the masts or funnel of the light-vessel to a vessel that is approaching her.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 1199, Peshan islands to the Yang tse kiang.

„ 2412, Amoy to Nagasaki.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 813.

China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 402 Supplement, 1907.

Authority.—Shanghai Notice (Special) No. 325 of 1908.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—INNER ROUTE.

Frankland islands and Great Barrier reef—Shoals near.

No. 123 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 240 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—Shoals of the undermentioned description exist near the Frankland islands and the Great Barrier reef.

(a) *Position.*—Situated at a distance of about 3 cables off the western side of the reef joining Russell and Normandy islands.

Lat. $17^{\circ} 13' 36''$ S., long. $146^{\circ} 5' 20''$ E., on chart No. 2350.

Depth.—3 fathoms, coral.

(b) *Position.*—Lat. $16^{\circ} 49' 23''$ S., long. $146^{\circ} 21' 52''$ E., on chart No. 2350.

Depth.— $2\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Remarks.—This coral bank extends N. 15° W. for a distance of $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles from the above position with a breadth of $2\frac{1}{2}$ cables, having depths of $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 6 fathoms over it.

(c) *Position.*—Lat. $16^{\circ} 42' 58''$ S., long. $146^{\circ} 16' 52''$ E., on chart No. 2350.

Depth.— $4\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms, coral.

Variation.— 6° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2350, Double point to Cape Grafton.

„ 2763, Coral sea, etc., sheet I.

„ 2764, Coral sea, etc., sheet II.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, pages 384 and 382.

Authority.—H.M. Surveying Ship *Fantome*, Hydrographical Note No. 3 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MINDANAO, NORTH COAST.

Polo point light—Alterations in.

No. 124 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 250 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The fixed light shown from the lighthouse on Polo point, North coast of Mindanao, has been altered as undermentioned:—

Position.—Lat. $8^{\circ} 36'$ N., long. $123^{\circ} 45'$ E.

Alterations. (a) Colour altered from white to red.

(b) Visibility decreased to 9 miles.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Sulu or Mindoro sea, eastern part.

Publications. „ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

„ List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 608.

„ Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 319; Supplement, 1906.

Not to Mariners. No. 1542 of 1908. (This office No. 450 of 6th November 1908.)

Authority.—United States Hydrographic Office, Notice No. 169 of 1909.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, EAST COAST.

Kanimo island light—Character altered.

No. 125 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 251 of 1909), are republished:—

Subject.—The fixed red light exhibited from Kanimo island, east coast of Luzon, has been replaced by a light of the undermentioned character:—

Position.—Lat. $14^{\circ} 6'$ N., long. $123^{\circ} 1'$ E., on Chart No. 2577.

Character.—Occulting white light every ten seconds, thus :—

Light	eclipse.
7 secs.	3 secs.

Visibility.—15 miles.

Order.—6th.

Remarks.—The elevation of the light is presumably unaltered.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, San Bernardino strait to Mindoro strait.

943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, No. 689.

Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 375.

Notices to Mariners, No. 835 of 1907 and 1545 of 1908. (*This office Nos. 340 of 1907 and 433 of 1908*).

Authority.—United States, Hydrographic Office, Notice No. 172 of 1909.

NEW ZEALAND.—SOUTH ISLAND—PEGASUS BAY.

Waimakariri harbour—Lights established.

No. 126 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 261 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—On the 5th January 1909, the undermentioned lights would be established at Waimakariri harbour, Pegasus bay.

(a) Occasional light :

Position.—On north bank of river entrance.

Lat. 43° 25' S., long. 172° 43½' E.

Character.—Fixed white.

Visibility.—5 miles.

Structure.—Flagstaff.

Remarks.—This light is shown when vessels are expected or are leaving the river.

(b) Leading lights :

Position.—Near river entrance.

Character.—Front light, fixed red.

Rear light, fixed white.

Structure.—Front light, beacon 15 feet in height.

Rear light, beacon 20 feet in height.

Remarks.—These beacons or lights in line, bearing S. 66° W., lead over the bar in the best water. They will be moved as necessary to meet the changes in the channel.

Caution.—During the last few years the river has worked to the southward, so that the Admiralty chart does not show any opening at the present entrance. It is liable to shift either to the north or south with any freshet.

Variation.—17° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2529, Cape Campbell to Banks peninsula.

3629, Hokitika to Otago harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1908, page 341.

New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 235.

Authority.—Wellington Notice, No. 102 of 1908.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—PANAY, EAST COAST.

Apiton strait—Shoal.

No. 127 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 268 of 1909), are republished :—

Subject.—A shoal exists in Apiton strait, east coast of Panay.

Position.—In mid channel of northern entrance to strait, at a distance of about one mile to the eastward of Bakshan bluff.

Lat. 11° 10½' N., long. 123° 7½' E., on chart No. 2578.

Depth.— $3\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of Sulu or Mindoro sea.

„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 266.

Authority.—Manila Notice No. 7 of 1909.

BAY OF BENGAL.

HUGHLI RIVER.

Saugor island light—Alteration in character.

No. 128 (third publication)—

Subject.—From the 13th March 1909, the existing light shown from the Saugor island light-house will be replaced by a new light of the undermentioned description:—

Position.—Lat. $21^{\circ} 39' N.$; long. $88^{\circ} 2' E.$

Character.—White flashing of about $\frac{1}{4}$ second's duration every 3 seconds.

Power.—32,000 candles.

Visibility.—15 miles.

Charts affected.—No. 829, Oocanada to Bassein river.

„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 814, The Sandheads.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1907, No. 352.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 225.

Authority.—Port Commissioners, Calcutta, River Notices Nos. 335 and 358 of 1909.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 27th March 1909, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year

NATURE OF CARGO.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 27TH MARCH 1909.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 28TH MARCH 1908.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	745	1,75,705	2,937	836	1,32,194	1,895
Jute	66	28,976*	862	111	49,715†	661
Firewood	71	82,000	1,279	51	23,900	439
Other articles	803	2,81,626	8,286	639	2,51,173	2,858
Total	1,685	5,68,306	7,864	1,667	4,62,982	5,783

* Weight by canal measurement, 33,713½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 54,675 ..

CALCUTTA,
The 30th March 1909.

G. G. DEY,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 29th March 1909.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	10½	10½	Weather hot. Sky occasionally cloudy. Harvesting of potatoes, onions and other <i>rabi</i> crops and pressing of sugarcane nearly finished. Preparation of lands for sugarcane and planting of the crop going on. Rain badly needed for ploughing of lands. Cattle-disease reported in some places. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Common rice selling at 9 seers at Rampurhat. Dearth of water in some places in the subdivision. Fodder sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	10½	10½	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane finished. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
4	MIDNAPORE	0·07	10	10	Rainfall at Contai 0·04 inch and at Tamluk and Ghatal nil. Planting of sugarcane and sowing of <i>rabi</i> still continuing. Prospects of tobacco and summer rice fair. Water-supply very poor. Rain badly wanted. Cattle-disease in thanas Salbani and Binpur. Fodder and water not sufficient. Common rice selling at 12 seers per rupee at Contai, 8½ seers at Tamluk and at 10½ seers at Ghatal.
5	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No likelihood of scarcity at present. Prospects of <i>rabi</i> crops and potatoes fair. Pressing of sugarcane continuing. Prices of food-grains stationary. Fodder and water sufficient. Rain wanted in the Sadar and Serampore subdivisions. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of <i>boro</i> paddy not good. Vegetables and <i>boro</i> paddy withering for want of rain. Fodder sufficient. Condition of agricultural stock fair.
7	24 PARGANAS	Nil	9½	9½	Rain wanted in the Basirhat and Diamond Harbour subdivisions. Common rice selling at 8 seers a rupee at Barasat, 10 seers at Basirhat and Diamond Harbour and at 9 seers at Barrackpore.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	9½	9½	Rain urgently wanted. Prospects of standing crops fair. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Sowing of <i>bhadoi</i> paddy commenced in places. Prices of staple food-grains stationary. Cattle-disease reported from Damurhuda, Karimpore, Meherpur and Gangani thanas. Fodder sufficient. Water scarcity threatening.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
9	MURSHIDABAD	Inches. Nil	9½	9½	Weather hot. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Pressing of sugarcane completed at Lalbagh, but continuing at Kandi. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Transplantation of <i>boro</i> rice continuing in thana Gokarna. Rain wanted at Jangipur and Kandi. Fodder sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Bharatpur.
10	JESSORE ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Rain badly wanted in all parts of the district. Fodder and water insufficient. Condition of agricultural stock good. Cattle-disease reported from Jhenidah and Narail.
11	KHULNA ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Stocks of food-grains sufficient till next harvest. No apprehension of famine. Prospects of standing crops not favourable. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water insufficient in some places.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	{ 9½ 15½*	{ 9½ 14½*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops in progress. Condition of agricultural stock good. No cattle-disease. Food stocks supplemented by imports. Fodder and water sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	Nil	{ 10½ 14½*	{ 10½ 14½*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Prices of food-grains stationary. Fodder and water sufficient for the present. Water scarcity apprehended in some parts of the district. Cattle-disease reported from three thanas.
14	SHAHABAD ...	Nil	{ 9½ 15*	{ 9½ 15*	Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops and planting of sugarcane continuing. Lancing of poppy nearly finished. Prices of food-grains stationary. Food-stocks below normal. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	{ 10 15*	{ 10 15*	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane, harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops and sowing of indigo and sugarcane going on. Sowing of <i>cheena</i> commenced. Prices of staple food-crops stationary. Food-stock resources external. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice * in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
		Inches.			
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	{ $8\frac{3}{4}$ 16°	{ 8 15½°	Weather very hot. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops going on. Condition of agricultural stock fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder getting scarce all over the district. Loans for excavation and re-excavation of tanks for water-supply for cattle being issued in suitable cases.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	{ $9\frac{1}{4}$ 14½°	{ 10† 14½°	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops in progress. Common rice and maize selling at $8\frac{1}{2}$ and $1\frac{1}{4}$ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur and at $8\frac{1}{2}$ and $14\frac{1}{2}$ seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi. Cattle-disease reported from Pupri and Belsund thanas. Fodder sufficient at present. Water running short in many places, but tanks being dug and wells bored widely. Scarcity in parts of the Sitamarhi subdivision. Number on test-works on the 27th instant—222 men, 158 women and 56 children—total 436. Number of persons on gratuitous relief and in poor-houses on the 25th instant—209.
18	DARHHANGA ...	Nil	{ $8\frac{1}{2}$ 13°	{ $8\frac{1}{2}$ 13°	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops almost completed; outturn poor, especially in the Singhia outpost and Bahera thana, where outturn of the crops is reported to be two annas only. Rain needed for the next season's crops. Food-stocks sufficient. Fodder available. Cattle-disease in two villages. Water-supply deficient but special measures being taken to meet requirements. Number of persons on relief-works on the 25th instant—46,205; the number gratuitously relieved, 16,549. Maize selling at 13 seers a rupee at Sadar, but dearer in the interior.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	{ $8\frac{1}{4}$ 13½°	{ 9 13½°	Weather seasonable with hot west winds. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops and sowing of paddy continuing. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Cattle-disease reported from Gogri thana. Fodder and water scarce in some places in the Jamui subdivision.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	{ $8\frac{1}{4}$ 13½°	{ $8\frac{1}{4}$ 13½°	Weather hot with strong west winds. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops nearly completed. Crops fair in <i>diara</i> and irrigated tracts, but bad elsewhere. Sowing of paddy and <i>mung</i> going on in the Supaul and Madhipura subdivisions, where rain wanted urgently. Sugar-cane weeding and watering going on in the Banka subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. 150 men, 406 women and 394 children—total 950—gratuitously relieved in Madhipura, and 248 men, 335 women and 1,000 children—total 1,583—in Supaul. 328 men, 263 women and 117 children—total 708—on test-works in Madhipura and 1,247 men, 845 women and 201 children—total 2,293—in Supaul,* besides a large number on private works.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	{ 8 12°	{ 8 12°	Weather hot and dry with very strong west winds. Harvesting of wheat, barley and linseed in progress. Rain very badly required for agricultural operations. Stocks of food-grains sufficient due to imports. Condition of agricultural stock fair. Fodder and water getting scarce in many places. No cattle-disease reported except sporadic cases of rinderpest in the Kasba outpost. 89 men, 219 women and 16 children—total 324—relieved gratuitously at various centres in the district. 28 men, 3 women—total 31—on test-works in Gopalpur and Amour thanas. These test-works being closed. Common rice selling at $7\frac{1}{4}$ seers a rupee at Kishanganj.

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† Burma rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
22	DARJEELING...	Inches. Nil	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 14^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 14^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather seasonable. Hills—Wheat and barley growing. Oilseeds being harvested. Maize and potatoes being sown. Preparation of lands for jute and other <i>bhadai</i> crops and sugarcane continuing. Harvesting of potatoes and tobacco going on. Prospects worse. Rain urgently wanted. Prices stationary. Condition of agricultural stock good.
23	SONTHAL PAR- GANAS.	...	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 10\frac{3}{4} \\ 12^* \end{array} \right.$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 10\frac{3}{4} \\ 12^* \end{array} \right.$	Weather hot. Condition of <i>rabi</i> crops in the Godda and Rajmahal subdivisions not favourable. Prospects of <i>mahua</i> good. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Stocks of food-grains likely to last till next harvest. Fodder and water insufficient in Godda, Pakour and Rajmahal.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	$11\frac{1}{2}$	$11\frac{1}{2}$	Rainfall at Jajpur 0·02 inch and at Banki 0·48 inch. <i>Dalua</i> paddy ripening. Tobacco being harvested. Condition of cattle generally good. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	$12\frac{1}{2}$	$12\frac{1}{2}$	Weather hot. Rain badly wanted. Planting of sugarcane commenced at places. <i>Dalua</i> paddy in ear. Vegetables doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water and food-stocks sufficient. Prices stationary. Common rice selling at 13 seers per rupee at Bhadrak.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	15	15	Rainfall at Phulbani 0·49 inch. Weather seasonable. Rain wanted for cultivation. Condition of agricultural stock good. Common rice selling at $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee at the Khondmals. Fodder and water available.
27	PURI ...	Nil	$9\frac{3}{4}$	$9\frac{3}{4}$	Rainfall at Khurda 0·13 inch. Sugarcane growing. <i>Dalua</i> paddy and castor being harvested. <i>Mung</i> ripening. Common rice selling at $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee at Khurda. 28 men, 117 women and 242 children—total 387—attending kitchens. 12 men, 158 women and 6 children—total 176—receiving gratuitous relief.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	0·02	13	13	Weather occasionally cloudy. Fields being improved for next season's crops. Planting of sugarcane continuing. Condition of vegetables good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water-supply sufficient. No apprehension of scarcity. Rinderpest and foot-and-mouth disease reported. Common rice selling at 14 seers per rupee at Bargarh.

* The figures indicate the price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
29	HAZARIBAGH...	Inches. Nil	{ 8½ 12 }	{ 8½ 12½ }	Digging and watering of sugarcane continuing. Dropping of <i>mahua</i> in full swing. Its condition good. Cattle-disease in one thana. Blowing of west winds commenced. Fodder and water sufficient.
30	RANCHI ...	0.35	9½	9	Weather hot and cloudy in the afternoon. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Lands being prepared for the next sowing. Cattle-disease reported from 12 thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of <i>rabi</i> crops continuing. Their prospects good. <i>Mahua</i> falling. Fodder and water available. Some cattle-disease. About 200 persons on gratuitous relief from the District Board funds in pargana Japla.
32	MANRHUM ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops good. Planting of sugarcane almost completed. Outturn of early and late varieties of <i>til</i> estimated at 68 and 78 per cent. respectively. Wheat, <i>arhar</i> and <i>mahua</i> ripe. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease not reported. Condition of agricultural stock good. Prices of staple food-grains almost stationary. Common rice selling at 9½ seers a rupee at Dhanbaid. Stocks of food-grains adequate.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	Nil	9	9	Weather getting hot. Fields being prepared for early rice. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 10 and 12 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Preparation of lands for jute continuing. Sowing of <i>bitri</i> paddy almost finished. Rain urgently wanted. Prices of food-grains stationary. No apprehension of scarcity or famine. Fodder and water sufficient.
35	FEUDATORY STATES, ORISSA.†	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane continuing in Gangpur. Harvesting of wheat in progress in Narsingpur and Nayagarh and of castor in Mayurbhanj. Sugarcane being planted in Athmallik, Baramba, Kulahandi, Baud and Rairakhol. Ploughing of lands for next season's crops going on in Keonjhar, Nilgiri, Nayagarh and Gangpur. State of standing crops good in Daspalla, Athgarh, Hindol, and Dhenkanal. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of rice varying from 8 seers in Keonjhar and 12 seers in Mayurbhanj and Narsingpur to 17 seers in Patna and 18 seers in Talcher.

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† The report is for the week ending the 20th March 1909.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—Light showers fell in parts of Orissa and in Ranchi and Midnapore. More rain is urgently wanted in South-West Bengal and Bihar for preparation of lands for the next season's crops. Planting of sugarcane and harvesting of *rabi* crops continue. Sowing of Indigo continues in Saran. *Mahua* is falling in Hazaribagh, Palamau and Manbhum. Prospects are good in the Sonthal Parganas and Hazaribagh. *Rabi* crops are poor in the unirrigated tracts of North Bihar. The price of common rice has risen in Burdwan, Muzaffarpur and Monghyr, has fallen in Champaran, the Sonthal Parganas and Ranchi, and is stationary in the remaining districts. Cattle-disease is reported from Burdwan, Midnapore, Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore, Gaya, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Purnea, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Palamau. Fodder is reported to be insufficient in parts of Jessore, Khulna, Champaran, Monghyr, Purnea and the Sonthal Parganas. The water-supply is getting scarce in many parts of North Bihar and also in parts of Birbhum, Jessore, Khulna, Gaya, Monghyr and the Sonthal Parganas. Measures are being adopted for excavation of tanks and boring of wells in North Bihar for supply of water for cattle. Test-works in Muzaffarpur, Bhagalpur and Purnea were attended by 3,468 persons, and the famine relief-works in Darbhanga were attended by 46,205 persons. The number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief in Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Palamau was 19,815 and in Puri 563.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 30th March 1909.

W. R. GOURLAY,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1904-05.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of February 1905.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.										RAINFALL, 1908-09.		REMARKS.				
			Long-term leases.					SEASON LEASES.					Grand Total.	During month.		Up to end of month.			
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					Acres.	Acres.	
			Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.			
ORISSA	Cutack	Taldanda system...	1,342	27	20	75,447	74,776	75,381	2	19	33	3	56	75,447	6.35	69.75	71.15	Average rainfall of Kulai, Baha and Jagadpur.	
		Kendrapara do. ...	2,055	304	129	101,462	104,209	101,144	3.0	973	...	15	1,318	101,462	1.96	67.06	74.83	Average rainfall of Kendrapara, Maraghai, and Ichapur.	
		High Level, Range I ...	605	75	35	27,758	28,344	27,668	3	958	5	...	9.6	28,534	0.69	52.71	63.34	Average rainfall of Outack and Jenapur.	
		Ditto, Range II ...	728	51	9	5,430	5,447	5,428	...	146	...	...	148	5,576	0.36	34.11	66.52	Average rainfall of Jenapur and Akhoypada.
		Jaipur Canal ...	700	160	160	21,802	20,965	21,056	40	2,177	5	4	2,226	23,283	...	51.53	61.46	Jajpur.	
	Balasore	Dudhai Canal	200	36	39	1,080	107	...	...	2,304	...	...	2,304	2,304	...	...	...	...
		High Level, Range III ...	728	20	1	45,699	45,836	45,198	...	133	422	...	7	562	45,760	0.63	39.72	66.54	Average rainfall of Outack and Jenapur.
		Total Orissa Canals	...	...	...	278,678	279,683	274,555	375	6,611	465	29	7,490	332,365	...	...	...	...
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	271,748	3,461	12,301	611	15	16,463	293,210	...	...	...	...
		Midnapore Howrah	Midnapore ...	1,411	27	...	58,080	57,021	58,386	58,386	0.27	68.97	68.16	...
Panchkura ...	522		20	6	5,053	5,056	5,223	...	...	...	...	...	5,223	0.31	66.74	66.76	...	
Tidal Reaches, Range I and II	...		...	...	...	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Midnapore Canal	...		...	...	63,138	62,182	63,614	...	...	...	...	...	63,614	...	...	...	...
Burdwan Hooghly.	Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	60,378	614	...	...	...	614	60,992	...	...	...	...
	Eden Canal ...	1,000	13	13	20,475	21,391	19,875	595	7	602	20,475	...	66.38	67.36	49.46		
Total of the corresponding period of last year			20,248	1,130	1,143	21,391		

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* Of which 317 acres are "Provisional lease."

G. G. DEY,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 35th March 1909.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT OF THE PROVINCES OF BENGAL AND OF EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM **FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1903.**

District.	Representative Stations.	Air Pressure.					Departure from normal mean.	Wind.		Temperature.						Humidity.		Cloud.		Rain fall.
		Highest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Lowest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Mean, 8 A.M., reduced to 32°.	Mean reduced to sea-level and constant gravity, lat. 45°.	Mean direction at 8 A.M.		Mean velocity in miles daily.	Highest of month.	Lowest of month.	Mean daily maximum temperature.	Mean daily minimum temperature.	Mean daily temperature.	Departure from normal mean.	Mean, 8 A.M.	Departure from normal mean.	Mean cloud amount, 8 A.M.	Departure from normal mean, 8 A.M.		
Burdwan	Burdwan	30.084	29.933	30.007	30.061	+0.007	N21°W	38	83.9	40.8	79.8	83.9	66.9	-0.3	67	-4	0.7	-0.7	NH	
	Raniganj	29.834	29.691	29.774	30.087	+0.019	N60°W	33	82.5	43.0	78.3	80.3	64.3	-1.7	69	-4	0.5	-	NH	
	Bankura	29.860	29.703	29.782	30.066	+0.015	N67°W	47	82.1	41.2	78.4	81.8	65.1	-1.1	66	-9	0.3	-	NH	
	Midnapore	30.030	29.871	29.950	30.356	+0.031	N3°W	59	81.3	47.7	80.2	83.5	66.4	-0.8	57	-13	0.5	-	NH	
	S. P. V. Fraser	30.170	30.015	30.085	30.014	-	N31°E	192	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	-	2.0	-	NH	
24-Parganas	Saugor Island	30.151	29.977	30.070	30.041	+0.004	N11°E	182	82.0	52.3	78.1	86.9	67.5	-0.2	85	-3	1.7	-0.8	NH	
	Calcutta	30.163	30.003	30.084	30.052	+0.011	N16°W	79	83.1	40.7	78.3	83.3	63.8	-0.5	76	-6	1.0	-0.1	NH	
	Nadia	30.123	29.903	30.045	30.043	+0.006	N36°W	34	81.1	43.5	78.5	80.1	64.3	-1.1	83	+1	0.5	-	NH	
	Murshidabad	30.131	29.984	30.045	30.063	+0.013	N23°W	26	80.1	48.2	76.5	82.9	64.7	-1.2	78	-8	0.6	-0.8	NH	
	Jessore	30.139	29.986	30.062	30.042	+0.014	N7°W	17	81.5	49.7	77.7	83.6	65.7	-0.4	73	-13	0.3	-1.0	NH	
Rajshahi	Rampur Boalia	30.125	29.971	30.032	30.052	+0.021	N9°E	30	81.1	46.1	78.9	81.36	63.2	+0.7	69	-16	0.3	-	NH	
	Malda	30.113	29.943	30.025	30.054	+0.001	N25°W	91	78.3	44.3	78.0	80.1	62.6	-1.0	78	-7	0.2	-	NH	
	Dinajpur	30.030	29.885	29.973	30.060	+0.004	N40°E	38	80.8	42.5	78.1	80.9	62.4	-1.7	63	0	0.4	-0.3	NH	
	Jalpaiguri	29.914	29.720	29.812	30.072	-0.003	N2°W	12	80.4	47.4	78.0	80.3	61.1	+0.1	82	-7	0	-1.0	NH	
	Cooch Behar	30.046	29.815	29.934	30.077	-	S 0°E	25	77.8	47.1	73.3	80.5	63.4	-	84	-3	0.3	-	NH	
Bogra	Bangpur	30.080	29.912	29.991	30.077	+0.020	N39°E	16	78.6	46.0	76.7	80.7	62.7	-1.1	83	-7	0.4	-	NH	
	Bogra	30.128	29.965	30.031	30.062	+0.013	N17°W	31	81.7	48.7	78.0	82.0	65.0	-0.6	73	-12	0.3	+0.1	NH	
	Fabna	30.133	29.990	30.050	30.051	+0.010	N37°W	31	82.3	49.6	77.7	82.3	65.0	-0.1	86	-4	2.2	-	NH	
	Narayanganj	30.144	30.008	30.058	30.034	+0.012	N17°W	23	82.5	42.3	78.9	81.3	68.7	-1.1	84	-3	0.9	-1.4	NH	
	Mymensingh	30.113	29.969	30.025	30.043	-0.001	(f)	10	83.1	48.6	79.8	82.6	63.7	+0.3	87	-4	3.1	+1.6	NH	
Faridpur	Faridpur	30.120	29.973	30.046	30.040	+0.013	N15°W	31	81.3	47.4	77.4	80.5	61.2	-0.9	85	-6	0.2	-	NH	
	Backergunge	30.146	29.987	30.059	30.018	-0.005	N9°E	34	81.3	48.6	75.2	82.3	63.3	-1.6	88	+1	0.8	-0.6	NH	
	Tippura	30.145	29.974	30.039	30.036	-0.002	(f)	18	81.3	48.3	80.8	81.5	68.2	-0.7	86	+3	0.3	-	NH	
	Noakhali	30.131	29.980	30.038	30.027	+0.018	N18°E	30	80.8	48.4	78.1	81.9	63.0	-1.4	86	-1	0.7	-	NH	
	Chittagong	30.070	29.923	29.981	30.023	+0.006	N33°E	43	82.1	49.4	78.5	82.9	65.7	-2.4	92	+3	0.5	-2.0	NH	
Chittagong	Cox's Bazar	30.142	29.993	30.017	30.028	-	N43°E	58	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	NH	
	Patna	30.021	29.851	29.940	30.039	+0.003	S 2°W	46	73.0	42.7	74.3	48.9	61.6	-1.3	71	-4	0.5	-0.4	NH	
	Gaya	29.908	29.751	29.730	30.024	+0.008	S60°W	65	83.4	42.7	78.5	47.6	62.0	-1.8	70	-1	1.2	-0.3	NH	
	Dahri	29.934	29.785	29.750	30.037	+0.007	S 16°W	77	82.3	40.0	71.0	51.6	64.3	-0.3	73	-1	0.8	-	NH	
	Shahabad	29.963	29.802	29.874	30.051	+0.005	S 15°W	83	81.0	43.1	70.8	46.6	62.7	-0.1	63	-3	0.5	-	NH	
Saran	Arrah	30.015	29.846	29.929	30.067	+0.032	S64°W	23	77.9	41.7	76.7	46.0	61.36	-0.0	79	-3	0.4	-	NH	
	Chhapra	30.019	29.840	29.933	30.053	+0.024	S 4°W	35	78.3	41.9	74.8	47.8	61.4	-1.7	82	-4	1.9	-	NH	
	Champaran	29.920	29.761	29.806	30.009	+0.035	(f)	33	80.4	35.8	77.4	42.2	59.8	-1.4	93	+4	5.3	-	NH	
	Muzaffarpur	30.034	29.798	29.913	30.090	+0.028	N 22°W	31	80.2	40.0	70.6	45.3	61.0	-	76	-9	0.2	-	NH	
	Darbhanga	30.054	29.885	29.940	30.079	+0.016	W	23	81.1	39.8	73.0	44.7	61.4	-2.6	64	-2	0.4	-0.1	NH	
Monghyr	Monghyr	30.050	29.905	29.977	30.034	-	S87°W	80	79.9	47.9	76.1	51.1	63.6	-	79	-	0.6	-	NH	
	Bhagalpur	30.040	29.826	29.906	30.087	+0.036	S 33°W	40	80.2	41.8	78.2	48.1	63.2	+0.3	61	-16	0.8	-	NH	
	Purnea	30.083	29.900	29.983	30.032	+0.017	S66°W	2	79.3	40.7	77.4	44.5	61.1	-1.7	63	-3	0.3	-0.4	NH	
	South Patna	29.998	29.871	29.919	30.103	+0.041	(f)	30	79.9	42.5	76.2	48.5	63.4	-1.2	60	-18	0	-	NH	
	Darjeeling	28.146	28.086	28.084	28.039	+0.009	N81°E	50	68.3	34.4	52.7	37.1	44.9	+2.3	68	-20	1.0	-2.1	NH	
Rambhadr	Rambhadr	29.718	29.558	29.619	30.101	+0.020	N34°E	103	63.1	44.6	78.7	80.3	64.5	-2.5	64	-10	1.5	-0.3	NH	
	Angul	29.718	29.584	29.643	30.058	-	N38°W	124	63.1	42.0	78.9	80.3	64.7	-	71	-	1.1	-	NH	
	Cuttack	29.110	29.967	30.020	30.057	+0.017	S 16°W	31	85.4	50.7	79.6	84.7	67.2	-3.8	77	+2	2.3	+0.4	NH	
	False Point	30.170	30.013	30.091	30.056	+0.019	N23°W	103	80.1	46.1	77.7	82.0	64.9	-2.3	77	-7	2.7	+0.3	NH	
	Balasore	30.152	29.983	30.068	30.016	+0.011	N23°W	41	85.4	47.3	80.4	82.1	66.2	-1.3	66	-16	1.8	-0.3	NH	
Puri	Puri	30.150	29.991	30.070	30.033	+0.009	N2°E	203	85.1	54.1	80.2	82.5	69.4	-	70	-7	1.3	-	NH	
	Gopalpur	30.118	29.953	30.034	30.040	+0.013	N18°W	206	83.2	53.0	79.4	80.5	68.0	-2.6	74	-3	0.9	-	NH	
	Odinagar	30.191	30.007	30.094	30.050	-	N45°W	150	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	NH	
	Hazaribagh	28.113	27.986	28.043	30.013	+0.014	N85°W	94	77.7	43.3	72.4	48.9	60.7	-0.7	63	-12	0.6	-0.8	NH	
	Ranchi	27.990	27.864	27.925	30.111	+0.020	N30°W	120	78.2	44.4	78.0	49.8	61.4	-0.8	65	-10	1.1	-0.1	NH	
Palamau	Daltonganj	29.461	29.335	29.393	30.143	-	E	68	82.5	81.5	76.7	48.6	55.7	-	83	+1	1.0	-	NH	
	Manikpur	29.331	29.180	29.258	30.070	-	N82°W	78	82.5	45.6	77.6	80.9	64.3	-	73	+7	0.4	-	NH	
	Singbhum	29.431	29.271	29.356	30.097	+0.018	S32°W	46	84.8	44.7	78.3	83.9	63.6	-2.5	68	-1	1.0	-0.4	NH	
	Dibruaghat	29.631	29.477	29.740	30.086	-	(f)	24	78.4	43.6	74.1	47.5	60.8	-	97	-	1.5	-	NH	
	Sibsagar	29.809	29.712	29.807	30.122	+0.022	N31°E	34	78.6	42.2	71.5	46.3	53.9	-2.2	91	-8	1.3	-3.5	NH	
Tezpur	Tezpur	29.943	29.772	29.843	30.074	-	N43°E	72	77.6	47.9	75.9	81.7	63.3	-	94	-	0.8	-	NH	
	Kamrup	30.023	29.851	29.927	30.053	-	E	28	78.6	44.6	77.8	49.0	62.6	-	98	-	8.8	-	NH	
	Gowari	30.018	29.823	29.989	30.037	+0.008	N87°E	16.6	77.5	51.8	74.5	83.7	64.1	-0.6	88	-3	0	-1.5	NH	
	Chirang	30.010	29.843	29.997	30.061	+0.016	S63°E	46	82.3	46.3	79.5	80.7	63.2	-2.1	85	-2	0.7	-3.3	NH	
	Kharai and Jaitpur	28.239	28.157	28.217	28.160	-	N67°E	43	65.9	36.7	63.9	39.5	51.2	-	63	-	0.3	-	NH	
Assam	Shillong	28.239	28.157	28.217	28.160	-	N67°E	43	65.9	36.7	63.9	39.5	51.2	-	63	-	0.3	-	NH	
	Cherrapunji	28.239	28.157	28.217	28.160	-	N67°E	43	65.9	36.7	63.9	39.5	51.2	-	63	-	0.3	-	NH	

(a) Mean of 30 days.
(b) Mean of 29 days.

(c) Mean of 24 days.
(f) Indeterminate.

SUMMARY OF THE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN
BENGAL AND IN EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM FOR THE
MONTH OF DECEMBER 1908.

Over the two Provinces, fine dry weather with the mean temperature in slight defect marked the beginning of the month. Notwithstanding an unusually steep pressure gradient over the Bay, and high winds in the south-west, the weather prevailing over the area under report was practically unaffected, the usual cold weather conditions being maintained without serious modification up to the end of the month. At the beginning of the second week a disturbance from Persia moved over to North-West India; but this too left the weather in the Province unaffected. The mean pressure continued to be in slight excess until the 15th, when a fall in the barometer at most stations was marked by the development of light cloud over Bengal and Assam. The sky, however, rapidly cleared again and the night temperature fell on the whole, the defect in Orissa being as much as 7 degrees.

Another insignificant development of cloud over Orissa and the head of the Bay, with light showers in Bihar occurred on the 21st, but the depression in the west of India which probably caused this change soon filled up, and the previous meteorological conditions were established, and maintained until the end of the month.

The average direction of all the land winds during December was towards the head of the Bay. Thus the Assam winds were chiefly E. N. E.; those of Eastern Bengal, north while in Western Bengal and Orissa they had a north-westerly direction.

To summarise: the weather throughout the month was fine and dry with rather less cloud than usual. The shortage in the rainfall was not marked, and the mean temperature was within $1\frac{1}{2}$ degree of the normal. Humidity on the whole was in defect.

Summary of temperature.—Mean temperature was in defect everywhere. In Orissa the defect was $2\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$, and in Assam, Chota Nagpur, Bihar and Eastern Bengal, North, more than 1° . The highest temperature recorded was $85^{\circ}\cdot 4$ at Cuttack, and the lowest $37^{\circ}\cdot 5$ at Daltonganj.

The following table gives the summary of the temperature of each of the seven meteorological divisions of the Provinces of Bengal and of Eastern Bengal and Assam for the month of December 1908:—

METEOROLOGICAL DIVISIONS.	TEMPERATURE.					
	Highest observed during month.	Lowest observed during month.	Average for month.			Average mean of month above or below normal mean of month.
			Of highest of each day.	Of lowest of each day.	Of mean for each day.	
Bengal	81·3	43·5	78·4	52·8	65·6	— 0·8
Eastern Bengal, North	82·3	42·5	77·5	50·1	63·8	— 0·5
Eastern Bengal, South	84·3	47·4	78·7	52·3	65·5	— 1·1
Bihar	83·4	38·8	76·6	47·3	62·0	— 1·2
Orissa	85·4	44·6	79·3	53·5	66·4	— 2·5
Chota Nagpur*	83·8	37·5	75·1	47·6	61·4	— 1·3
Assam	83·3	42·2	75·5	49·5	62·5	— 1·6

* Purulia not included.

Summary of rainfall.—The rainfall work of the area under report has been handed over to the Director of Agriculture, Bengal. A short table, however, is attached to this report, giving actual and normal rainfall recorded at the principal stations of each district. Rainfall was in defect throughout the whole reporting area.

Actual and average rainfall and departure from normal for the month of December 1908.

Meteorological Division.	Districts	Station.	Actual.	Normal.	Departure from normal.
Bengal	Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	Nil	0.13	— 0.13
	Bankura ...	Bankura ...	Nil	0.08	— 0.08
	Midnapore ...	Midnapore ...	Nil	0.13	— 0.13
	24 Parganas ...	Saugor Island ...	Nil	0.21	— 0.21
	Calcutta ...	Calcutta ...	Nil	0.22	— 0.22
	Nadia ...	Krishnagar ...	Nil	0.31	— 0.31
	Murshidabad ...	Berhampore ...	Nil	0.10	— 0.10
Eastern Bengal, North.	Jessore ...	Jessore ...	Nil	0.10	— 0.10
			Nil	0.15	— 0.15
	Rajshahi ...	Rampur Boalia ...	Nil	0.06	— 0.06
	Malda ...	Malda ...	Nil	0.25	— 0.25
	Dinajpur ...	Dinajpur ...	Nil	0.08	— 0.08
	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri ...	Nil	0.07	— 0.07
	Cooch Behar ...	Cooch Behar ...	Nil	0.08	— 0.08
Eastern Bengal, South.	Rangpur ...	Rangpur ...	Nil	0.08	— 0.08
	Bogra ...	Bogra ...	Nil	0.09	— 0.09
	Pabna ...	Sirajganj ...	Nil	0.11	— 0.11
	Dacca ...	Narayanganj ...	Nil	0.19	— 0.19
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh ...	Nil	0.09	— 0.09
	Faridpur ...	Faridpur ...	Nil	0.08	— 0.08
	Backergunge ...	Barisal ...	Nil	0.32	— 0.32
Bihar	Tippera ...	Comilla ...	Nil	0.22	— 0.22
	Nonkhali ...	Nonkhali ...	Nil	0.65	— 0.65
	Chittagong ...	Chittagong ...	Nil	0.58	— 0.58
		Cox's Bazar ...	Nil	0.29	— 0.29
	Patna ...	Hankipore ...	Nil	0.14	— 0.14
	Gaya ...	Gaya ...	0.05	0.17	— 0.12
	Shahabad ...	Dehri ...	0.10	0.32	— 0.22
Chota Nagpur ...		Buxar ...	0.05	0.19	— 0.14
	Saran ...	Arrah ...	0.02	0.13	— 0.11
	Champaran ...	Chapra ...	0.02	0.09	— 0.07
	Muzaffarpur ...	Motihari ...	Nil	0.13	— 0.13
	Darbhanga ...	Muzaffarpur ...	Nil	0.07	— 0.07
	Monghyr ...	Darbhanga ...	0.03	0.11	— 0.09
	Bhagalpur ...	Monghyr ...	Nil	0.07	— 0.07
Orissa	Purnea ...	Bhagalpur ...	Nil	0.07	— 0.07
	Sonthal Parganas ...	Purnea ...	Nil	0.10	— 0.10
	Darjeeling ...	Naya Dumka ...	Nil	0.16	— 0.16
		Darjeeling ...	Nil	0.20	— 0.20
	Hazaribagh ...	Hazaribagh ...	Nil	0.21	— 0.21
	Ranchi ...	Ranchi ...	Nil	0.18	— 0.18
	Singbhum ...	Chaibassa ...	Nil	0.26	— 0.26
	Palamau ...	Daltongunj ...	Nil	0.29	— 0.29
	Maubhum ...	Parulia ...	0.01	0.18	— 0.17
	Sambalpur ...	Sambalpur ...	Nil	0.25	— 0.25
	Angul ...	Angul ...	Nil	0.35	— 0.35
	Cuttack ...	Cuttack ...	Nil	0.34	— 0.34
	Balasore ...	False Point ...	Nil	0.47	— 0.47
	Puri ...	Balasore ...	Nil	0.19	— 0.19
		Puri ...	Nil	0.55	— 0.55

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